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Dear Parents/ Guardians,

Lights, camera and ACTION! Wakakirri is fast approaching, with students polishing off their routine for their story to be told on the **6th of August at the Regal Theatre** in Subiaco. Below is information you need to know for the event, however if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at Sherree.Gull@education.wa.edu.au or come and see me in the Dramance room on a Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday.

Some things for you to know:

- The performance is on the same day as the rehearsal date. Our rehearsal date has been scheduled for the 6th of August starting at 2pm until 3:30pm. A bus will pick the students up from Madeley Primary School and take us to the Regal Theatre in Subiaco. Students will be staying at the Regal Theatre from the rehearsal until the end of the evening performance.
- The evening show will start at 7:15pm. Awards will be presented at the end of the show. Students will not be released until the end of the ceremony, which will APPROXIMATELY end at 9:30pm.
- A designated meeting area will be clearly marked for Madeley's student pick up point at the venue on the night which will be announced during the show. Parents will need to organise transport home for their child. Carpooling is a great way to help the environment and allow your children to reflect on the show on the way home. If you wish your child to carpool with another family, please sign and return the note on the next page to me ASAP to ensure every child is collected. Please note that there will be many parents picking up their children at the same time and with every child needing to be signed out before they leave, we would greatly appreciate your patience as this way ensures EVERY child returns home safely.
- Please ensure every item your child brings with them is labelled to assist in the prevention of lost belongings.
- Students will need to bring plenty of **WATER** with them to the event. Please note- students will not be permitted to drink any "coloured" fluids in their costumes. Students will also need to bring a normal recess and lunch to school as we will be eating recess and lunch before we leave for the Regal. Students will also be required to bring an after school snack and a **light** supper with them for between the rehearsal and performance time. I have had 2 parents offer to bring a platter of sushi and fruit for students to share, however it would be greatly appreciated if more was offered for all students. If you can assist in anyway with this, please let me know ASAP.
- **Students will also be performing their story dance for Madeley Primary School on Friday afternoon, the 2nd of August and will be required to come to school in their white top and shorts, along with their school uniform.**
- Students who are operating as backstage crew members will be **required to wear entirely black outfits**; for example- black t-shirt, black pants, black shoes and black socks. **Please note- patterns, pictures and writing on clothing will not be permitted.**

Costumes:

- All costumes have been provided for the students and will need to be returned to me at the end of the performance, however students will be required to wear a white singlet/tank top and white shorts under their costumes. **These will need to be worn to school on Friday the 2nd of August as students will be performing in an assembly for Madeley Primary School, along with their school uniform.** After this performance, your child's white top and shorts will be placed in a plastic bag with their name on it and kept in the Dramance room until Wednesday the 6th of August performance at the Regal.
- Students will not need to wear their school uniform tops to the Regal but it is vital they wear a labelled school uniform jacket over the white top. Students will also be required to wear shoes to and from the performance, however will dance in bare feet on stage.
- Since the costumes are white **please ensure all students** (except backstage crew) **wear either beige or white underwear please.**

Tickets

- If you have purchased tickets, they are now available for collection after school from the Dramance room on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday. If you have not purchased tickets and wish to, there MAY be some still available, however you will need to access these through www.wakakirri.com.

If you have any questions or can assist in any way, please feel free to contact me at sherree.gull@education.wa.edu.au or come and visit the dramance room on a Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday. We look forward to sharing the Wakakirri journey with you and celebrating Madeley's story.

From the extremely excited,

Sherree Gull

Please cut and return to Miss G ASAP if you are carpooling with another family.

Your Child's Name-_____ Class-_____

Parent/guardian name-_____

Parent/guardian contact phone number (Mobile preferred please)-_____

I give permission for my child to carpool from the Regal Theatre on the 6th of August with

Their family acknowledges that my child is being collected by them- (please tick)

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Contact Phone number of carpooling family-_____

Name of carpooling parent-_____