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30 July 2020 Dear Music Parents and Students

CLASSICS IN THE CATHEDRAL

On Friday 21 August, St Margaret's Music Department is excited to announce that **Classics in the Cathedral** will proceed in St John's Anglican Cathedral. This is an evening of beautiful music, performed by St Margaret's Music ensembles within a spectacular setting and is one of the school's very special performance events. As part of St Margaret's 125th Anniversary celebrations, we are also very excited to announce that Old Girl, Annabelle Traves ('14) will perform as part of the evening's program.

The event will be held in strict compliance of the Cathedral's Industry COVID Safe Plan and as such there will be some changes to the way in which the event is conducted. This year a very limited number of seats will be available to allow for social distancing within the audience, with priority given to special guests and parents of Year 12 students.

Listed below are important details regarding rehearsals and the evening's performance.

Afternoon Rehearsal

Students in Exultate, Chamber Strings, Sculthorpe String Quartet, Sister Helen Wind Symphony, Elayne Jones Percussion Ensemble, along with the stage crew will depart by bus to the cathedral at 1:00pm. The girls will eat their lunch at 12:45pm prior to boarding the bus. Students will be required to bring afternoon tea and a water bottle. Students will remain at the cathedral at the conclusion of the rehearsal with the option of pre-ordering dinner via Flexischools, to be facilitated by the Music Support Group. Further information will be provided to parents in the near future.

Performance Uniform

Students will be required to take their respective performance uniforms to the afternoon rehearsal in preparation for the evening's concert. Girls are asked to be in their full school uniform for the afternoon rehearsal.

Evening Performance

The performance will begin at **7:00pm** with an approximate finish time of 8:30pm. Boarding students only will be transported back to school via Maxi Taxi, accompanied by a staff member.

Tickets

Tickets **must be purchased online** via Flexischools (<u>www.flexischools.com.au</u>). The cost for an adult ticket is \$30. Due to the current COVID restrictions and limited seating capacity in the cathedral, **only I (one) ticket per family** will be available. All attending the concert must be registered on Flexischools in order to provide a strict record of those in attendance. Please print your ticket or download on an electronic device (e.g. mobile phone) to present upon entrance at the concert. **All tickets must be pre-purchased as tickets will not be available at the door**.

Parking

Parking is available at Secure Parking in Cathedral Square, 410 Ann Street directly across the road from St John's Cathedral.

Refreshments and Raffles

This year refreshments will not be available due to the COVID Safe Plan restrictions. However, a raffle will be held with tickets available for purchase via contactless card payment.

We are looking forward to presenting many special performances and thank you in advance for your support of the event.

Yours sincerely

Brad King

Mr Brad King Head of Performance

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