



HECKMONDWIKE
GRAMMAR SCHOOL

GDC/LMS

3 May 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

MUSIC & DRAMA EVENTS – SUMMER TERM

I am pleased to announce the following events from the Music and Drama department during the Summer Term. As always, we have a very busy term ahead and your support will be very much appreciated.

Thursday 11 May at 7pm - Spring Showcase Concert - HGS Swann Hall

- Our concert will feature performances from many of our musical ensembles including the Concert Band, Junior Choir, Senior Choir, Soul Band, Senior Girls Chamber Choir, String Group and Percussion Group. Tickets are **priced at £5** each with details on how to purchase on page 2 of this letter.

NB - Dress code for musicians is smart all black.

- Booking open now

Tuesday 23 May at 7pm – The Railway Children – HGS Hutton Drama Studio

- Our Youth Theatre group are proud to present a production of 'The Railway Children'. Over 100 students have attended our Youth Theatre sessions this year and we have now finalised our selected cast. We're looking forward to seeing what our team of Design students come up with in their planning of all the show's Costumes, Set and Lights and we hope you come along to see all the great work they're putting into the production! Tickets are **priced at £5** each with details on how to purchase on page 2 of this letter.

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Soul Band – 125 Anniversary Performance – 1 July, approximately 12pm – HGS

- As part of the 125 Anniversary celebrations our Soul Band have been asked to provide a short concert. This will be about an hour over the lunchtime period, approximately 12pm-1pm or thereabouts.

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School Production – The Addams Family – Mon 10, Tue 11, Wed 12 July at 7pm. HGS Swann Hall

- This year our whole school production is the musical comedy The Addams Family. The cast have been rehearsing since January, the set is booked and the production is intensifying this term. There will be three evening performances in July on **Monday 10, Tuesday 11** and **Wednesday 12** each starting at 7pm. Details of how to purchase tickets will be released later this term (numbered seating). *Please note there will be numerous dress rehearsals for the cast and crew before these dates, both after school and during the day on Sunday 2nd July and Sunday 9th July. Full details have been shared with the students on their Teams page.*

Monday 18 and 19 of July – House Music 2022 - daytime (internal school event)

- Our House Music competition will again take place at the end of term. All HGS students can participate as soloists or in groups. Entry details will be announced early next half-term.

Tickets for the following 2 events are on sale now.

- **Tickets for the Spring Showcase Concert – Thursday 11 May at 7pm**
 - Please request tickets on the link below. ParentPay will then show the correct amount shortly afterwards.
<https://heckmondwikegrammar.schoolcloud.co.uk/>
 - *The link closes on Thursday 11 May at 1pm.*
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If there are any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at school.

Yours sincerely



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