State PRIMARY SCHOOL

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2018 CHILDREN SING FESTIVAL – JUNIOR CHOIR TUESDAY 12 JUNE

Dear Parent /Guardian

Our Junior and Senior Choirs will be performing in the annual Children Sing Festival in week 7 of this term, at the Octagon Theatre UWA. This exciting choral festival offers our students an opportunity to perform in a magnificent venue and before an audience of 500 students and parents. The festival runs over 9 sessions and involves 47 primary school choirs. This festival is not a competition but gives students the chance to listen to other primary school choirs perform. Each choir performs 2 songs and participates in a community sing along.

The details for this performance are as follows:

TUESDAY 12 JUNE

Performance time Session A 11.15am to 12.30pm

Leave School 9.40am and return by 2pm

Bus Fare (students) \$9.00 (sent to office)

Please ensure money and excursion consent form are returned by June 8.

Payment can be returned in the envelope provided to the red post box in the office or transferred directly into our bank account: BSB 016 338, Account No: 3409 09309 and excursion form to your child's teacher or Mrs MacLean in TA13.

The children need to be immaculately dressed in their choir uniform.

School T-shirt (**NOT** faction colours), navy skirt, skorts or school shorts, white socks and sensible enclosed shoes eg sneakers. (NO tracksuit pants or coloured stockings or leggings). Girls must have their hair tied back off their face and jewellery to be kept to a minimum. School jumper or jacket only to be worn.

We will have morning tea before we leave. Students are to take a drink bottle (water only) and their lunch which needs to be in a disposable plastic bag, clearly labelled with their name. School bags can be left outside their classroom and will not be taken on the excursion. Please ensure all jumpers and drink containers are clearly labelled with student's name.

Tickets for Children Sing Festival

As funding for these types of festivals has gradually been withdrawn by various government departments over the past few years, **this event has to be financially self-supporting**. The monies raised for this festival come from school registration fees and ticket sales. The festival costs over \$25,000 to run each year. (Students DO NOT require a ticket). We would love to see as many parents, grand parents and family friends as possible attend to support our school choir.

Tickets are being sold online through ticketsWA (see ticket note for more details).

The web link is: www.ticketswa.com/

On the day I will need 2 parent helpers to assist with taking the students on the bus, and supervising the students at the concert and during lunch. You will not need a ticket or to pay bus fare. If you are able to help with this, please fill out the form attached and return it to the music room as soon as possible.

Thank you

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Mrs K. MacLean (music specialist) (Please contact me at the school on 9407 1100 if you have any queries)

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2018 CHILDREN SING FESTIVAL – JUNIOR CHOIR EXCURSION CONSENT FORM

I am aware that any costs incurred as a result of accident or illness are my responsibility and that school staff are not responsible for any loss or damage to my child's personal property that may occur during the course of the excursion.

I have provided the school with current medical information and necessary medication relevant to my child

and agree to inform the organisers before the scheduled excursion departure of any change to my child's health and fitness so that appropriate supervision/medication may be arranged. as medication. (eg Epipen. I have supplied Ventolin, Antihistamine) I acknowledge that, should it be considered necessary, school staff will arrange to present my child for medical assessment. I have read and understood the information regarding the excursion and give my consent for my child Year: _____ Room: ____ to attend the Junior Choir excursion to the University of WA on Tuesday 12 June, 2018. I have forwarded \$9.00 to the office to cover the cost of bus fares. Signed permission form and money to be returned by June 8. Parent/guardian/carer name: Additional emergency contact person: ______Phone: Signature of parent/guardian/carer: Date: Please return this permission slip to your child's teacher or to Mrs MacLean in TA13. PARENT HELPER. I am able to assist as a parent helper for the Junior Choir excursion to UWA on Tuesday June 12.

Contact number: