



Headteacher: Michael Dillon B Ed (Hons) MA

Friday, 07 October 2022

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November – Shakespeare Festival Performance**

Dear Parents/Carers

The day of performance is rapidly approaching! Excitement is building and stress levels are at their highest!! I thought it would be a good idea to set out the itinerary for the day.

8.20	Arrive at school for registration
8.35	Leave school for South Hill Park ( <b>Please bring a coat as we will be walking</b> )
8.50	Technical and Dress Rehearsals for both plays
12.30	Walk back to school
12.45	Lunch – <b>Your child will need to bring in a packed lunch or order a 'grab bag'.</b>
1.45	Afternoon school begins.
3.20	School Finish – Film, Games and <b><u>pizza!</u></b>
5.30	Walk to South Hill Park
6.00	Cast Warm Up – Meet other casts and learn the running order.
6.45	Make Up and Prepare for Performance
7.00	Performance starts
9.30/9.45	Finish – Pick up your children

Children will not be required to bring any school bags that day. Your child will need a packed lunch as we will not return to school in time for cooked meals, please put this in a plastic bag that can be thrown away. This also applies if your child is bringing in a packed tea. There is no room for bags/lunch boxes at the theatre. We will have access to drinking water, so if you provide named plastic water bottle we can refill them.

The kitchen will also be providing a pizza dinner for the children before the performance. We kindly ask for a voluntary donation of £2 towards this if you would like your child to join in. If not, please could you provide a second packed dinner for your child to have after school.

As you can see this will be a very busy day and late evening. Mr Dillon has agreed that, on this occasion, the children do not have to be in school the next day until 10 am. Obviously if you have work commitments and you need to get your children in at the usual time, we will be here to receive them.

**Please note that the children will need to be in school, as normal, by 8.20 for registration on the 11<sup>th</sup> November.**

Year 6 Team

Dear Miss Hodge/Mrs Shakespeare

I give permission for my child to attend the technical rehearsal at South Hill Park from **9.00 – 12.30 on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November**.

I also give permission for my child to **remain** at school until 5.30, when the whole year group will walk across to South Hill Park together for the performance.

Please tick as appropriate:

I would like my child to have pizza

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I will provide a packed lunch/dinner

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Please return form by **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October**.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Child's name \_\_\_\_\_