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Dear Y6 Parents/Carers

YOUNG VOICES at the O2 ARENA – 18th January 2027

With the residential having taking place, we now turn our attention to Young Voices. In January, St. Peter's will be joining some of our local schools to take part in '**Young Voices'**, a spectacular concert for young people at the **O2 Arena, London.** This will be on **Monday 18th January 2027.**

An exciting programme of songs (and some cool dance moves!) will be rehearsed in Year 6 throughout this term in preparation for the concert, which promises to be an unforgettable experience for children and adults alike.

On the day itself, a coach (*fitted with seatbelts*) has been booked for the children and accompanying staff to travel to the O2 Arena. This will leave school at 11.00am to arrive at the O2 in time for a rehearsal. The concert will be held in the evening, starting at 7.00pm and finishing at approximately 8.45pm. The coach will be parking at the arena for the day in order to bring the children back to school after the concert. All children taking part are expected to travel **both to and from** the O2 Arena on the school coach provided.

The children will need to bring a packed lunch and a packed tea for the afternoon. They will also require extra drinks to have throughout the day - no fizzy drinks or sweets please. Please also ensure that no nut products, or items that include nuts are included in your child's lunch as we do have pupils and staff with severe nut allergies. If you have booked a hot school meal, please remember to cancel it. Children will need to wear their school uniform with smart school shoes and will be given a small torch to use during the performance as part of the concert.

Tickets for the performance in the evening are available to buy for Parents/Carers at a cost of £29.00 each. Please indicate how many tickets you would like on the reply slip on the following page and make separate payment via ParentPay. Parents/Carers buying tickets will need to make their own travel arrangements and will be seated in a different part of the arena to our Y6 children.

Whilst there is no charge for the children to participate in the concert, it will be necessary to ask for a contribution to cover the cost of the school's entry, coach and mini-torch. This will be a voluntary contribution of £31.24 per child. Although the contribution is voluntary, we do need to point out that the travel arrangements cannot take place unless all parents, who are able, are willing to contribute.

We appreciate that some families might find it difficult to contribute all or part of the suggested sum, and if you feel that you are in such a position, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Maurice, our Headteacher, in confidence to discuss whether some suitable arrangements can be made to cover the cost of your child's participation. Please note however that we are unable to help with ticket costs.

Please return the slip below by **Monday 12th October**. We **MUST** receive the permission slip below by this date, so that we can order tickets for you by the required deadline imposed upon us. Ticket requests will not be ordered if we have not received payment. We cannot guarantee that any requests returned after the deadline will be processed. Please contact the office, if you have any difficulty.

Tuesday 19th January '27

Given the lateness of arriving back in Henfield, children who are taking part in the concert and siblings who have tickets to attend, are invited to come into school later than usual on Tuesday 19th January. ALL children should be in by 11.00am. Please indicate on the response part below if your child, and siblings, will be late into school so that we know for registration purposes.

Yours sincerely,

Miss A. Hook /Mrs T. Flood Murphy
Y6 Teachers

(To be returned by Monday 12th October)

CHILD'S NAME:

I give permission for my child _____ Class: _____
to take part in the **'Young Voices Concert'** at the O2 Arena on **Monday 18th January 2027** and to travel on the coach provided by the school. I have made a payment via ParentPay for £31.24p as payment for the schools' entry, travel and mini-torch.

CONCERT TICKETS

I would like to purchase ……. tickets for the performance in the evening - £29.00 each.

TUESDAY 19TH JANUARY 2027

☐ My child - ……, and siblings ……..
will be coming in late on Tuesday 19th January.

Signed: _____ (Parent/Carer)

Date: _____