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June 2024



Amasing Back Through The Decades Chester Cathedral Show 2024

We are delighted that our choir has been offered a place to take part in this year's show in Chester Cathedral on <u>Tuesday 9th July</u>. We had been placed on a waiting list and it is now confirmed we can attend. We have been learning the songs during our weekly choir club anyway, so the children are ready. As the event is only a few weeks away, we need to know if your child is taking part by <u>Thursday 20th June</u>. We understand this is short notice, but unfortunately the situation has been out of my control.

AmaSing has collaborated with Chester Cathedral to bring all schools involved together for a huge show where all songs will be performed by the children with our professional Amasing band and dancers to an audience.

Important Information & Costs

- Amasing Back Through the Decades T-Shirts will be available to purchase for the event but are **not** mandatory. If you don't buy a t shirt, they will need to wear a plain red t shirt. The price of the T Shirt is £6.50.
- Chester Cathedral tickets will be £14 if you choose to come and watch the show.

Plan of the Day

- Children will come to school as normal and will leave school in staff cars to arrive at the Cathedral for 1.00 pm where they will be shown to their places.
- Rehearsals with the band will take place with other schools and the professional band from 1- 5pm with breaks.





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- Children will have tea at 5.-6.15 pm
- The theatre will open to families at 6.20 pm.
- The show will take place 6.50pm-8.30 pm.
- We will then meet parents at the Town Hall steps for collection.
 Children will need to bring their own packed lunches, drinks and snacks for the day.

Songs will be live on the AmaSIng website for all to access now. All resources and songs are available to access for **free**:

https://amasing.org.uk/2024-decades/

Please can you fill out the consent form below and return to me by Thursday 20th June, so we can secure the space.

This will be a wonderful opportunity for the children.

Thank you for your support

Mrs L Wright





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CONSENT SLIP

<u>I give consent for my child</u> from Upton Westlea Primary and Nursery School to take part in the Back Through the Decades at The Chester Cathedral on 9th July 2024

<u>I give my consent for my child</u> to have photos/ films taken which may be used for promotion/ social media for AmaSing/ Upton Westlea School

I would like to purchase an optional Tshirt size

Signed _____

Who are Amasing?

AmaSing is an award winning Arts organisation and Charity which has been established since 2017. AmaSing believes ARTS ARE FOR ALL and develops exciting and inclusive community arts projects and performances led by amazing arts specialists incorporating singing, music and all arts to support mental health. AmaSing works with a diverse range of communities from a variety of backgrounds, needs, ages, abilities, and cultures building on community cohesion. AmaSing currently works with over 250 local schools and more throughout the UK and abroad and has won many awards including Cheshire Community Foundation Cheshire West Best Charity 2022, their CEO has received a High Sheriff Award for their work in education and arts and a finalist for Cheshire Woman of the Year 2023 and the national Music and Drama Education Awards 2023, Best Charity and overall winner of The Cheshire Club Crème de La Crème Awards 2023 and nominated as a finalist of National Music and Drama Awards 2024

