

Learning for Life!



Headteacher: **Ms Annemari Ottridge** M.Ed. NPQH NPQEL

26th September 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

Invitation to gauge interest to participate in Hertfordshire Schools' Gala Concert at Royal Albert Hall on Sunday 30th April 2023

We are writing to invite you and your child to take a fantastic opportunity to register your interest in attending the above event and sing at the Royal Albert Hall. This event is due to take place on a Sunday and you would need to make your own way to and from the Royal Albert Hall where members of the Lonsdale staff team will meet you and your child.

Our school will be allocated a performance time of either 1:45pm or 7:45pm. This will be confirmed once registration is accepted.

What Is It?

The 2023 Gala "Give Life to Music" will celebrate the quality and diversity of music making in our primary and secondary schools and network of music centres. A massed choir of primary and secondary singers will be supported by the Hertfordshire Schools' Symphony Orchestra with additional performances by instrumental and dance groups from our secondary schools and winners of the Gala composition, songwriter and rapper competitions.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kiabKSKywKA>

Your child will be taught the songs in school and will be required to attend the rehearsals with Miss Sumner.

Cost:

Pupil cost to participate £12 non-refundable

Tickets for parents range from £12 -£40 and will be available direct from the Royal Albert Hall from January 2023.

Albert Hall Accessibility Information can be found here:

<https://www.royalalberthall.com/plan-your-visit-essential-safety-information/accessibility/accessible-tickets-facilities-and-services/>

Please respond by **Monday 3rd October** to register your child's interest.

Yours Sincerely

Miss Catherine Sumner
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Concert at Royal Albert Hall on Sunday 30th April 2023**

Child's Name: _____ Class: _____

We would like to register our child's interest in attending the Hertfordshire Schools' Gala Concert at the Royal Albert Hall: Sunday 30th April 2021.

We agree to bring our child to the Royal Albert Hall on the day and collect them at the end of the concert.

We understand that we may be required to attend to our child's personal care and medical needs during the event.

Signed: _____

Print Name: _____

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