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Dear Parent/Guardian

The Addams Family - Show Update

As you will know, Maiden Erlegh Chiltern Edge has been experiencing a higher number of Covid cases recently which has put an enormous amount of pressure on the school in terms of staffing. I am very proud of the way our staff have stepped up and adapted to these demands and the way the students have continued to conduct themselves during the changes to teachers and lessons.

Staff have worked hard covering lessons for each other so that we can maintain our onsite provision however it is without a doubt that these events do have an impact. Consequently, in considering staff wellbeing, it is for these reasons that we are going to have to make some changes to the upcoming school production of *The Addams Family*. We are keen for parents and members of the community to see the performance and for our students to have the opportunity to perform after many months of hard work. We also recognise that it has been a particularly difficult year in the rehearsal and production of the show due to challenges presented by Covid. Therefore, we hope that you can join us on Wednesday 16 February at 7pm for the performance of the show. This is a change to the two nights we had hoped to do previously.

For those involved in the show, we will be rehearing 10am – 4:30pm on Sunday 13 February only. Again, this is a change to the previously published schedule.

Tickets for the show are on sale now and are available to buy via ParentPay. Tickets cost £6 for adults and £4 for concessions (children under 16 and adults over 60). Tickets are limited so please book early!

Yours sincerely

Andy Hartley Headteacher