

Re: Charity Music Event

Friday 13 January 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

We are excited to let everyone know about a joint musical event involving our Key Stage 2 Choir and Lost Chord UK musicians. [Lost Chord](#) is an innovative charity dedicated to improving the quality of life and well-being of those living with dementia using interactive musical stimuli to increase their general awareness and self-esteem.



We are currently at the early stages of planning a concert that will take place on Friday 26th May 2023. Our KS2 Choir will be joining with a choir of older people (i.e. an intergenerational event). We are going to take a theme of "Fit for a King" as this will follow the Coronation of King Charles III and we are hoping to perform a special piece of music written on the day of the concert itself by the children and the older people together. This work will be facilitated by the poet, [Ian McMillan](#) known as the Bard of Barnsley, musician [Luke Carver Goss](#) and percussionist (from the Beautiful South), [Gary Hammond](#).

We are now looking for possible funding to help meet the costs of putting on such an event and wondered if there were any businesses known to parents/families that may be interested in providing part or whole sponsorship. We could offer adverts for the business in the programme for the concert, as well as mentions in any/all advertising including on our own social media pages and press releases that will follow. If anyone is interested in sponsoring this amazing proposal please do get in touch with Mr Willatt, gwillatt@ecclesall.sheffield.sch.uk and we can discuss further details.

Many thanks

Guy Willatt

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