

23<sup>rd</sup> June 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you will hopefully be aware from my previous letter, this year All Saints is celebrating its 50<sup>th</sup> birthday this year and we are marking this in school with a whole school performance in July. Rehearsals are now underway and the children and staff are getting excited about their show! The school is often filled with the sounds of singing from all classes, which is sounding lovely and is something to really look forward to!

#### Performance dates and times

**All children from Reception to Year 6 are involved in the show and, if possible, need to be at both performances which are Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July and Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm.** Please let your child's class teacher know if your child will be unable to perform at one or both of these shows so that they are not given a specific part.

This will be a ticketed event so that we ensure we comply with Health, Safety and Fire regulations, and we will be sending out information about ticket allocation later this term. Due to numbers, parents will only be able to attend one of the two shows.

As is traditional, after the Wednesday performance, Year 6 parents are invited into Class 4 for a short party with their children so it may be wise for those parents to attend the Wednesday performance.

#### Costumes

A letter went out some time ago about costumes but as a reminder, these are the requirement for each class:

Class 1 – 1960s (Mrs Johnstone says that if this is difficult, the children should try to wear yellow)

Class 2 – 1970s

Class 3 – 1980s (although I am aware that Mrs Hodgson has spoken to parents about specific costumes)

Class 4 – 1990s.

As Class 4 children are doing all of the acting, some of these children will also require other bits of costume and if this is necessary, it will be hand-written on this letter. FOAS are also very kindly paying for some other costumes for us.

Costumes will need to be sent into school (and left in school) on Fri 14<sup>th</sup> July for dress rehearsals. Please make sure your child's costume is in a named bag.

We may well be looking for props from some of these bygone times such as transistor radios and Sony Walkmans. I will send out a request for these props over the next few weeks and would be very grateful if anyone could help us with this.

Please see your class teacher regarding any problems with the above.

Many thanks for your continuing support,

Mrs M Davies