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Dear Parents and Carers

The performance team of GMS's 'Matilda the Musical' has had an amazing response to ticket sales; they would like to thank everyone for their unstinting support. It's fantastic that both nights are completely 'Sold Out'. As it is a full house for both performances, GMS asks for your cooperation on entry. All purchases should have been made through WisePay, consequently, there should be a receipt confirming payment. Please can this confirmation be downloaded onto a device, so that the Front of House team can meet, greet and confirm payment swiftly and efficiently.

Entry to the production will be by proof of purchase only, through WisePay. Regrettably, people without proof of purchase will be turned away at the door; please do not presume an extra person can gain entry on the night of a performance. The school hall has a maximum health and safety audience limit, which must strictly be adhered to; we have reached this number in our prepaid ticket sales.

If tickets have been purchased and no receipt received, please email sross@gms.bucks.sch.uk so that the problem can be investigated.

Doors on both nights will open at 6pm, to allow plenty of time for our guests to be admitted and find their seats. We ask that you arrive in good time, so that the beginning of the performance is not disrupted. Those arriving early will be able to purchase a drink at the bar (open from 6:15pm), or from Dan the Coffee Man, who will be serving coffee and other drinks from 6pm until just before 7pm.

As well as this, GMS's enthusiastic Young Enterprise team will be selling their bespoke mugs; they have designed a souvenir Matilda Mug to purchase for just £8. The bar and Young Enterprise will accept cash or card. Everyone involved in the production is excited about the performance, which showcases the talent of our students at Great Marlow School. All that is needed now is a crisp curtain rise, which is dependent upon the timely arrival of our audience members, with their proof of payment ready to hand.

Matilda the Musical theatrical team thank everyone for their great cooperation and support.

The dates of the performances are as follows:

- Wednesday 13th December: 7 pm (doors open at approximately 6pm).
- Thursday 14th December at 7 pm (doors open at approximately 6pm).

Refreshments will be available to purchase before and during the interval.

Yours faithfully

Stuart Ross