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**Brighstone C.E. Aided**

**Primary School**

**Wednesday 21.11.23**

**Whole School Visit to ‘Hook: The Further Adventures of Peter Pan’ at The King’s Theatre, Portsmouth**

Dear parents and carers,

As part of our Christmas festivities, we have planned a whole school trip to watch ‘Hook: The Further Adventures of Peter Pan’ pantomime at The King’s Theatre, in Portsmouth. This is a very exciting opportunity for the children to enjoy a fun pantomime and to further develop their cultural capital.

**Date:** Thursday 7th December 2023

**Time:** We will be leaving school at 7.45am and returning to school at 4pm approximately. Please arrive at school no later than 7.30am (via the usual classroom doors) so we can register each class.

**Cost:** The cost of the trip would have been £30 per child (to include the coach, the Hovercraft from Ryde to Portsmouth, and the pantomime), but thanks to a very generous contribution from the BSA we are able to reduce the cost to parents to a voluntary contribution of **£22.72** per child.

No child will be excluded from this trip due to inability to pay, but if insufficient funds are received, the trip may not be able to go ahead. Please speak to the school if finances are of a concern. Payments can be made in instalments.

Your child will need:

* Their school uniform, suitable shoes, a warm, waterproof coat, hat and scarf as we will be walking to and from the theatre from the Hovercraft.
* A packed lunch in a named rucksack. ***Even if your child is having a school packed lunch, please bring a rucksack to carry it in.***
* A water bottle ***(even if your child is having a school packed lunch, they will still need to bring a water bottle as a drink is not provided).***

For Reception and KS1, the school is able to provide a school packed lunch as part of the Universal Free School Meals programme. If your child would prefer to bring their own, please indicate this on the form below.

For KS2, if your child would like the school to provide a packed lunch, please indicate on the form below. The cost of this will be £2.90 (unless your child is in receipt of free school meals).

Please could you complete and return the reply slip below by: **Wednesday 29th December 2023**

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Rebecca Lennon

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I do / do not give permission for my child ………………………………. to go to the theatre on **Thursday 7th December 2023**. I enclose **£22.72** towards the cost of the trip / I am paying in instalments / I have paid online (delete as appropriate).

***(Tick as appropriate)***

My child would like a school packed lunch

***Please circle which filling they would like*** ham / cheese / tuna

My child is providing their own packed lunch

Signed…………………………………………………