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27 January 2012

Dear Parents,

I am writing with news of the Bablake School Classics Evening which will take place on Monday 27 February at 7.00 pm in the School Theatre. Many of those who are studying Latin, Greek or Classical Civilisation will be looking forward to taking part, and will probably have already invited you to come and watch.

This will be an entertaining opportunity to see a variety of presentations on Classical themes by students from both the Junior and Senior School. Scripts are being written and revised, props and costumes are being prepared, and publicity is being filmed (look for a link soon on the school website). Among the items in preparation are a dog trial from a Greek comedy, an inspection of a Spartan school, Hermogenes' court case for fraud in Pompeii, an interview with a Roman general, and a dramatised version of the causes of the Trojan War. We are even expecting a visit from Jeremy Kyle, who hopes to untangle the mess that is the marriage of Jason and Medea. It is worth adding that many of these items have been written by the students themselves. We will also use this opportunity to revive memories of the study visit to Rome and the Bay of Naples last October.

I am very grateful to the students, especially the sixth form, for their enthusiasm and dedication, in preparing for what promises to be an exciting event. I trust that rehearsals will have minimal impact on students' work and on family life, but I would like to thank you in advance for your willingness to transport students to and from rehearsals.

To help with our hospitality arrangements, please indicate on the tear-off slip below if you will be attending.

I look forward to seeing many of you at what promises to be a fun evening.

Yours sincerely,

J.M. Bunce

J M Bunce
Classics Department

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Please return to: Mr J M Bunce

I will be attending the Classics Evening at 7.00 pm on Monday 27 February.

The number of those attending (not including participants) will be

Signed:

Student's name:

Form: