

September 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

**Expressive Arts Faculty trip to: Treasure Island at the Barn Theatre Cirencester  
On Wednesday 6th December 2023.**

The Expressive Arts Faculty would like to offer an exciting opportunity for your child to take part in a visit to the Barn Theatre, Cirencester to watch Treasure Island.

Alan Pollock returns to the Barn for another Christmas special! Robert Louis Stevenson's classic story is brought to life in a festive twist of fun, foot tapping mayhem and sea shanties galore! The Barn's Christmas extravaganza will be a rip-roaring thrilling feast of swaggering pirates, X marks the spot, a chattering parrot, mutiny on the high seas and pieces of eight "Yo-ho-ho and a bottle of rum" style. The perfect Christmas treat for all the family. Pirates of the Caribbean meets Fishermen's Friends.

The production will take place at the Barn Theatre on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2023. We will leave school at 10.00am and return to school at approximately 2.00pm. We will be walking down to the Theatre from school and back again. The number of places is limited to 123. Should the trip be over-subscribed, places will be allocated on a "names out of hat" basis. Please note that with any trip of this type, should any student's behaviour, attendance or work cause concern, we reserve the right to exclude them from the trip.

If you would like your child to go on this trip, please complete the slip below and return it to the Finance Office **by the end of the school day on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2023**. This is a strict deadline and cannot be extended. There is also the option to reply using the following email address [replies@cirencesterkingshill.gloucs.sch.uk](mailto:replies@cirencesterkingshill.gloucs.sch.uk) giving the details of the trip plus your name and your child's name and tutor group.

The cost of the ticket will be no more than £18.50 and if your child secures a place, payment will need to be made **by Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2023**, using our on-line ParentmailPMX facility. This price is based on 100 students attending and should more pupils attend the price may decrease. A letter confirming whether your child has a place will be sent home by Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2023, along with a medical consent form that will also need to be returned to the Finance Office **by Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2023**. **Please do not make payment at this stage.**

I appreciate that this is a very quick turnaround, however please note that as with all our theatre trips, we have a payment deadline to adhere to which is given to us by the theatre. If we do not receive student payments on time to be able to make payment to the theatre, the trip may face cancellation.

Yours sincerely,

Ms E. Stones  
Head of Expressive Arts

**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO THE FINANCE OFFICE  
BY FRIDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023**

I give permission for my son/daughter:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Tutor Group \_\_\_\_\_

to take part in the trip to see Treasure Island on Wednesday 6th December 2023.

I agree to pay no more than £18.50 to the School by Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2023 if my child is allocated a place on the trip.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Person with Parental Responsibility)

PLEASE PRINT YOUR NAME HERE: \_\_\_\_\_

**DO NOT SEND ANY MONEY UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**