



Portsmouth High School

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GIRLS' DAY SCHOOL TRUST

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07 March 2018

Dear Parent

Trip: 'Make More Sail', Guildhall, Guildhall Square, Portsmouth

Date of trip: Wednesday 18 April 2018

Purpose of trip:

Our Chamber Choir have been invited to take part in this special concert at Portsmouth Guildhall in aid of The Lord Mayor's Appeal. We will sing as part of a large choir with two other schools, an adult choir and soloists. We are performing an oratorio entitled 'Make More Sail', based on the history of HMS Victory and the Battle of Trafalgar.

Travel: Pupils will be transported to the Guildhall in a school minibus for a rehearsal on the day but will need to make their own way to meet staff in the Guildhall Square in the evening.

Venue: Portsmouth Guildhall, Guildhall Square

Trip Leader: Mrs B Hill

Details of activities:

The rehearsal will take place during the afternoon. The concert will start at 6.30pm and will last for approximately one and a quarter hours. Your daughter will need to meet our staff in the Guildhall Square by the statue of Queen Victoria at 5.50pm and you will be able to collect your daughter from the same place at the end of the concert at approximately 8.00pm. The girls will need to wear their school uniform, including blazers, for this concert.

Other items to note:

If your daughter is able to perform in the concert, you can order tickets from the Portsmouth Guildhall ticket office at a discounted price of £7.50 until **Saturday 31 March**. Please use the password **SCHOOL** to receive the discount. Tickets will revert to their full price of £10 per person on Sunday 1 April. The box office will be open on the evening of the concert.



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Portsmouth Guildhall Box Office details are as follows:

Telephone booking line: 0844 847 2362

<http://portsmouthguildhall.org.uk/whats-on/massed-choir-extravaganza>

Visit the Guildhall box office in person

Please complete the reply slip below and return it to Mrs Hill by **Friday 23 March 2018**.

This visit is covered by the Annual Educational Visits Medical Information/Consent Form. Please notify the school immediately if there are any changes to your contact/emergency contact details or medical information, or if you do not wish your daughter to participate in any of the stated activities.

Please address any questions regarding this trip to the Mrs Hill at Dovercourt.

Yours sincerely

Mrs B Hill
Director of Music

'Make More Sail'- Wednesday 18th March 2018

My daughter Class

Will be delighted/unfortunately is unable* to perform in 'Make More Sail'.

*Delete as appropriate

I will take and collect my daughter from the Guildhall in the evening.

Signed