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Dear Parent/Carer

Carisbrooke College Community Carol Singing - after school on Thursday 18 December

Your child will be taking part in our upcoming Community Carol Singing on Thursday 18 December. This activity will take place after school.

Arrangements for the day are as follows:

- Students attend school as usual in full school uniform* and attend lessons as usual
- Students attend 'Song Cafe' in S11 at 12.35 pm to eat their lunch and run through our songs. Students will then return to lessons after lunch at 1:15 pm
- We will meet in the canteen at approximately 3.00 pm to 'festively accessorise'* and meet Rev Steve Sutcliffe in Carisbrooke village and then leave school to visit various (prearranged) homes of local members of our community who are elderly, infirm or alone this Christmas to sing some Christmas carols on their doorstep and give them a Carisbrooke College student-designed Christmas card. Please note we will not be going inside of any homes.
- Following the carol singing we will be going to Carisbrooke Church Hall at 4:40 pm for some seasonal refreshments.
- Please collect your child from Carisbrooke Church Hall (opposite Carisbrooke Co-Op) at 5.00 pm, or alternatively give permission for them to make their own way home on the consent form linked below.
- *Students are encouraged to bring along any 'festive accessories' they may wish to wear for the afternoon e.g. tinsel, Santa earrings, reindeer antlers etc..

Students have been working really hard in their rehearsals and we are looking forward to a lovely afternoon of singing and community spirit!

We would be very grateful if you could please complete the consent form linked <u>here</u> by Friday 5 December to confirm your child's attendance and details. The emergency contact information for this event is: 07933172679.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to email me at beth.peckham@carisbrooke.iow.sch.uk

Yours faithfully

Beth Peckham Teacher of Music



