

March 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

Please be aware that the deadline for **full payment of £515.00** for the Italy steel band trip is **Friday 28 April 2017**. If you have already paid both instalments as requested (£50 deposit and £200 instalment), then the remaining £265 will be the amount outstanding. I am awaiting final tour information from the travel company before I organise a parents'/students' information meeting, but I expect to hold this approximately 4 weeks before our departure.

At this point, please can I ask you to check passport and European Health Card expiry dates. We do not travel under a group passport; each individual will be responsible for their own and as the UK is currently still a member of the EU, health cards are necessary for the trip.

The following concerts are confirmed and are **all** fundraisers for the Italy trip. Therefore, I am asking for everyone's participation in the concerts listed below. I would be extremely grateful if you could support these events.

Wednesday 26 April 2017 - Heanor Gate Steel Band Concert Night. Tickets £4 for adults, £3 for concessions (on sale soon).

Please note – this is the biggest fundraising event, all help will be gratefully received!

Saturday June 17 2017 - Mundy School horticultural show – 12noon-4pm (Thursday band).

Saturday 1 July 2017 - Elvaston Steam Rally – 1pm-5pm (Monday band).

Sunday 2 July 2017 - Elvaston Steam Rally – 1pm-5pm (Friday band).

Sunday 2 July 2017 - Warsop Carnival (Monday band).

Friday 7 July 2017 - Chilwell primary picnic 4pm-8pm (Monday band).

Saturday 8 July 2017 - Ripley Hospital 11pm-4pm (Friday band).

Sunday 9 July 2017 - Busking (venue to be confirmed) 10am-4pm (Monday & Friday bands).

I will inform you of any changes, should there be any, as soon as I can.

Saturday 15 July 2017-22 July 2017 – **Italy** (Monday & Friday bands).

If you need to contact me please use my school email ncoker@heanorgate.derbyshire.sch.uk or school number 01773 716396 extension 292.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely

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Music Teacher/Trip Leader