



MALCOLM SARGENT PRIMARY SCHOOL

Love To Learn

26 April 2019

Dear Parents of Y5 Children

YEAR 5 PERFORMANCE – THE EMERALD CROWN

We are starting to prepare for our play which we will perform at the end of this half term. We have allocated roles and we have put together ideas for the costumes for our performances. We would be grateful if you could supply the following for your child, according to their part in the play. We have additional costumes pieces for some children.

All children need to have bare feet apart from the backstage crew. Please make sure all items are named and/or in a named plastic bag or on a hanger for when they come into school. Please can all costumes be in school in preparation for dress rehearsals the week commencing 6 May 2019.

The Emerald Crown	
Pilot	White shirt/black trousers
Stewardess	Smart white blouse/shirt, black trousers or skirt
Ruthless	Suit (or smart trousers/waistcoat)
Maria	Black skirt/white blouse
Trader	Suit (or smart trouser/waistcoat)
Jose (lumberjack)	Black or brown trousers/joggers and t-shirt and a checked shirt
Juan (gaucho)	Black or brown trousers/joggers and a plain shirt
Carlos	Black or brown trousers/joggers and a plain shirt
Toucans	Black top and trousers/joggers
Macaws	Bright top/trousers
Hummingbirds	Brown top and joggers
Lumberjacks	Jeans and a checked shirt
Gauchos/ Construction Gang	Jeans and a plain coloured shirt
Anaconda	Green leotard/green top/leggings
Jaguar	Black top and trousers
Sloth	Grey top and trousers/joggers
Technical Team	Black top and trousers

Y5 Performance of The Emerald Crown – Ticket and Performance Information

With regard to the tickets, each class will perform once to parents, in the evening. As there will be fewer children in the studio overall, we will be able to increase the number of tickets available to parents, to four. Unless we are advised otherwise by separated families, we will automatically issue four tickets which will go home with the child and collecting parent. If you are a separated family and wish two tickets to be sent to each parents, please contact the office. We will have a limited number of spare tickets so if you would like an additional ticket, please advise the office. The office will also keep a waiting list of ticket requests at the office so if any tickets become spare we would be grateful to receive them back. Parents with pre-school children can sit those pre-school children on their knees and will not require an additional ticket.

The performance dates are as follows:

5S Monday 20 May 2019 at 1800

5BC Tuesday 21 May 2019 at 1800

5R Wednesday 22 May 2019 at 1800

The play will last approximately one hour.

The children in Y5 will also be performing to their houses during school time. If your children are in different houses, please mention this to their class teacher so that arrangements can be made to allow siblings to see each other perform.

We are expecting that parking will be difficult for these performances and we would therefore remind you that we have agreements with the Danish Invader pub and the owners of the Empingham Road Playing Fields to use their car parks.

We will be making a collection at the end of each performance. Any money collected will be split equally between the CLIC Sargent for Children with Cancer charity and the Y5 group.

Programmes will be for sale on the evening at 30p each and any money raised will be spent on Y5 equipment and/or books.

We are checking our parental consent lists to ensure that all children have permission to be recorded for a DVD which will be on sale to parents. If you have not given permission, it is possible that the performance will not be able to be recorded. We are able to make alternative arrangements for those children whose parents do not wish their child to be recorded, such as full face masks so that they cannot be identified or making them sound technicians. Class teachers will contact parents directly regarding this if there are any queries.

DVDs will be available for you to buy at £5.00 each. If you would like to buy a DVD please order before 0900 on Friday 24 May 2019. Orders should be made via the Parentmail Payment app. DVDs will be sent home as soon as possible thereafter.

Again, assuming we have your permission to do so, we will take photos of the children dressed in their play costumes for you to buy. Those children whose parents have not yet given permission will be contacted. The photos will be displayed on the hall doors during the performances and order sheets (with envelopes for the order and payment) will be with the photos. Photos will cost £1 each and will be sent home after the performance, but not before half term.

For the evening performance, please drop off your child at his/her fire door by 1715. Collection after the performance will again be from the fire door.

Face paints will be used for some parts so please inform your class teacher direct if your child is allergic to face paint.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely

Mrs P Stenson
Head of Year 5