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SOUTHERN STARS: SHOW WEEK

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Dear parents/caregivers,

Show week is fast approaching! With just two weeks to go, quite a number of rehearsals will be coming up – particularly in the last few days that lead up to the performance. Please see below for all of the rehearsal/performance dates and times that will be occurring during Week 6 (Southern Stars' final week).

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EVENT 1: Mass Rehearsal

- Location:** Wollongong Entertainment Centre (WEC)
- Date:** Wednesday the 23rd of August
- Meeting Point:** Market Square Rotunda
- Time:** Drop off at Market Square – 7:45am
Pick up at Market Square – 11:30am (*please be aware that we may run late*)
- Cost:** Nil
- Transport:** Parents will need to provide own transport to and from the event.
- Uniform:** School sports uniform
- What to Bring:** A water bottle, lunch, recess and snacks

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EVENT 2: Technical Rehearsal

- Location:** Wollongong Entertainment Centre (WEC)
- Date:** Thursday the 24th of August
- Meeting Point:** Market Square Rotunda
- Time:** Drop off at Market Square – 8:45am
Pick up at Market Square – 6:30pm (*please be aware that we may run late*)
- Cost:** Nil
- Transport:** Parents will need to provide own transport to and from the event.
- Uniform:** School sports uniform

What to Bring: A water bottle, lunch, recess and snacks. This will be a very long day, so please provide plenty of food! It is also suggested that students bring something quiet with them to help occupy their time between performances (eg. a deck of cards, a book, mindfulness colouring, etc – definitely no devices).

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EVENT 3: Friday Matinee Performance

Location: Wollongong Entertainment Centre (WEC)

Date: Friday the 25th of August

Meeting Point: Market Square Rotunda

Time: Drop off at Market Square – 8:30am
Pick up at Market Square – 1:30pm (*please be aware that we may run late*)

Cost: Nil

Transport: Parents will need to provide own transport to and from the event.

Uniform: Comfortable clothing with covered shoes

What to Bring: A water bottle, lunch, recess and snacks. It is also suggested that students bring something quiet with them to help occupy their time between performances (eg. a deck of cards, a book, mindfulness colouring, etc – definitely no devices).

If possible, we recommend that you take your children home after the performance, as they will be performing again later that night.

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EVENT 4: Friday Evening Performance

Location: Wollongong Entertainment Centre (WEC)

Date: Friday the 25th of August

Meeting Point: Market Square Rotunda

Time: Drop off at Market Square – 6:00pm
Pick up at Market Square – 11:00pm (*please be aware that we may run late*)

Cost: Nil

Transport: Parents will need to provide own transport to and from the event.

Uniform: Comfortable clothing with covered shoes

What to Bring: A water bottle. It is also suggested that students bring something quiet with them to help occupy their time between performances (eg. a deck of cards, a book, mindfulness colouring, etc – definitely no devices).

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EVENT 5: Saturday Matinee AND Evening Performance

These events are combined, as we will have dinner with the students in between performances. Please see below for further details.

Location: Wollongong Entertainment Centre (WEC)

Date: Saturday the 26th of August

Meeting Point: Market Square Rotunda

Time: Drop off at Market Square – 12:30pm
Pick up at Market Square – 11:00pm (*please be aware that we may run late*)

Cost: Nil

Transport: Parents will need to provide own transport to and from the event.

Uniform: Comfortable clothing with covered shoes

What to Bring: A water bottle. It is also suggested that students bring something quiet with them to help occupy their time between performances (eg. a deck of cards, a book, mindfulness colouring, etc – definitely no devices).

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A few last minute notes!

Transport: If you are having trouble organising transport to and from any of these sessions, please come and see us as soon as possible. We may be able to make alternative arrangements.

Costumes: Please send in your child’s home-organised costume pieces into school by Friday the 18th. They will need their white shoes, white socks and blue denim jeans. Label everything!

Hair/Makeup: Girls need to arrive to the technical rehearsal and performances with their hair secured in a low bun. They will also need to have their foundation, eyeliner and mascara already on. Boys must also arrive with foundation on (eyeliner and mascara is optional).

Saturday Performance: As there is only a short break between the matinee and evening performances, we will be keeping the students with us and ordering pizza for dinner. If your child has any food allergies or dietary requirements, please indicate them on the form below.

If you have any further questions, feel free to come and talk to us whenever you like.

Thank you!
Savanna Brule and Laura Shorter

Southern Stars Show Week

I give permission for my child _____ in class _____ to attend the Southern Stars performances/rehearsals on Wednesday the 23rd, Thursday the 24th, Friday the 25th and Saturday the 26th of August. Please be aware of the following medical/dietary conditions:

Signed: _____ Date: _____