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Dear Parent/Carer

We have held meetings today with Ising POP and are pleased to announce that the concerts for next week will be going ahead, with audiences.

To reduce risks at Christmas events, the LA have issued guidelines. Following advice we will be holding two concerts on Thursday 9th December. There will be a 2pm showing and a 6pm showing. Each family will be allocated one ticket for each performance, helping us reduce the numbers present at each show.

We are holding the event in church, which means the space will be well ventilated. The LA are advising attendees to take a LFT before the show however, this will not be checked by staff at the venue. We will just require your ticket for entry, tickets will be sent out later in the week or early next week.

Please do not attend if you have any Covid symptoms or if anyone in your household is isolating. We would encourage you to wear a face mask when entering/leaving and moving about church, but once seated face masks do not need to be worn.

Once inside church, we would encourage you to socially distance from other member of the audience.

We are aware that there may be a sense of frustration, only being able to invite one parent/carer to each performance. That there seems to be a sense of injustice, as football grounds welcome thousands, but please understand that school have taken this decision to keep the Mottram children, staff and the community safe, so we can all hopefully enjoy Christmas with our own families.

If for any reason the LA or Government guidelines change, we will let you know as soon as possible.

We are so thankful that case numbers have been low at Mottram. We are so excited to be able to get the school community together at such a special time of year and we are looking forward to finally celebrating something special. Even if we are not fully together, it is so much more than last year.

Mrs Scattergood and the Mottram Team.

