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Dear Parents/Carers,

Yours sincerely,

RAYLEIGH CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

Rayleigh Town Council has invited Sweyne Park Choir to the switching on of the Christmas lights on **Thursday 30th November.**

On the day, we will have a rehearsal at school from 4.45pm – 5.10pm, leave school at 5.20pm and walk up to the High Street where a marquee will be in place for the choir to meet. The school minibus is booked to drive the choir members to Rayleigh High Street in the event of heavy rain. Pupils will need to be collected from Rayleigh (outside Boots) after the performance. **The choir will be singing from 5.55pm** – **6.05pm** and the lights will be switched on at 6.30pm. Pupils are to wear school uniform. We have been informed by Rayleigh Town Council that children may leave their bags in the marquee, however there will not be the facility to hang coats as in other years. Due to this event being held when weather conditions are cold and possibly wet, the council has advised that pupils keep their coats on.

We would be grateful if you would sign and return the permission slip below and the attached Consent Form to the Music Department by 23rd November 2023.

It will be an enjoyable festive occasion and we look forward to seeing you there.