

Friday 15th May 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

### Portsmouth 100 Showcase

I am delighted to inform you about an exciting performance opportunity for Year 6 to perform on the iconic Portsmouth Guildhall stage! Brought to you by Portsmouth Music Hub. As part of the Portsmouth 100 events, schools from across the city are invited to take part in a massed choir, celebrating creativity and community. This special event will feature songs inspired by Portsmouth's rich heritage, bringing together young voices to mark our city's centenary in a vibrant and memorable way.

The Portsmouth 100 Showcase will take place on **Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2026** at **6.30pm** at **Portsmouth Guildhall**. The children will take part in a rehearsal in the afternoon at the Guildhall, for which transport has been arranged. They will return to school by end of day.

For the evening performance, the children will need to be brought to the Guildhall by an adult where they will meet Mrs Bannister-Palmer. Parents / Carers can then choose to watch the show or just collect their children afterwards. Further details about meeting times, etc are to follow. As this event is part of Portsmouth 100 celebrations, all tickets are funded for families and will be available first via the special school's booking link. Tickets are initially limited to a maximum of 4 per child, however additional tickets will be available for families to book from 29th June, when they go on general release. Please note that standard booking fees may apply. The link for tickets will be sent to you in the next letter, when your child's place has been confirmed.

**Only children with photo and video consent can participate** as the final performance will be filmed and shared on social media.

If you would like your child to participate in this wonderful opportunity, please sign them up via the trips section on the Arbor app no later than 9am on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2026. It promises to be an incredible evening and a stunning end to their Primary journey.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Bannister-Palmer  
Music Lead and Year 5 Teacher