Monday 28th November 2016

Dear Parents/Carers,

The countdown is on, 10 days to go! The MPW Junior choir will be performing ‘Spring Time’ and Senior Choirs will be performing ‘Shakespeare Rocks’.

When: Wednesday 7th December 2016

Where: MPW Gym

When: Call time for both Junior and Senior is 6:30 p.m. We ask that all choir members arrived fully costumed and assemble in the staff room.

Start time: 7:00 p.m. for the Junior Choir (approximately 25 minutes)

Start time: 7:30 p.m. following the juniors, Senior Choir (approximately 45 minutes)

The junior choir will be supplied with a costume. As some of the costumes are a bit big we will pop in a few safety pins for you to pin up the sleeves. If you feel the pants are too big you can supplement them with white legging (you will need to provide those).

- We ask that you provide:
  - White (or close to) flat shoes (jiffies or runners).
  - Please have the students’ hair in a neat ponytail or such so that their faces are easily seen.

All costume pieces will be sent home on Monday 5th December in a marked plastic bag. We ask that the costumes be returned in the bag by the following Monday.

The senior choir will be supplied with a black T-shirt and other costuming for the various characters:

- We ask that you provide:
  - black leggings for the girls
  - longish black shorts (no markings) for the boys (as there is substantial dancing jeans would not be appropriate)
  - flat black shoes such as school shoes or jiffies (again, due to the dancing the shoes must be flat for ease and safety).

The senior choir are privileged to be holding an encore performance of ‘Shakespeare Rocks’ for the junior school the following morning, Thursday the 8th December. Therefore we ask for assistance in helping us ensure that all costuming and props are carefully put aside at the end of the evening performance, and that the students come to school in their black T-shirts and black pants the following morning.
General costume pieces will be sent home on Monday 5th December in a marked plastic bag. We ask that **all costume pieces be returned in the same bag by the following Monday**.

The excitement levels are rising in anticipation for the big day, Wednesday 7th December. We hope that you will be able to attend and support the culmination of all their hard work.

The concert is free, but in order to gain an idea of attendance and chairs required, **if you have not already done so, could you please fill in and return the following slip to the office by Friday 2nd December 2016.**

Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to seeing you on Wednesday 7th December.

Kate Ridgeway
Choir Leader
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**MPW junior and senior choir end of year musicals Wednesday 7th December 2016**

Student:..............................................................................................................Grade......................

Number of **people** attending............................................................................