

Dear Parent/Guardian,

We are very excited to invite you to come along and watch your child perform at **The Victoria Hall, Hanley**, as part of Stoke School Sport Partnership's annual dance event, **'Walking in the Shoes of...'**, taking place on **Tuesday, 24th March, 2026**. Children who attend Dance Club regularly have been rehearsing for this since September.

Our school is proud to be one of **61 primary and secondary schools from across Stoke-on-Trent** taking part. Now in its **14th year**, this special event brings schools together to celebrate creativity, confidence and teamwork through dance. This year's theme, **'Walking in the Shoes of...'**, promises to be a fantastic evening for everyone involved.

Tickets

Each performer is entitled to **up to two tickets**, priced at **£10 per ticket**. Children **under 18 months** can attend free of charge but must sit on an adult's knee and will require a **'babe in arms' ticket**, in line with the venue's policy.

Step-Free Access and Wheelchair Seating

The Victoria Hall has designated **wheelchair spaces** and **step-free access seating** available.

If you need:

- a wheelchair space, or
- a step-free access seat (for anyone who may find stairs difficult),

please let the school know when ordering your tickets so we can make sure the correct seating is arranged for you.

How to Order Tickets

Tickets can **only be ordered through the school** and must be requested by **Monday, 23rd February, 2026**.

To order your tickets:

Please, pay for tickets on ParentPay, details on how to pay is below. Complete and return the form at the bottom of this letter to the school by **Friday, 30th January for confirmation of attendance**. **This is where you can indicate if you require a wheelchair space, step free access and/or 'Babe in arms tickets'**.

Payments must be made on **ParentPay**, please look for the **'Tickets- Stoke SSP Dance Event 2026'** payment item. If you would prefer to pay by cash (**via a shop with PayPoint**) please ask the school office to create a barcoded letter for **this** payment item. **Be aware if we haven't received payment by Monday, 23rd February we will not be able to process your order**. Only **2 tickets** can be ordered, if additional tickets ever become available we will let you know via text once we have been notified from Stoke SSP, however this is **not guaranteed** and will be allocated on a first come first serve basis. Please be aware if we can get additional tickets we **cannot guarantee** these will be seated with the initial order.

On the Evening of the Performance

Please bring your child to **The Victoria Hall** (Bagnall Street, Hanley, Stoke-on-Trent, ST1 3AD)

Arrival time for performers: between **5.30pm and 6.00pm**, in full costume, to the **main foyer**.

All performers will be seated in the **stalls with their teachers**, while parents and carers with tickets will be seated in the **circle and upper circle**. Each school group will have a clearly allocated meeting and collection point, which will be shared with you on the evening.

The performance will begin at **6.30pm** and is expected to finish at approximately **8.00pm**.

If you are **not staying to watch the show**, please arrive at the Victoria Hall by **7.45pm** ready to collect your child once the performance has finished. For everyone's safety, children cannot be collected before the end of the show.

We really hope you can join us to support your child and enjoy what promises to be a wonderful evening of dance and celebration.

Kind regards,

Miss Pestrige and Miss Ellie

Please turn over.



Stoke SSP Dance Event– Tuesday, 24th March, 2026

Please return this form by Friday, 30th January for confirmation of attendance.

I confirm that I have read the information above and my child _____ will be attending.

I have/will order the following number of ticket(s) on ParentPay at £10 each (**max of 2 tickets**): _____ x £10 = £ _____

Is a wheelchair space required? **Yes / No** (please circle)

Do you require step free access? **Yes / No** (please circle)

Do you require a 'babe in arms' ticket? **Yes / No** (please circle)

It is unlikely but **IF** more tickets become available (we would be notified) how many, **if any**, would you like _____

Signed: _____ (parent/carer) Date: _____