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SOUTHERN STARS DANCE GROUP & CHOIR 2021

PARENT INFORMATION and STUDENT EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are pleased to advise that we are seeking students to participate in both **Dance OR Choir** at this year's Southern Stars Performance. We are offering students in **Years 3 – 6** the opportunity to be part of this fun and exciting event. If your child is interested in participating in EITHER Dance OR Choir, we require you to complete the attached Expression of Interest and return it to school by Friday 19 March 2021.

Participation in Southern Stars is a huge commitment from both students and parents as there are many rehearsals and additional costs involved.

Performance Dates: Friday 20 and Saturday 21 August 2021

NB: If COVID restrictions are in place on 20 and 21 August 2021 and the show is unable to proceed safely, an alternative date for the performances is 5 and 6 November 2021.

All tickets, student and school participation fees etc will be transferable to this date.

Rehearsals and Show Week:

- Rehearsals at school level will begin during Term 2. There will be multiple combined rehearsals with other schools in the lead up to show week. During show week students will need to be available on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday for mass rehearsals and the performances (August 18 – 21st).

Costs involved:

- Participation fee and Southern Stars T-shirt: \$50.00 (required by all performers)
- Costumes & Props: This cost will be confirmed once costumes have been decided, however all Effort is made to keep the cost as close to \$60 per student.
- Transport to and from rehearsals: – this will depend on the number of rehearsals required. These costs may be reduced if we can split costs with other schools involved.

NOTE: Parents will be required to transport their child to and from the WIN Entertainment Centre on the performance days.

If you have any enquiries, please feel free to contact us via the school phone number.

Please return the expression of interest form to the office by Friday 19 March 2021.

We are only able to have a maximum of 30 students involved in each group, so please return your note as soon as possible to secure your place. Priority will be given to Stage 3 students if more than 30 applications are received.

We are looking forward to a fantastic and COVID Safe Southern Stars experience in 2021!

Ms Wyman and Mrs Ruscica
2021 Southern Stars Coordinators



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STUDENT EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Please return to the school office by Friday, 19 March 2021.

I would like my child _____ of class _____ to participate in:

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Southern Stars Dance Group

OR

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Southern Stars Choir

I have read the current information available regarding parent and student commitment and I am aware that this may change once details are finalised.

Parent/Carer Name: _____

Parent/Carer Signature: _____

Date: _____