

19 September 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

Music performance dates autumn term 2018

I am writing to give you advance notice of the various performances and events that the music department will be taking part in this term.

Rotary Music Festival

As always we will be taking part in the Rotary Club Music Festival which will be taking place on Wednesday 7 November starting at 7pm in the Theatre. The event involves performances by local primary schools as well as the **MRC orchestra and choir** and always draws a large audience. Students will need to wear College uniform for this event and there is a charge for tickets.

Winter Concert

Our annual concert will involve performances by **all College music groups**. It will take place on Wednesday 28 November beginning at 7pm in the Theatre. Entry is by a suggested donation of £3.

Tree of Hope

The Tree of Hope is an annual ceremony organised by the Macmillan Cancer Support held at Easebourne Church. This year it will be on Thursday 6 December starting at 6.30pm. We will be holding a rehearsal during Period 6 on that day to prepare. This event only involves a small group of students who will be informed individually.

College Carol Services

Our College carol services take place during the College day and will be taking place on 11 and 12 December at Midhurst Parish Church. The orchestra will be involved during both days, and smaller choral groups for part of the day. Although it is a day time College event, parents of the performers are invited to join us.

We also have some trips in the pipe line and I will be contacting you with dates and availability as they come up.

As we draw closer to each of the events highlighted above I will write to you with more details regarding times and other arrangements. In the meantime if you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at sally.tidbury@mrc-academy.org.

Yours sincerely

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