

# Don't miss the show!

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**This task is about finding and using important information.**

Below is an interview with the student director of the play "*Ghosts and the Lighthouse*". Read the interview and complete the task that follows.

**Reporter:** We have been hearing a lot about "Ghosts and the Lighthouse." When will we see it?

I know rehearsals have been on forever, but the school hall is ready and Friday 1 p.m., August 6 is the big day.

**Director:** This play, I promise you, will be so scary you should bring your parents if you get nervous or frightened. It's bigger than "Lord of the Rings"!

**Reporter:** Who's in it?

All the roles have been filled by members of the school drama club and we also have

**Director:** some bats from the local zoo.

As it is set at night, they will terrify the audience!

**Reporter:** I see it's a gold coin admission. Is there a cause you are fund raising for?

**Director:** You bet! All profits go to the new library project.

**Reporter:** I hear tickets are selling fast.

Yes, the school office has had a big rush.

**Director:** You can visit our website "[coolschool.com](http://coolschool.com)" for information, photos, and background info.

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Below is an unfinished press release. Press releases are written as a way to get a group's information into the media.

a) Using information from the interview, fill in the press release for the play.

**PRESS RELEASE**

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The Editor  
Nelson Daily Post  
15 Ocean St  
Nelson

Dear Editor

Announcing a performance of ...

\_\_\_\_\_

Venue \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Performed by \_\_\_\_\_

Cost \_\_\_\_\_

Tickets can be booked at \_\_\_\_\_

The play is in support of \_\_\_\_\_

Further information is available at \_\_\_\_\_

The Director's opinion " \_\_\_\_\_

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b) Write down **three** other places, this press release could be emailed or sent to.

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