



North Tyneside Brass in Schools
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at Backworth Park Primary School

in conjunction with:
North Tyneside Music Education Hub
Backworth Colliery Band

10th Nov 2016

Dear Parent/Guardian

As mentioned in our last letter, we have 3 events that we'd like the children from the brass group to take part in:

1. North Tyneside's Christmas Lights switch-on in Whitley Bay on Friday 18th November at 4:30pm.
2. Seghill Christmas Lights switch-on on Thursday 24th November immediately after school, in place of the normal brass group – travel with the School by coach
3. The School Christmas concert in School on Monday 5th December at 2pm

Travel to the second event in Seghill on Thursday 24th November is being organised by the School and we will have a coach to take ALL the children from the brass group, and any other family members who would like to attend. The coach will leave immediately after school at 3:30pm and return by 5:30pm. This event is in place of the normal brass group session. It is outside so please make sure your child has a warm coat etc! We are hoping that you will give us your permission for your child to attend this event, and come along yourself if possible.

However, for the first event, North Tyneside's Christmas Lights switch-on in Whitley Bay on Friday 18th November, although we'd love your child to come along and take part, we will need your help to get them there and look after them. We realise that this means that not all the children will be able to attend. However, if you and your child are able to attend, or if another adult is able to bring your child, please let us know by returning the slip below.

We will meet on the day in the centre of Whitley Bay, by the Christmas Tree on Whitley Road outside the Victoria Pub (NE26 2TE) where North Tyneside Council will have a small stage area. Park at Whitley Bay Shopping Centre, or take the Metro to Whitley Bay station. Please wrap up warm and aim to arrive by 4:15pm. It starts at 4:30 and finishes at 5:30pm. We have a 10 minute slot.

Note that the children will also be performing as part of the School's Christmas concert at 2pm on Monday 5th Dec, and you will hear more about that from the school later!

Yours sincerely

Gavin Dudley

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Please complete this form and return to Backworth Park Primary School Office by Thursday 17th Nov

This is the form for the Whitley Bay Christmas Lights event on Friday 18th Nov when you or another adult will need to bring your child and accompany them at all times.

Child's name:

- My child will be attending the Whitley Bay Christmas Lights switch-on on Friday 18th Nov at 4:30pm
- Either: I will be accompanying my child at all times.
- Or: My child will be accompanied at all times by the adult named below

Your name (please PRINT):

Relationship to child:

Name of adult accompanying your child (please PRINT if this is someone else):

Your signature:

Date:

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Please complete this form and return to Backworth Park Primary School Office by Thursday 24th Nov

This is the form for the Seghill Christmas Lights event on Thursday 24th Nov when the School will organise a coach to take the children after school and is in place of the normal brass group. Your attendance is welcome but optional.

Child's name:

- I give my permission for my child to travel with the School to attend the Christmas Lights switch-on event in Seghill on Thursday 24th Nov after school 3:30-5:30pm
- I will/will not [please delete as appropriate] be coming to event with the School

Your name (please PRINT):

Relationship to child:

Number of other family members expected to attend:

Your signature:

Date: