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Dear Parents,

I am delighted to tell you that as your child has been attending choir club this year, they have been invited to attend and perform in the Thurrock Junior Music Festival on Thursday 11th July. We are so excited and have been working really hard learning all the songs in school. Listed below are the arrangements for both the rehearsals and the performance:

PRELIMINARY REHEARSAL: Thursday 13th June 2024 (9.30 – 11.30 am)

This will be held at St Thomas of Canterbury Primary, Grays.

- We will depart from the school by coach at 9am
- Children will need to take their water bottle with them.

PERFORMANCE DAY REHERSAL: Thursday 11th July 2024

This will be held at the Civic Hall, Grays

- We will again depart from the school by coach at 9am and return before the end of the school day.
- The children will need a **packed lunch** for this rehearsal and a water bottle. If your child is entitled to free school meals, you may request a school packed lunch on the return slip.

PERFORMANCE: Thursday 11th July 2024 - Civic Hall, Grays

- We will respectfully ask that you transport your own child to the venue, Civic Hall, for the evening performance.
- Children will need to arrive at 6.45pm and meet myself in the foyer to be registered, change into their 'Shaw Music T-shirts' and take part in a vocal warm-up.
- Should you have any problems at all, please let myself or the school office know so that we can support you.
- If you are attending the performance, you are welcome to take your child afterwards. However, if you are unable to attend, please arrange transport for your child and let us know.

Tickets are available from the Thameside Theatre Box Office if you wish to purchase tickets.

Please complete the permission slip overleaf and note that an official photographer will be taking photos, which might be published in the local press and on the Thurrock Council website. Please indicate if you **DO NOT** wish your child to be photographed.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Many thanks,

Mrs A. Day

I give permission for my childto attend the rehearsals and the performance at the Junior Music Festival on Thursday 11 th July 2024 at the Civic Hall.
- I am attending the performance and will take my child to and from the venue with me.
- My child is entitled to free school meals and requires a packed lunch.
- I DO NOT WISH MY CHILD TO BE PHOTOGRAPHED.
I authorise a member of staff to approve any medical treatment as necessary, in the case of an emergency, on the advice of a medical practitioner. I have written below any medical conditions which they suffer with, and details of treatment required.
Medical Condition
Treatment
SignedParent/Guardian
Date