



# MANOR COURT Community Primary School

*incorporating Manor Court Early Years Centre*

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am excited to announce that at the end of the school year, Manor Court School will present a show at the Guildhall in Chard. The show will be 'An Evening of Song and Dance' and will run on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm. Holding the show at the Guildhall means a larger audience - as many of you are aware, we struggle to accommodate more than two adults per child in our School Hall, even on multiple performances. It also gives the children the experience of performing on stage in a public setting, with professional lighting and sound, as well as being able to show off their talents to the wider community.

The school's Choirs and Dance Clubs will perform throughout both shows, but all year groups are preparing a song to showcase at the event, as well as participating in the Finale. Year 6 will perform a couple of songs from Annie, their leavers' show. Unfortunately due to the capacity of the Guildhall, we cannot fit the whole school in at the same time, so one class from each year group will perform on the Tuesday, and the other on the Thursday. I have tried my best to have as many siblings performing on the same night as possible, although I am sure you will understand that I have not been able to accommodate everyone in this way.

## Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup>

F - Squirrels

1 - Bumblebees

2 - Magpies

3 - Kingfishers

4 - Puffins

5 - Foxes

6 - Otters

## Thursday 11<sup>th</sup>

F - Hedgehogs

1 - Dragonflies

2 - Nightingales

3 - Owls

4 - Eagles

5 - Badgers

6 - Herons

Tickets will be on sale from the Guildhall Box Office in June, at a cost of just £4 for adults and £2 for under 16s, and you will be able to buy as many tickets as you would like. The proceeds from ticket sales will go back into school for Arts experiences (e.g. theatre, music or artist visits) and resources, to benefit all pupils.

We would like as many pupils as possible to participate. If you would like your child to perform, and they are not in Choir or Dance Club, then the only 'costume' you will need to provide is a coloured top. Each year group has been assigned a colour and we would like your child to wear a top in that colour, and then black school shorts, trousers, leggings or PE shorts. The top can be just the one colour and plain, in any shade (e.g. blue could be

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sky blue, turquoise, royal blue, navy etc), be spotty, stripy, patterned or have a motif in that colour. If your child is in Choir or Dance Club, then please consider a cardigan, button-up shirt, waistcoat, jacket or oversized t-shirt in that colour, so it can easily fit over their white t-shirt, and not mess up any beautiful hair do's! If you cannot find a top in the exact colour allocated, your child can wear the colour either side of it on the spectrum (in brackets on the list below).

Foundation – Yellow (green or orange)

Year 1 – Orange (yellow or red)

Year 2 – Red (orange or pink/purple)

Year 3 – Purple (red/pink or blue)

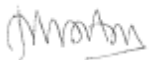
Year 4 – Blue (purple or green)

Year 5 – Green (blue or yellow)

Year 6 – Annie costume

More details, including when tickets go on sale at the Guildhall, will follow soon. If you have any concerns about this event then please do not hesitate to contact me through the school office. Please bear in mind that I only work a day and a half plus a club at Manor Court.

Thank you and I look forward to seeing you in July,



Mrs Morton  
Art Teacher and Dance Club Leader