

WA Government Schools Music Society (WAGSMS) Crown Theatre Concert Series 2021

Dear Parents,

The Burrendah Primary School Chamber Strings Ensemble will be performing at the very prestigious WA Government Schools Music Society (WAGSMS) Concert Series at the Crown Theatre Burswood on **Wednesday 11th August 2021**. This is the perfect opportunity for our students to showcase their talents and to observe what other schools are doing with their music programs. The children will be performing in an evening concert along with 10 other schools from WA.

DAY EXCURSION TO CROWN THEATRE - Rehearsal

The students will be rehearsing at Crown Theatre on Wednesday 11th August from 11:00am – 12:00noon. The bus will be leaving Burrendah Primary School at 10:00am and we should be returning to school by 12:30pm.

What to Bring: Students will need to bring their instruments and a sealed Plastic water bottle (with their name clearly labelled).

Please ensure your child has eaten a substantial breakfast on this morning before leaving on the bus. We will have lunch on return.

Dress for Rehearsal: All students MUST be in **full school uniform** and are encouraged to wear their leavers' shirts for the rehearsal.

To assist with costs of transportation to Crown Perth, *the school is subsidising the cost by* 50%. Cost per student for transportation is \$10.00 each.

7:00pm EVENING PERFORMANCE

Students are required to be at Crown Theatre no later than 6:30pm.

Parents are expected to transport their children to the Crown Theatre and back home after the concert. Please ensure your child has eaten a substantial dinner before arriving at the theatre.

What to Bring:

• Students will need to bring their instruments and a sealed Plastic water bottle (with their name clearly labelled).

Dress for the Performance:

- All students will be required to wear the **black Choir Uniforms** consisting of long black pants (boys and girls) and a black Burrendah Music Shirt (both supplied by school).
- Boys will also be supplied with a white tie.
- Girls are asked to wear visible white hair ties/ribbons in their hair that can be seen from the front as it will provide a contrast to the black.
- Completely Black closed in shoes and black socks NO SANDALS.
- School jumper or jacket.



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Meeting Point at 6:30pm: Crown Theatre has two foyers on the East and West sides of the theatre. Both can be accessed from the front of the theatre. Our **Meeting Point** is **Number 6** in the West Foyer (please see map attached). This meeting point is the location where you leave your children before the concert and collect them after the concert and is our item number in the program.

The concert will start at 7:00pm and will aim to finish at 10:00pm. The upstairs circle is carefully managed by the Crown staff. They have an *iron clad rule that no child can leave the area unless accompanied by a teacher.* Parents cannot arrive upstairs to remove their children. The only way for a parent to collect a child early is to make prior arrangements with the school. Even then they must meet with the teacher at the school meeting point.

Please Note: As members of the Chamber Strings Ensemble ALL CHILDREN are expected to participate in this prestigious event showcasing the excellence of music in our government primary schools. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries.

For more information about this event, please visit <u>https://www.wagsms.org.au/</u>

Tickets are now on sale for this event through Ticket Master and are priced at \$30 a ticket:

Online: <u>www.ticketmaster.com.au</u> (Search for Schools Make Music) Phone: Ticketmaster on 136100 (call centre opening hours Mon - Sat 7am - 6pm) In Person: Crown Theatre Box Office between 9am-5pm Monday – Friday

NB: There are 4 Concert nights - Please ensure you purchase tickets for the correct evening – Wednesday 11th August

https://www.ticketmaster.com.au/schools-make-music-burswood-11-08-2021/event/25005AB987550BBF

[Please note for online, phone or mobile bookings there will still be the 1.95% credit cart fee will be charged at the time of purchase. A handling fee of \$8.35 will also apply per transaction (not per ticket). To avoid these fees, we suggest you purchase your tickets in person at the Crown Theatre box office. Parents/Schools can organise a group booking to assist with the cost of the handling fee. There are both free and paid options for ticket delivery.]

PERMISSION FORM, STUDENT UPDATE FORM AND BUS MONEY IS REQUIRED BACK AT SCHOOL BY Monday 9th August 2021.

The Chamber Strings Ensemble have been working extremely hard to learn two challenging works for this festival throughout our weekly rehearsals and they are very excited about participating in this event.

Thank you once again for your support.

Kind regards,

Ms Jenny Coleman Music Specialist Jennifer.coleman@education.wa.edu.au

29th July 2021



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WAGSMS Crown Theatre Concert Wednesday 11th August 2021

Chamber Strings Ensemble Consent Form Return by Friday 6th August to Reception

Please return this form along with your child's student update form and bus money.

I have read and understood the information regarding the WAGSMS excursion and evening performance at the Crown Theatre Burswood on Wednesday the 11th of August 2021.

I give my consent for my son/daughter _____ Room # _____ to attend.

I am aware that I am responsible for transporting my child to and from the evening performance at Crown Theatre.

Where it is not practical to communicate with me, I authorise the teacher/s in charge of the performance to consent to my child receiving such medical treatment as may be considered necessary. I am aware that the Education Department insurance does not cover personal accidents through misadventure nor loss of damage of personal belongings.

□ \$10.00 payment for transportation

□ Permission Slip

□ Student Update Form

| Signature: | Date: |
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