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Dear Parents and Carers

Thank you all for your support of this year's concert. The children are so excited to perform on the stage this week and the teachers are extremely proud of their efforts and enthusiasm.

They have had the chance to try on their beautiful costumes this week and we are sure you will be delighted with the results. Over 300 costumes have been produced over the last month and this would not be possible without the hard work of PTA volunteers, teachers, support staff, dedicated parents and friends.

We appreciate that some of you may not have experienced a West Park concert in the Pavilion and you may be apprehensive. Please rest assured that the children are highly supervised and cared for throughout the duration of the performance both on stage and back stage. Entertainment and refreshments are provided both back at school and backstage when the younger children are not performing. The early closure allows time for the children to rest up before the big performance with their afternoon mark being given in lieu of the time they will spend performing in the evening.

Arrangements are in place to supervise pupils in school until the end of the matinee if parents and carers are in the audience. At the end of the evening performance the pupils will be dismissed safely directly to parents and carers from the stage. As you can appreciate, the children have to be released in a safe and organised way. This can only be done at the very end of the concert.

On another note, the older pupils need to hear everybody clapping and cheering when they are up on that great big stage giving their all and for this reason we respectfully ask that members of the audience support them by remaining until the end of the concert. Thank you for considering the feelings of the pupils who are performing for you. Let's not forget that our little year 1's will be in year 6 one day and will need a full auditorium to perform to. The finale always leaves the audience full of festive cheer and we look forward to enjoying this with you all.

Enjoy the concert!

Mr I Bird

Headteacher



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