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Dear Parent/Carer,

Open Box Theatre Company - Titanic- Year 1

On Wednesday 30th September the Open Box Theatre Company will be coming into school to work with the year 1 children on the topic of Titanic. The workshop is based around going back in time to construct a ship; the dream trip of a lifetime which turned into a nightmare! The children build and rivet the world's largest liner, fit her out and load her ready for her maiden voyage before launching her in style. Which children will be lucky enough to sail first class? Who will travel steerage and what were the consequences of class distinction when it came to survival? Using their imaginations, the children will 'live' life on board and sail closer and closer to the iceberg...who will be rescued and what was learned from this tragedy?

The children can come dressed for the day wearing an outfit fit for being on the Titanic.



To help us cover the cost of this event, we're asking for a contribution of **£7.00**. This can be paid through Arbor, under *Trips*. Your support really does make a difference and helps us to keep running events like this for the children — any contribution is greatly appreciated. We feel it is invaluable for every child to participate, so if you cannot afford to pay the full amount, please come in and speak in confidence with Mrs Boorman or a member of the office team. Alternatively, you can contact us by email on parent.mail@hwis.hants.sch.uk. Although this is a voluntary contribution if we do not receive enough contributions to help cover the costs we will not be able to continue having this wonderful group in.

With very best wishes

Year 1 Team

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