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To our #teamabbey families.

We would like to update you on a couple of areas that our families have requested further information on.

How will you be holding the Christmas Show?

Unfortunately, we will have to film our Christmas Shows and make these available online. This is as a result of the increase in Covid 19 cases in our community. All pupils will be involved in the shows and although some will not be on camera, they will still be part of the production.

Could something be given to families as an alternative?

We have looked at how it could be possible to bring our families together this Christmas and we have decided to create a Winter Wonderland outside in the school grounds. This will allow our families to walk through the woods and meet Father Christmas. This is an outdoor event and must be booked using the form here <https://forms.office.com/r/Kxhd4H4TS2> Families will be allocated a time slot to visit the Winter Wonderland. This is so we can socially distance and ensure the safety of families. This will take place on Friday the 10th of December from 4:30pm to 7:30pm.

What is Lion Leadership?

All our pupils have a Lion Leadership role in school. These reflect our house values of Courage, Heart, Respect and Attitude. House Events run each week to promote the values and each house has a mascot attached to it. Your child also has the opportunity to apply for jobs on STEAM Street that further promote the Lion Leadership qualities. More information can be found here [STEAM Street Student Job Vacancies \(abbeyschool.co\)](http://www.abbeyschool.co/STEAM-Street-Student-Job-Vacancies)

What are your priorities as a school for this year?

Every year as a school, we identify our priorities for the coming year to help improve your child's experience of education. These are continually worked on throughout the year and impact not only your child but you as a family. Click [here](#) to see a copy of our school development plan for this year

As always thank you for your continued support and we look forward to seeing you soon.

Wayne Askham

Head of School

