

RE: Letter to parents, Shrewsbury Bookfest Dance & Musical Theatre Performance.

Dear Parents and Carers,

Pupils have been busy rehearsing and preparing for our performances over last few weeks. This opportunity is being provided by Shrewsbury Children's Bookfest and Footlights Dance School. Shrewsbury Children's Bookfest is taking place from 28<sup>th</sup> April – 1<sup>st</sup> May with a host of activities to get involved with, including visiting authors, talks and activities. On Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> April a variety of free events with a Poetry theme will be taking place in the Square in the centre of Shrewsbury. Footlights Dance School are staging a selection of Musical Theatre performance based on Cats along with dances they have been working on for our Big Show.

**We have 2 slots to perform 11.30-12pm and 12.30-1pm.**

Sequence of events: **Registration 11.15 am** (Under the old Market Hall The Square, Shrewsbury. SY1 1LH)

**1<sup>st</sup> Performance 11.30am ~ Musical Theatre**

Kookaburra Song: Tinys, & Mini Musical Theatre Groups  
Pussy Cat Pussy Cat Poem: Tiny Musical Theatre Group  
Cats Sleep Anywhere Poem: Mini Musical Theatre Group  
The Naming of Cats Poem: Junior Musical Theatre Groups  
Memory Song: Mini, Junior & Senior Musical Theatre Groups

**Costumes:**

Lilac leotard and skirt uniform, Footlights Tshirt, Hoodie or Jacket. Black leggings and silver or black jazz shoes.  
Hair: 2 French plaits.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Performance 12.30pm ~ Ballet & Boogie and Primary Dance Groups**

Bare Necessities  
I Wanna be Like You  
Walking on Sunshine

**Costumes:**

Bare Necessities & I Wanna be Like You: Lilac leotard and skirt uniform with white frilly ankle socks and ballet shoes.  
Walking on Sunshine: Lilac uniform with white frilly ankle socks and silver jazz shoes or pumps.  
Hair: Bun

*Please can all pupils wear their Footlights T-shirts and Hoodies as you will be representing the school.*

Further activities will be available in the square and museum during the day. For more information about Bookfest go to [www.shrewsburybookfest.co.uk](http://www.shrewsburybookfest.co.uk)  
If you have any further queries or to confirm your attendance at this event get in touch.

Thank you, *Michelle.*