



November 2019

Dear Parents/Carers,

Christmas Carol Concert, Ely Cathedral

We are writing to inform you of the details of our Carol Concert to be held on **Wednesday 11 December at 7.15pm**. The concert will be transmitted on plasma screens throughout the Cathedral to enable everyone to follow more easily. The concert will feature choirs, orchestra, soloists, instrumental ensembles and the inclusion of well-known carols. We have staged these concerts in the Cathedral for 20 years and the standard of musicianship achieved by our ensembles has been superb.

It has now become a tradition to invite parents and past students of the College to enhance our orchestra. If you would like to join in the orchestra please complete the slip at the end of the letter or contact me on 01353 724100 ext. 238 or by email at gerry@soham-college.org.uk

This year, there is again an additional opportunity to become a member of Soham Community Choir which will perform as part of this year's Carol Concert. Rehearsals are on Tuesday evenings from **7.00pm** in the Performing Arts Centre, beginning on Tuesday 12 November.

All Year 7 students have been learning songs to perform at the concert as part of the Music curriculum. The students have been working very hard and are playing an integral part in the concert. Full attendance would be appreciated and, therefore, we do hope that as many students as possible will be able to attend. Students performing in the concert will not need to purchase a ticket.

Tickets cost £8.00 each and can be purchased online from www.ticketsource.co.uk/sohamvc from Monday 11 November. You will be able to print your own tickets this way. If you require assistance in purchasing tickets or are unable to order these online for any reason then please email boxoffice@soham-college.org.uk or contact the finance office. All seating is unreserved so arrive early for the best choice but please note there is strictly no entry to the Cathedral until 6:30pm. **We recommend that tickets are purchased as soon as possible to avoid disappointment – this is a popular annual concert.** Due to the popularity of this concert, we would ask that **no more than 8 tickets** are purchased per family. If you require more then please contact the box office who may be able to help you. Refreshments will not be available so please do bring along a flask of something warm if you wish to.

Yours sincerely,

Gemma Perry
Director of Music
Staploe Education Trust

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To: Miss Perry, PAC Office

I / We would like to play _____ (instrument) with the orchestra

Name(s) _____

Contact Number _____



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