### THE BRITISH INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

Puxi, Shanghai



14 November 2013

#### **RE: CHRISTMAS CONCERT PERFORMERS**

Dear Parents / Guardians,

We would like to invite all students who have been participating in our lunchtime and afterschool music ECAs to perform in our **Christmas Concert** on **Friday 6 December 6pm-7:30pm.** Please note this is for our ensembles only and not soloists. The concert will feature performances from our choirs, orchestra, string ensemble, jazz band and many more.

The concert will take place in the secondary auditorium. Students must wear concert uniform. This consists of **black trousers**, **black socks and black shoes**. The school will provide the concert shirts and ties.

Parents, friends and family are welcome to attend. Ticket order forms have been sent home separately. Please note that performers do not require a ticket as they will watch the concert via video link from the classrooms in the secondary building. There will also be pre-concert drinks on sale in the foyer by the PTA from 5:30pm onwards.

As it may be difficult for some students to go home and return in time for the concert, we will be providing supervision for performers after school. Students may bring their own packed meal or pre-order a school packed meal (26RMB, charged to your child's lunch card). Please see the details below. Supervised students will not be allowed to leave the school grounds.

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3:30 – 4:45pm – supervision in the primary theatre/play area
4:45 – 5:15pm – Sleto dinner bag or students may provide their own packed dinner
5:15 – 5:45pm – change into concert uniform and move to the secondary English classrooms
5:45 – 6:00pm – all students ready to perform with music, instruments and uniform
6:00- 7:15pm – concert
7:15 – 7:30pm – tidy up
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If you would prefer your child to go home before the concert, they need to return to the secondary English department (room 205) by 5:30pm, in performance uniform with their music and instrument.

Please note that each performer will need to organise their own transport home after the concert ends at approximately 7:15pm.

If your son/daughter would like to perform in the concert, please ensure that they have the correct uniform and complete the permission slip below. Please return this to primary or secondary reception by Wednesday 20 November.

Kind regards,

Music Department music@bisspuxi.com

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REPLY SLIP: CHRISTMAS CONCERT PERFORMERS FRIDAY 6 DECEMBER Please complete and return to either the Primary or Secondary reception desk, FAO Music. Please tick the relevant boxes: I would like my son/daughter to stay at school before the concert  ${\bf OR}$ My son/daughter will make their own way to the concert for 5:30pm If staying at school: I will provide a packed meal for my son/daughter **OR** I would like to order the school packed meal: Chicken Cheese Ham Ensemble: Please circle the ensemble(s) your child is involved with: KS<sub>2</sub> Choir Junior Strings Senior Strings KS<sub>3</sub> Choir Jazz Band KS<sub>2</sub> Rock Bands CASIA Choir Concert Band KS<sub>3</sub>/<sub>4</sub> Rock Bands Please complete your contact details. Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class/Form \_\_\_\_\_ Parent's Name Contact telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

By signing the form, you give permission for your child to perform in the concert.

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### **CONCERT UNIFORM**



The performance uniform in full.





Formal black trousers