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Dear Parents/Caregivers

The choir will be performing at the *WA Primary Schools' Massed Choir Festival* on Thursday 13 September, 2018. The concert will run from 7.30pm to 9.15pm at the Perth Concert Hall. On the night all choir students will need to wear their red choir uniform t-shirt with a grey skirt, shorts or pants.

Prior to the concert students are required to participate in three rehearsals. The first rehearsal will be at Churchlands Senior High School on **Tuesday 21 August** from 11.30am – 2.45pm and the second on **Tuesday 11 September** from 10.10am to 2.45pm at the Perth Concert Hall. The students will be bussed to and from the rehearsals at Churchlands SHS and the Perth Concert Hall. The third rehearsal will be on the night of the performance from 4.45pm at the Perth Concert Hall. A bus has been booked so that students can travel together to get to the Perth Concert Hall for this rehearsal, meeting at school in the music room by 4.45pm. Students will stay on for the concert which will be held directly after the final rehearsal; parents can then arrive from 7.00pm for the concert, which starts at 7.30pm. It is expected that all students will travel home with their parents after the concert.

The transportation cost by bus for these three trips will be \$23. Please return the *Parent Permission and Payment Form* along with \$23 cash in a sealed and labelled envelope to the locked box in the front office by Friday 17 August. Tickets for parents to attend the performance will be sold on-line directly from the Perth Concert Hall. Tickets will cost \$25 and will go on sale from 10am Monday 13 August. I will remind you prior to the opening date so that you can ensure that you get the best possible seats. Please check your diaries carefully as tickets sold will not be refunded.

In summary,

- Tuesday 21 August: Cluster rehearsal at Churchlands Senior High School, leaving school at 11.30am and returning at approximately 2.45pm. It will be best if all students eat an early lunch during recess and bring a small snack in a throw away container with water to the rehearsal.
- **Tuesday 11 September** rehearsal at the Perth Concert Hall, leaving school at 10.10am and returning at approximately 2.45pm. Students will have a short recess break before leaving on the bus, though will need to bring a drink bottle and lunch in a throw away container to eat during the lunch break.
- Please note: the festival is a **NUT FREE EVENT**; please do not bring food that contains nuts.
- Thursday 13 September: the day of the concert <u>students will need to assemble in the Music Room by 4.45pm, dressed for the concert</u>, with a water bottle and a full stomach (please give students dinner early as there will be no time before the concert to eat). We will rehearse for an hour and a half before the concert on the night. <u>Please note that students will not be transported back to school on the night of the concert</u> and they will need to be picked up by a parent or supervising adult after the concert from the under croft of the hall at approximately 9.15pm. I will be releasing children to their parents. If you are not attending the concert, I will need written permission for another adult to collect your child from me at the end of the concert.

This year's concert will be filmed and a DVD sold afterwards. If you do not give permission for your child to attend, they will not be able to participate in this exciting event.

If you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact me at the school.

Ms Stephanie Bojanich Music Specialist 24 July 2018

Parent Permission and Payment Form for WA MASSED CHOIR FESTIVAL 2018

The cost will be \$23 per student. Please sign and return this permission slip and correct money (if paying cash) to the front office before Friday 17 August 2018.

I have read and understood the information reg Tuesday 21 August, Tuesday 11 September ar child to attend.	_		
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Signed: (Parent/Guardian)		Date:	
Phone Number:			
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