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Dear Parent/Carer 27<sup>th</sup> November 2025

## **Re: Christmas Performance Ticket Allocations**

I am writing to invite you all to come along to watch our Christmas performances. This year there will be two separate performances as follows:

Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	2.00pm	Opal, Amethyst & Sapphire
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	2.00pm and then repeated at 5.30pm	Ruby, Emerald and Diamond

Due to fire regulations, we are only allowed a limited number of people in the school hall at any one time and therefore we are allocating 2 tickets per family and then we will make additional tickets available once initial tickets are purchased. Babies who are in a pushchair and can sit on an adult knee can attend at no additional cost.

The price of tickets is £2.50 each but in line with our Poverty Proofing Plan, if anyone cannot afford this amount, please let me know and we will do our best to support you.

At each performance, The Friends of Stanhope Barrington will be selling raffle tickets for our Christmas hampers and all proceeds will go to the PTA fund to subsidise school trips and visits. There will also be refreshments and mince pies available.

Please choose and pay for your tickets on parent pay by Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December. For the KS2 performance there will be an option to select the afternoon or evening performance. Once payment has been made the tickets will be issued. A text message will be sent on the 10<sup>th</sup> of December with information of how you can purchase a further 2 tickets, on a first come first serve basis.

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For the KS2 the second performance begins at 5.30pm. Therefore, the children will remain in school and should bring a packed tea with them so that they have something to eat and can get changed and prepared before the performance.

The KS2 performance lasts approximately an hour and therefore if you are unable to attend but need to collect your child, please pick them up from the yard at approximately 6.45pm. If you have signed a Walk Home Agreement your child will be allowed to walk home once the performance is over and they have been changed.

We are offering free childcare for any child who is not in a pushchair and who you might need childcare for during the Key Stage Two performance at 5:30pm. You need to book this via the school office as soon as possible please.

Our children and staff are working really hard to produce some amazing Christmas performances and we can't wait for you to see them. Thank you so much in advance for your support for our children and staff.

Yours sincerely

Mrs D Cross

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