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SCHOOL PRODUCTION INFORMATION

Dear Parents and Caregivers

The school production Pride and Prejudice is fast approaching with shows on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings 19th-21st September starting promptly at 6.30pm. As you will know the staff, children and support parents have worked very hard putting the production together and we are really looking forward to performing for you.

I would like to share the following information to make the evenings enjoyable for all and your cooperation would be greatly appreciated.

Digital, Props and Costume teams

Students who have been involved in the digital, props, or costumes working groups and who are not required as part of the evening performance are welcome to attend the show free of charge, as long as they are accompanied by a paying caregiver. Please advise the office when booking tickets if you would like to include a complementary seat for your child.

Arrival at School

All of the children will need to be at school by 5.45pm for all three nights; Tuesday 19th, Wednesday 20th and Thursday 21st September. They will get ready for the show in their dressing rooms, perform their part on stage then return to the room until the show is over. If their parent /caregiver **is not** attending the show the children can be collected from these rooms before the end of the production. For safety reasons please do not send family friends or siblings to collect the children. If parents and caregivers are watching the show the children can only be collected at the end of the production which should be approximately 8.30pm. If your child becomes unwell and cannot perform please can you contact your child's teacher as soon as possible.

Production start time

The show will start promptly at 6.30pm and the doors to the hall will be closed as they make a lot of noise when they are opened so please ensure you are in your seats by 6.25pm. Late arrivals will have to wait until the scene changes to come into the hall.

Mobile phones

All cellphones will need to be turned off for the duration of the production. No videoing or photography will be allowed using a phone or camera as this may annoy other patrons and put the children off on stage. The production is being filmed and photographed and copies of these will be available early next term.

School starting times

School will be starting at 9am as usual during production week however if your child needs an extra hour to help get over the later nights we are allowing a 10am start on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings.

Many thanks

Bryce Coleman Principal