

Christmas theatre trip and afternoon activities in Keswick.

6th September 2019

Dear Parents and Carers

On Wednesday 27th November we are running a trip to see a stage version of 'A Christmas Carol' by Charles Dickens at the Theatre by the Lake, Keswick. The performance will take place in the morning and students will then have time to eat a packed lunch, or walk into Keswick to buy some lunch (students who receive free school meals will be provided with a packed lunch). School uniform must be worn. We will arrive back at school in time for the school buses at both schools.

This is an excellent opportunity to experience a quality live theatre production.

'It's Christmas Eve. Cold-hearted businessman Ebenezer Scrooge grows grumpier and meaner than ever as Christmas Day approaches. When a ghostly apparition appears at his bedside, he's whisked away on a startling journey to uncover the true meaning of Christmas.'

'A Christmas Carol' is one of the texts that we study for the GCSE Literature exam. Seeing this production will help students develop a better understanding of the characters and plot and some of the key quotations that they will be expected to learn. With this in mind, we expect all of our Year 10 and 11 students to take part in the trip.

The trip is available to all year groups in both Beacon Hill and Solway schools. The cost of the trip is £16:00 which includes the price of transport and the theatre ticket.

If you would like your child to attend the production please complete the consent slip below and return it to school with the full payment by **Thursday 27th September.**

Yours sincerely

Mrs Heaton

Teacher of English, Beacon Hill

I would like my child (name) _____ to attend the trip to The Theatre by the Lake on Wednesday 27th November 2019.

I enclose £16.00. Cheques should be made payable to Beacon Hill Community School.

Parent / carer's name (Please print) _____

Signature _____ Date _____