Dear Parents and Carers.

We continue our time in Advent, waiting and preparing for Jesus at Christmas.

Ann Tipper has been in school today to remind the children of the importance of Advent and also that today is the special feast of the Immaculate Conception.

We think about Our Lady and thank her for her 'Yes' to God all those years ago.

EYFS have started our celebrations with their lovely play 'A King is Born'.

Many thanks to all of the staff and to yourselves for coming along and enjoying the show!

Y1/2 (Wednesday) and Y3/4 (Thursday) will continue our plays next week.

Please make sure that you have your tickets and put your names on the back for the raffle!

For the **2pm** performance please arrive at the **LAWTON MOOR ROAD** gate for **1.45pm**.

For the **6pm** performance please arrive **at 5.40pm** at the **LAWTON MOOR ROAD GATE** with your children.

The children can then come into school and get ready and you can make your way round to the Hall for the performance.

Buggies and prams will not be able to be accommodated in the Hall as it will be busy. They can be placed in the cloakrooms.

Thanks for your support and I know that the performances will be fabulous!

Mrs Ashcroft will be retiring at Christmas.

I will say a little more about her contribution to our school, over a very long time, in the coming weeks.

She will be greatly missed!

Monday 11th December - Advent Prayer Service at 2.45pm in the Hall. All are welcome.

This will be led by our Prayer Leaders and Mini Vinnies.

Attendance this week is nearly 97%. Overall attendance is nearly 94%.

It is improving so thank you for your support.

With prayers for a lovely weekend,

Sarah Yates

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