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Dear Parents.

Save the dates!

Our fantastic chamber choir have again been working hard and impressing people both locally and further afield. Their hard work has led to two exciting invitations for the choir.

Friday 6th July – Paddocks Canvey

Due to the success of last year, we have again been invited to perform at a special concert with the Canvey Island Community Choir at the Paddocks on **Friday 6th July at 7.30pm**. There will be a rehearsal in school for the choir on Wednesday 4th July. It is not essential for the children to be at this rehearsal but it would be useful. We will provide refreshments for them between school and rehearsing.

The event is being run by The Canvey Community Choir and they have invited the Northwick Park Chamber Choir and the Canvey Island Boys' Choir to perform with them. Each group will sing on their own but we will also be performing some songs as a massed choir across the three groups. I hope that this will be inspirational for both the adults and the children. The music in the concert has been specially chosen to show a range of musical styles and it should be a really entertaining evening. Tickets will be £5 each and will be available, along with more details, nearer the time.

This will be a really lovely opportunity for the boys to perform with an adult choir and to show the quality of their singing as well as to hear the other groups performing.

400 Year Celebration of the Dutch Cottage Sunday 2nd September – 1.45 – 2.45pm

Benfleet and District Historical Society are hosting a public event on the weekend of 1-2nd September 2018 to celebrate the 400 Year Anniversary of the Dutch Cottage at the Dutch Cottage Museum and the area outside. The event is being attended by local, national and international (Dutch!) dignitaries and our choir has been asked to perform. As this event falls in the summer holiday, I am asking children from Chamber choir and the Year 2 choir if they would be able to attend.

Please would you return the reply slip below to say which event/s your child can attend. I understand that plans may change between now and the events, but we need a rough idea of numbers. If you know your child cannot attend any event, please do let me know as it is important for planning. Thank you.

I have added a tick box for film and photographic consent to comply with the new GDPR rules. Please feel free to discuss this with Miss Goldsmith if you would like any clarification on this.	
Yours sincerely,	
Miss S. Goldsmith	
<u>Chamber Choir</u>	Please return to Miss Goldsmith
Name	Class
At this stage my child is able/unable to attend the concert on Friday 6 th in the evening at the Paddocks.	July
Able to attend rehearsals after school on Wednesday 4 th July.	
Able to attend the 400 Years celebration of the Dutch Cottage in the aft 2 nd September.	ernoon of
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