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11th June 2024

Year 3, Create Dance Event, Floral Pavilion, New Brighton - Monday 1st July 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are excited for our Year 3 children to be taking part in the 'Create Dance Wirral Dance Concert', at the Floral Pavilion, New Brighton **Monday 1st July 2024**. The children are overjoyed to have this fantastic experience and we are supporting those who may be slightly overwhelmed and anxious by the prospect of performing.

Tickets can be obtained from the Floral Pavilion Box Office. There is no expectation that any of our families will attend, the children understand that we are performing to an audience but have not been told that you will be there to watch and so will not be expecting you there.

Instead we would love to perform to you in school on **Wednesday 26th June 2:15pm** and hope that you can make it in to watch your child perform their dance.

On the day of the performance, children will come to school as normal wearing their full school uniform. The children will be provided with a T-shirt to perform on the day. We are asking parents to provide black leggings or black tracksuit bottoms and black PE pumps.

We will have lunch and leave school at approximately 12:30pm in our school minibus. Members of staff will accompany the children.

Rehearsals will take place with the other schools and the professional band from 2.30pm to 5.30pm, the children will have a break for tea and the show will take place from 7.30pm to 9:00pm. Your child will need to bring a refillable bottle of water. Your child will need to be collected by parents/carers at the end of the performance at 8.30pm from the Floral Pavilion. We will meet parents/carers in the foyer of the theatre at the end of the performance.

There will be no charge for the T-shirts or for the transport to the Floral. This is a **FREE** event for your child as school are paying for this unique experience.

Create Dance Wirral are required by law to complete a license exception form for all young people aged 16 and below (year 11 and below) performing on stage. Please complete the attached form. Create Dance Wirral will apply for this license exception.

This is a wonderful opportunity for our children to be able to perform in an amazing venue alongside children from other schools and celebrate their achievements together.

Please complete the attached consent form and reply slip below and return to your child's class teacher as soon as possible.

The performance will be filmed and photographed. If you do not wish for your child to be photographed or filmed, please state this below. Please note that this will also include any photographs used in the programmes. Your child's full name will also be printed in the programme. If you do not wish to have your child's name printed in the programme please state this below.

Yours sincerely

Mr Saunderson
Year 3 Class

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Child's name _____

Please complete below:

I will collect my child after the performance at 9:00pm	Yes / No
I have made arrangements for my child to be collected by:	
I give consent for my child to be filmed and photographed.	Yes / No

A reminder that if you do not give permission for your child's name to be printed in the programme, you must contact the school office immediately.

Signed _____ Date _____