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Dear Parent,

OSWESTRY MUSIC FESTIVAL

I am writing with details of Oswestry Music Festival which will take place from 2^{nd} - 6^{th} March. The deadline for entries processed here at the College will be next Wednesday (19^{th} January) by Mr Whitley, who will lead on logistics for the Festival including transportation from Wednesday 2^{nd} - Friday 4^{th} March.

The cost of entries is as follows and these will be processed as charges on the school bill:

Solo Entry £6

Duet Entry £8

Ensembles £12 – please note that the college will cover the cost of entries for the choirs, musical theatre ensembles and orchestral groups

Oswestry Music Festival provides an excellent opportunity for students to showcase their skills in public and receive valuable feedback. Instrumental and vocal teachers will discuss entries with students and prepare them in advance of their class. Traditionally there is no admission charge for family and friends to watch the classes and I would encourage you to do so if possible as I know the students enjoy performing for an audience - hopefully this will be possible when we get to March. Here is a link to the Festival syllabus:

https://www.oswestry-tc.gov.uk/fileadmin/resources/oswestryTC/youth-music-festival/2022 OYMF Syllabus 03.docx

I am anticipating that Musical Theatre Ensembles will take place late afternoon on Wednesday 2nd March and that Choirs and Orchestral Ensembles will take place on Friday 4th March in the afternoon.

In the meantime, I wish you a Happy New Year and my thanks for your continuing support of music throughout the college.

Yours sincerely,

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