ORDERING THE PERFORMANCE UNIFORM

Dear Parent or Caregiver,

This year your child has the pleasure of being part of the String Ensemble or Concert Band. This is a very important part of their instrumental education. For your child, practicing in a group is so much more fun than individual practice. Indeed, performing in a group, being immersed in sound and surrounded by harmonies, is an exciting experience for any musician. The thrill of seeing your child performing, and enjoying the musical experience of a live performance, is sure to bring considerable pride and satisfaction for you as a parent too!

It is important that all the students in the Concert band and String Ensemble are dressed in the correct Performance Uniform for all performances.

Parents are required to supply for their student:
- Plain white long-sleeved shirt and plain black full-length pants (available from Lowes, Strathpine).
- Plain black ankle socks and plain black shoes.
- Gold and/or maroon ribbons or scrunchies for girl’s hair.
- For outside performances the school hat must be worn
- In winter the school jacket is the only coat to be worn

PLEASE NOTE: To order and pay for your shirt and pants, please go to Lowes, Strathpine (3881 3536) by the end of March 2012. Your child will be measured and the shirt and pants appropriate for you child ordered. This will be placed as a bulk order, which be a considerable cost saving. The shirt and pants will be sold as a package for $50 (pants normally $34.95 and shirt normally $29.95) and will then be delivered back to the school, to make it easier for collection. Payment will be required at time of ordering.

Uniform Fees  The maroon vest and bow-tie are provided on loan from the school. Due to the cost of making and replacing vests and bow-ties, each child will be charged a uniform hire fee of $15 per year. A $30 deposit, payable at the start of the year when the uniform is issued, will be refunded at the end of the year when the uniform is returned in good order. It would be appreciated, and speed up the process, if the parent/caregiver can supply the school with their bank account details.

N.B To pay the Uniform Fee, please complete this form and place it, with your money, in an envelope. On the envelope please write your child’s name, class and “Uniform Fees”. Place the envelope in the collection box at the school office. All cheques are to be made payable to Albany Creek State School.

Kind Regards,

Lisa Beck (IMP Co-ordinator) Duncan Robertson (Deputy Principal)

Parent/Caregivers Response

My child_________________________________________ in class _______ who plays the (instrument)_________________________________________ is in the String Ensemble/Concert Band this year.

I will provide him/her with the appropriate uniform and am enclosing $45 ($15 hire and $30 refundable deposit) for the vest and bow tie.

Parent’s/Caregiver’s Signature: ___________________________________________________________