



*Developing Potential without Limitations*

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Monday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Dear Parents/Guardians,

**RE: Pupil tickets for 'The Magic Flute' 18<sup>th</sup> July 2018**

The final part of this year's Garsington project is the chance for the year 6 pupils to become an audience member and watch a professional performance of **'The Magic Flute' by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart**. This is an amazing opportunity that will bring together all the project work they have been taking part in during the summer term. The tickets for this performance are at an incredible special rate of £5 per child and we ask for voluntary donations to cover this charge.

The schedule for this performance is as follows:

<b>4:00pm</b>	<b>Main gates open</b>
<b>5:30pm</b>	<b>Performance begins</b>
<b>7:05pm</b>	<b>interval (30 mins)</b>
<b>7:35pm</b>	<b>Second half starts</b>
<b>8:55pm</b>	<b>Performance ends</b>

Pupils need to arrive at the main car park on the Wormsley Estate to meet Mrs Reid and the accompanying staff at **4:30**. They will need to bring a picnic tea to have in our school's assigned tent ahead of the performance.

Pupils will need to be collected from the same place **at 9:00pm**.

To ensure the pupils are safeguarded, please complete the permission and information slip below.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Jo Reid BA (Hons), PGCE, MA, NPQH  
Headteacher

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**'The Magic Flute'**  
**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2018**

My child \_\_\_\_\_ will be attending the evening performance of 'The Magic Flute'

I **include/do not include** a voluntary contribution of £5 for the ticket

My child will be collected at 9:00pm by \_\_\_\_\_

My child has the following medical conditions and requires the following medication:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Wormsley Estate Information****Parking**

- You may be asked to remain on site for up to 20–30 minutes before leaving in order that we can safely manage traffic in and out of the estate.
- The auditorium is just over a mile down the Getty's private drive, on the edge of a deer park. The speed limit on the Estate is strictly 20mph. Please watch out for speed bumps, as well as deer and pheasants! Driving/stopping on the grass verges is prohibited as it ruins the grass – if you meet another vehicle you must reverse to a passing place without the need to drive on the verges.
- All parking is in the main car park (large field adjacent to the cricket ground), which is signposted as you approach a sharp right turn on the drive. It is then a 5-minute walk up the driveway to the auditorium. There is no parking or dropping off at the top of the driveway by the auditorium.

**What to bring**

- Warm layers of clothing
- An umbrella / raincoat if the weather looks bad
- Comfortable footwear
- A packed lunch/picnic
- Water bottle

**Areas to use**

There are pathways marked by the mowed grass – we recommend sticking to these rather than walking in the longer grass. Guests should bring a picnic/packed lunch as there will not be catering on site. In good weather, feel free to make use of the grass area by the lake – there are some tables and chairs provided. There are also a few benches on the lawn in front of Home Farm Barn.

**Areas to avoid**

Our opera house is in an unusual location and there are several areas to avoid – please be aware of the following:

- Beyond Tent 1, at the far end of the lake, there is an electric fence to keep the deer separate from audience. Please avoid going as far as this.
- Please avoid crossing the bridge onto the Island Pavilion, or going close up to the lake in the Deer Park.
- Please do not walk onto the cricket pitch itself but do enjoy the views from around it.
- Please do not cross under the stage, or under the steps at the back of the opera house.
- Please avoid dining in the opera garden (Stage Left).
- There is a 2-metre drop (marked by a rope on the ground) around the edge of the Ha-Ha (the lawn area between the opera garden and the start of the Deer Park).
- Any other backstage / out of bounds areas are clearly marked.