



25 February 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

## **Annie Production**

I am writing to update you on some important information regarding our up and coming Annie Production. With our performance dates fast approaching, we have been hard at work. We have been blown away with how quickly our young actors have learnt lines, lyrics and dance moves! As we approach our final rehearsals, and prepare our props and costumes, we are excited to see a packed, cheering crowd ahead of us. Get ready to be amazed by their incredible performances! We look forward to seeing you there. Listed below are the details for how you can get your hands on 'the greatest tickets in town'.

### **Performance Information and Dates**

On Thursday 26 March and Friday 27 March we will be carrying out technical rehearsals to KS1 and KS2 respectively. The performances will allow all children within the school to see the production but also allow the cast to experience a rehearsal with a live audience.

#### **Monday 30th March 2020**

The official Broadstone First School "Premiere" of Annie.

This performance will be led by Team A (if your child is performing in a particular team they will have received a letter detailing what team they are in. If not they will be performing every night). 100 tickets will be available for this performance. In order for the children to have a real taste of what a premiere involves, we will be laying out our very own red carpet, inviting a selection of local VIP's, requesting that all audience members attend the event in formal evening wear and will also include Canapés and a glass of wine in the ticket cost. This event has kindly been supported by the PTA to whom we are extremely grateful.

#### **Tuesday 31st March 2020**

This performance will be led by Team B. 110 tickets will be available for this performance.

#### **Wednesday 1st April 2020**

This performance will be led by Team A. 110 tickets will be available for this performance.

#### **Thursday 2nd April 2020**

"Finale". This performance will be led by Team B. 110 tickets will be available for this performance.

### **Ticket availability and prices**

#### **Premiere Night**

Tickets are available for our premiere night costing £7.00 per ticket which includes a complimentary glass of wine and Canapés.

For general performances tickets will be available to purchase for £3.50 per ticket.

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To make obtaining tickets fair, the parents of the children in “Annie” will be able to obtain tickets in a 48 hour “pre-sale”, before the remainder of the tickets go on sale. **The pre-sale will begin at 9am on Monday 02 March 2020 and run through until 3.30pm on Tuesday 03 March 2020.** During this time parents of cast members only will be able to obtain no more than 6 tickets per family for any of the four public performances. **All remaining tickets will then go on sale on a first come, first served basis on Thursday 05 February 2020 from 9am.** Our aim is to completely sell out – nothing is worse for a performer than to play to a half full theatre and this also provides us a great opportunity to raise funds for the school that we can plough back into the arts.

Tickets will be on sale from our ‘Box Office’ through the Servedy Window between 9am to 9.30am and 3pm to 3.30pm on the days highlighted above. Please ensure you have the correct money – alternatively cheques should be made payable to Castleman Academy Trust.

We are aware that even with a presale, some of our families may not be able to get to the Box Office due to work commitments. If this is the case, please don’t panic! Attached to this letter is a pre-sale order slip. Please could you indicate which performances you would like to attend (again 6 tickets per family for any of the four public performances) and return to school with the correct money in a sealed envelope. Obviously should the opportunity arise that a particular show sells out during the presale, we will do our best to try and offer you an alternative performance.

**Please note: Any lost tickets will be unable to be replaced, please ensure you keep these safe ready for entry to the performance.**

Kind Regards

*Hayley Winwood*

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Annie – Pre-Sale Ticket Requests for Families of Cast Members only who are **unable to attend the Box Office in person**

Please remember no more than 6 tickets per family can be obtained for any of the four public performances during the pre-sale.

**Pre-Sale Dates: On Monday 02 March 2020 and Tuesday 03 March 2020**

Child’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] Monday 30th March 2020 at 6.00 pm – Premiere at £7.00 per ticket \_\_\_\_\_ No. of ticket(s)

[ ] Tuesday 31th March 2020 at 6.00 pm at £3.50 per ticket \_\_\_\_\_ No. of ticket(s)

[ ] Wednesday 1st April 2020 at 6.00 pm at £3.50 per ticket \_\_\_\_\_ No. of ticket(s)

[ ] Thursday 2nd April 2020 at 6.00 pm at £3.50 per ticket \_\_\_\_\_ No. of ticket(s)

Parent/Carer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_