

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Choir of the Year 2012: Round 1

You may be aware that the Beaumont Vocal Ensemble has entered Choir of the Year 2012 and will be taking part in Round 1 at the Milton Keynes Theatre on **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2012**. The students will perform as part of a live audition process in front of expert judges and will receive some public feedback, as well as full written feedback. The session starts at 9am and finishes at 1.40pm (with breaks) - choirs are expected to stay for the duration of the session. I am sure you will agree that this is a great experience for the students.

The Vocal Ensemble will travel up to Milton Keynes by coach. Students should meet at the Central Drive shops at 7.15am. We should arrive home (back to Central Drive) by 3.30pm on the same afternoon. Students should bring a packed lunch and ensure that they have packed their uniform and music. There may be local places open for snacks but there will not be a long period of time in which students can find something substantial.

This is a public event and you may wish to come and support us. Tickets for the morning session are £10 (£7 concessions) and are available online from here <http://www.atgtickets.com/Choir-of-the-Year-Tickets/5/2033/#showinfotabs=overview,access,showtimes>, or from the Box Office on 0844 871 7627.

I would be grateful if you could complete the slip below giving your son or daughter permission to take part.

For your information, if we make it through, the Category Final will take place in Manchester's Bridgewater Hall on **6<sup>th</sup> October 2012** and the grand final is on **28<sup>th</sup> October 2012** in the Royal Festival Hall. Fingers crossed!

Yours

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**To be returned to the Finance Office by Friday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2012**

Student's name:.....

Form:.....

- I give permission for my son/daughter take part in Choir of the Year on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2012
- I agree to his/her taking part in the activities described. I also consent to any emergency medical treatment, including the use of anaesthetics, necessary during the course of the journey. I understand that for the school's insurance policy to cover any pre-existing medical condition, I must provide a letter from my GP stating my son/daughter is fit to travel.
- Emergency contact/medical details. Please tick either box A or B.
- A  I confirm that all details held by the school on the gold form concerning emergency contact telephone numbers and/or medical conditions affecting my son/daughter are correct, or that I have already notified the school of any changes.  
B  Please note the following change(s) to the above details, which is/are  for this visit only  permanent.

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Signed .....Father/Mother/Legal Guardian

Date .....