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Chief Education Officer and Head of Education: Linda McAulay-Griffiths

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Our Ref: JC/Spring Date: 16th December 2022

Dear Parent/Guardian,

EAST AYRSHIRE SCHOOLS' CHOIR SPRING CONCERT – TUESDAY 14TH MARCH 2023

Your child is invited to become a member of the above group. Members of this group may also be involved in a second group, the details for these will be available separately.

Please note that members are expected to attend all rehearsals and the concert as detailed below:

Friday 27th January 3:30pm – 6:30pm Friday 17th February 3:30pm – 6:30pm Friday 3rd March 3:30 – 6:30pm Friday 3rd February 3:30pm – 6:30pm Friday 24th February 3:30pm – 6:30pm Friday 10th March 3:30 – 6:30pm

Rehearsals will be held in **Kilmarnock Academy, William McIlvanney Campus.** There will breaks given during the rehearsal and snacks and water should be brought. Should your child have any allergic reactions to food please let me know as soon as possible at the email address above.

All pupils should be picked up at the end of rehearsals from Kilmarnock Academy by 6:30pm

Each Music Department will be advised of pick-up times for rehearsals and concert as applicable.

PRE-CONCERT REHEARSAL: Tuesday **afternoon** 14th March in the Grand Hall, Kilmarnock (time to be confirmed).

SPRING CONCERT: Tuesday 14th March at 7:00pm in the Grand Hall, Kilmarnock.

Return transport to the rehearsals will be provided from Robert Burns Academy, Doon Academy and Loudoun Academy. If transport is required, please include this in the sign-up consent form. While Friday is often an early day for schools as the rehearsal starts at 3:30pm there should be sufficient time for pupils from Kilmarnock schools to make their own way to Kilmarnock Academy. Kilmarnock, Grange and St. Joseph's pupils will be required to arrange their own transport home after the rehearsals.

On the day of the concert, transport will be provided from **all** secondary schools to the Grand Hall. Return transport will only be provided to: Robert Burns, Doon, Loudoun and Stewarton Academies. There will be more details provided nearer to the time to ascertain transport numbers.

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Please complete the application form here: <u>https://forms.office.com/e/jt4zq0XLDD</u>



Or through the QR code:

We look forward to receiving your application.

Many thanks

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