

Headteacher: Mrs Helen Lammin (BSc Hons QTS)

13<sup>th</sup> May 2026

**RE: KS2 Choir Event – Voices of Friendship at John Coles**

Dear Parents/Carers

We are pleased to let you know that the Ivy Lane School Choir has been invited to take part in 'Voices of Friendship', a collaborative singing event organised by the Chippenham Music Cluster. The performance will take place at **John Coles Park on Thursday 2nd July 2026, from 1.30pm to 2.45pm.**

This special event will bring together pupils from eight local schools, offering a wonderful opportunity for children to perform, collaborate and celebrate music as a community. Each school has been asked to prepare one song linked to the theme of *Friendship*, which will be taught to pupils in advance at school. In addition, all schools will join together to perform two massed songs, creating a memorable shared finale.

We will be leaving school to arrive at John Coles Park at 1pm for a brief rehearsal beforehand. Please note that, as the event finishes at 2.45pm, the children will be walking back to school from John Coles Park. This means they may return slightly later than the usual 3.00pm finish time.

Parents and carers are warmly invited to attend and enjoy the afternoon of music. **Please complete the slip below and return it to school by Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June ensuring that you tick one of the boxes provided.** It is essential that you speak to a member of Ivy Lane staff before taking your child home.

We are very much looking forward to this inspiring experience and are proud to be part of such a positive celebration of singing and friendship.

Yours sincerely

Mrs H Lammin      Miss C Burrows  
Headteacher      Music Lead

**KS2 Choir Event – Voices of Friendship at John Coles Park 02/07/26 – return slip by 12/06/2026**

**Child's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Class:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please tick one option:

I give permission for my child to attend the 'Voices of Friendship' singing event at John Coles Park and for them to walk back to school with staff afterwards.

I will attend the event and **collect my child directly from John Coles Park** at 2.45pm. I understand that I must speak to an Ivy Lane staff member before taking my child home.

**Parent/Carer Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_