

16 October 2018

Dear Music Community

What a wonderful year of musical events! I invite you to this year's Music Dinner which is themed **'The Golden Age of Hollywood'.** The theme was chosen by the Year 12 Music Captains with well-known Hollywood movies and actors in mind. The event will be held in Eton Hall on Friday 9 November 2018 from 6:00pm - 9:30pm.

Tickets for adults are \$70 per head and students \$60 per head and are available only via Flexischools (<u>www.flexischools.com.au</u>). For catering purposes, it is imperative you include any dietary requirements and that payments are made by **4pm**, **Sunday 4 November**, **as Flexischools will be unavailable after this time**. Please be mindful there is a capped number, so book your tickets early! The cut-off time allows the Music Support Group and Catering to finalise purchasing of perishable goods and appropriate table allocations prior to the event.

Tickets include drinks upon arrival, a two-course meal, prize giving, presentations and farewells to Year 12 students. Please ensure that you bring your proof of ticket purchase (printed from Flexischools or via the app on your mobile phone) to the Music Dinner.

All parents of students in Years 6-12, who have been involved in the Co-curricular music program for the year are invited to attend. The girls come dressed in costume for the event and parents are also encouraged to join in the spirit of the evening by dressing in costume as well. We love seeing your creativity! There is a prize for 'Best Dressed Parent' as well as 'Best Dressed' for each year level. The Music staff attend and are thanked for their efforts during the year. There is usually a visual presentation to commemorate the Department's work throughout the year. Music Captains are presented for 2019.

The Annual Music Dinner is an occasion where students and parents celebrate the culmination of a wonderful year of music at St Margaret's. For many, this year will be your daughter's last involvement in the St Margaret's Music Program. No matter what year level your daughter is in, I think you will agree that your daughter has enjoyed her participation, developed extraordinary skills and made many new friends from her experience, whether it be in choral, string or band ensembles.

On behalf of the Music Support Group, I very much look forward to seeing you on Friday 9 November at the Music Dinner.

Yours in music

Dani O'Neill Music Support Group - President