

Monday 2nd December 2019

Dear Parents/Legal Guardians,

'Christmas in a day' Class 2 and 3 Concert.

As I mentioned back in July, following the success of our Summer Pop UK projects, Pop UK will be working with our school again on a very exciting 'Christmas in a day' Concert. The project explores the story of Christmas and the children will learn songs specially written to tell that story. The children are asked to come back to the Memorial Hall in full school uniform at 5.45p.m. so that we can position ourselves on stage. Costumes are not needed for the concert.

During the day, the children will learn the 3 songs, teaching them about the different aspects of the Christmas festival and they will also record the songs. At the end of the day there will be a 'mini' concert in the Memorial Hall where the songs will be performed and the children will talk about what they have learnt. This is a great opportunity for them to share with you what they have been doing at school and for you to listen to some amazing songs and singing. MP3's of the children's recording will be available to download for FREE soon after the project ends.

The concert will be held at Whittingham Memorial Hall on Tuesday 10^{th} December at 6pm-7pm and all are welcome. Tickets will not be issued as we are not charging so it may be wise to arrive early to get a seat! Doors will open at 5.30 p.m.

Whittingham C of E Primary School will also be holding a raffle, prizes are appreciated as we use the revenue from this to pay the hall hire costs and also the charge for Pop UK to work with us.

Pop UK is part of Music Plus Trust, an educational charity, who do valuable work around the country. They will be offering items for sale - badges (£1) and wristbands/pencils (£1.50) for sale at the end of the concert. All of this money raised will go back into the charity to help them continue their amazing work.

Thanks for your support with this project.

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