



THE ECCLESBOURNE SCHOOL

'Learning Together For The Future'

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Annual House Play Competition

I am writing to let you know that the **annual House Play Competition will take place this year in the week commencing Monday 25th November** culminating in the evening performance for parents and carers on Thursday 28th November at 7.00pm.

The House Plays are a unique Ecclesbourne tradition which dates to the very earliest days of the school. Each year the Sixth Form House Captains write, choreograph and direct a thirty-minute stage production organising and leading the younger students in each of the four schoolhouses Flamsteed, Chantrey, Nightingale and Brindley.

Starting this week there will be **one rehearsal each week on Wednesdays between 3.45 and 6.00pm**. The rehearsals are managed by House Captains under the supervision of Heads of House and under the leadership of Deputy Head Teacher, Mrs Owen-Moore.

Students who attended the auditions last week on Wednesday 18th September, will be informed of their role this week.

During rehearsals you can contact school in the usual way by calling Reception (01332 843200) if you need to get a message to your child.

Transport home after rehearsals is the responsibility of parents/carers.

Tickets for the evening performance are always in high demand and I will be in contact in due course once the cast and dance list are established with regards to allocation and payment for tickets.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Petra Owen-Moore
Deputy Head Teacher