

Dear Parent/ Carer

‘Feel Me’ The Paperbirds, The Point Eastleigh

An exciting opportunity has arisen for Year 9 – 11 Drama students to view a performance by one of the UK’s leading contemporary theatre groups – The Paperbirds Theatre Company at The Point Eastleigh on **Thursday 16 November** from 7:30pm until 9:00pm.

The Paper Birds is a devising theatre company, recognised as UK leaders in devised verbatim theatre. ‘Feel me is’ a brand-new show that asks, via your mobile phone, who and what you care about from the stories unfolding live on stage in front of you. A stunning mixture of live performance, film, projection, dance and music, Feel Me will explore the different lenses through which we are told, and connect to stories in the modern digital world. This presents an outstanding opportunity to see cutting edge performance work that will inspire students and support their learning in lessons.

Student tickets are £14.50 and we have reserved 30 spaces as a school. Students will need to make their own way to and from the theatre. The venue is situated 3 minutes walk from Eastleigh Train Station and there is space for dropping off directly outside the entrance, where students will be registered by staff. As the production finishes at 9:00pm, arrangements will need to be made for collecting your child. Please note, students must sign out with a member of staff before leaving the venue and parents/ carers should collect from the foyer as it will be dark.

Students are not required to wear school uniform but should consider that the performance will be attended by members of the public so should be smart and comfortable. Students may bring additional snacks and drinks. However, please note, students will not be permitted to eat during the performance itself as a matter of consideration for other patrons. We are happy for students to bring a mobile phone with them on the trip in order to communicate with parents. Please note that we accept no responsibility for loss or damage of personal electronic items and photography is prohibited in the theatre itself.

Payment for the trip will be via Scopay. Should the trip be oversubscribed we will allocate tickets to students through random selection. You will also be required to complete an online medical form in order for your child to attend.

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Please note, should we receive insufficient interest the trip will need to be cancelled or reduced in numbers.

If you wish to discuss this further, please contact Mrs Bowman via:

general@thehambleschool.co.uk

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'A Bowman', written in a cursive style.

Mrs A Bowman

Head of Creative and Performing Arts

If, at any time, you should require special arrangements to be made when visiting the school and/or in order to participate fully in supporting your child at school (e.g. an accessible venue for meetings, if you are a wheelchair user, assistance with translation of documents or enlarged copies of communications etc.), please do not hesitate to let us know.