

AC/CLW

15th September 2013

Dear Parents / Guardians

Whole School Visit to Lincoln Theatre Royal - Jack and the Beanstalk

I am delighted to tell you about a wonderful opportunity for our children. One of our School Development Targets for this year is to develop children's writing, through extending their vocabulary and creating more 'talk for writing' opportunities. One of the ways in which we can approach this, is by promoting drama activities, which build confidence and enable children to express themselves more easily.

With this in mind, together with the opportunity to increase our children's appreciation of Performing Arts and Culture, I have arranged to take the Whole School, to the Lincoln Theatre Royal Pantomime, Jack and the Beanstalk on Monday 15th December. The performance is designed especially for schools and will commence at 11 o'clock and finish at 1 o'clock latest, to include an interval. Children will be able to have snacks and drinks during the performance and will be able to have their lunch there, returning to school at around 2:30. Those in Foundation and KS1 will have a packed lunch provided by Carre's on that day.

The School Council are excited about the role they can play in fundraising for the trip and we are only asking for a small voluntary contribution of £3.50 per child, towards this visit, (to include an ice-cream). This will be collected at a later date.

It is my intention to take the Whole School, including **all staff members**, so that we can cover every eventuality, once we are at the theatre and ensure that the children are safe. For this reason, I would ask that parents check diaries and sign consent forms as soon as possible, so that we are aware, in advance of any provision we need to make for children who might need to remain at school and also to ensure that we do not buy tickets unnecessarily.

I hope that, like us, you see this as an exciting opportunity for the children and more details will follow closer to the time. However if you have any questions regarding the visit, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Mrs A Crawshaw
Headteacher

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I confirm that my child will be available to attend the Pantomime on December 15th and I give my consent for him/her to do so.

Parent/Guardian Name:

Parent/Guardian Signature: Date: