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12th September 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Young Voices Concert on 25th January 2023

We are excited to announce that we have reserved a place for the **Young Voices Concert at The Resorts World Arena on the 25th January 2023.**

This year the concert is **open for all of Key Stage Two children (years 3, 4, 5 and 6)** - songs will be rehearsed during singing assemblies and choir practice (details to be confirmed by Miss Freeman). Unfortunately, due to the very late evening performance and finish time, we are unable to offer this opportunity to KS1 and Early Years children (Years 1, 2, nursery and reception). The concert is a fantastic opportunity for the older children to perform as part of a mass choir, with a world-renowned conductor, live orchestra and special guests. There will also be dance performances for the children to enjoy. **Can you please email Mrs Jones to let us know that you wish your child to attend the YV Concert - this email needs to be received by the 20th September as we need to provide as accurate as possible Choir numbers by that date - we will then be allocated our Choir "space" at the concert venue.**

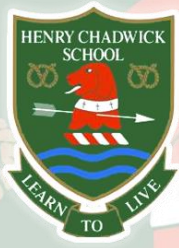
The children will travel to the concert by coach at lunchtime on the 25th January. It is suggested that they have a hot dinner in school on the day of the concert and a packed tea, drinks and snacks to take to the venue. During the afternoon they will rehearse at the venue with the massed choir, ready for an evening performance. After the concert the coach will then return children to school where they can be picked up by parents/carers. **Due to security, the venue does not allow parents to pick up children from the arena.** If your child wishes to attend please be aware that **this will be a late night and we are unlikely to return to school until approximately 10.30pm-11pm (children who attend will be able to come in to school the following day at 10am if parents/carers wish).**

Please return the T-Shirt and Audience Ticket forms to Mrs Jones by the 1st November 2022 in order to confirm your child's place, audience tickets and merchandise for the concert. We are unable to allow for late returns as the venue requires our final choir numbers - this is the deadline for slips to be returned, we will not be able to accommodate requests received after 4.30pm on the 1st November 2022.

Quotes are being sought for the cost of the coach - as a indicator the last few times we have attended YV the cost of the coach was £10-£15 per child, this is very much dependant on the numbers attending. Please be assured that we will do everything we can to minimise the cost to parents/carers. We will provide the cost breakdown to those who have indicated that their child will be attending YV 2023, as soon as we have numbers.

Should you wish to watch your child at this concert, we will order tickets for you through school - please return the form by the deadline. If you do not wish to purchase a Young Voices T-Shirt, we request that your child wears a plain, white T-Shirt for the event.

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Once you have ordered tickets and any merchandise, these are posted directly to school at least a week before our concert. Further details will be provided nearer to the time.

Thank you for your continued support,

Miss Freeman

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