

# Broughton Parish Church Choir

Dear Parent

We are always on the look-out for Keen Young Singers to join our highly-rated Boys' Choir at Broughton Parish Church.

**And if Your Son Enjoys Singing and Making New Friends,  
He is invited to come along to join Our Boys on**

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> June**

**for**

**A Taster Afternoon of Singing - Food - and Fun!**

**and be**

**'A Broughton Chorister for the Afternoon'**

The Afternoon will get underway at 4.30, when visiting Boys will have the opportunity to

- Meet and chat with our present Boys who will be able to tell them all about what it's like being a Broughton Chorister.
- Have a look round the Choir Room.....see all the various badges they can earn, and try on some of the Robes our Choristers wear
- Hear about the Big Singing Events.....and of course the trips and tours planned for the coming year - including the next Isle of Man Week.
- Enjoy a half-hour Singing session with our present Boys.....who will help them make an amazing sound very quickly!
- Hear our fabulous organ (4 keyboards and a pedal-board!) played by our Assistant Organist and our sixteen year old Organ Scholar - both of whom were former Broughton Boy Choristers. Pianists might even want to 'have a go' and should bring some music!

**And after all that, it will be time to enjoy a Tea Party**

Sausage Rolls - Crisps - Sandwiches - Cakes - Drinks etc .....and the Boys might even find time to join in **The Broughton Church Scavenger Hunt** (parents can help here!). There will be prizes!

**Finally at 6.30**

Our young visitors will move into the Choir Stalls and sing some of the music at an Evening Service, not only with our Boys, but with twelve Men of the Choir. And what a sound that will be!

**It will be time for home at 7.15.**

**Mums and Dads.....and Relations**

Yes, you're most certainly invited to the party also! There will be a good number of our present parents on hand to talk to you and answer any questions you may have about the Choir, and I suspect you will be amazed at the wonderful sound the Boys will make at the Service after singing together for just half an hour!

**And if you and your son like what you see and hear, you could be looking at the possibility of him taking up a place in our Choir!**

We do hope you will be able to come along. To help us with Catering Arrangements, it would be appreciated if you could confirm numbers of attendees ( [musicaldirector@broughtonparish.org.uk](mailto:musicaldirector@broughtonparish.org.uk)) not later than Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June. We don't want to run out of food!

Further information about the Choir can be found on the Choir Website ([broughtonchoir.org](http://broughtonchoir.org)) which includes a recording of our Boys singing at a Concert on a beautiful Island in France. You may also find the twelve minute video , 'Broughton Parish Church Choir' on You Tube, featuring conversations with Boys, Parents and former Choristers, very useful.