August 24, 2020

Thank you for a wonderful first week back to school! I was so impressed with students washing hands, using sanitizer, helping keep our school clean and wearing face coverings when asked. Lunches also went very well. Additionally, students were dressed appropriately for the weather. We will continue to use the outdoor spaces if the air quality and temperatures allow.

Updates:

- **Do not drop off prior to 7:20am.** This year, in an effort to minimize the risk of transmission of the virus and possible closure of our school, we are begging you not to drop off before students can be supervised at 7:20 am. *Please.*
- **Driveline** is going well but we need to fix a few things. If you are planning to park and wait for your student(s) in the parking lot, ask the Driveline greeter at road 8 to take your number. If you are parking and walking to the classroom door, do not hang your number in the window or give it to the Driveline greeter, just let the greeter know your plan. Everyone, please drive slowly in the parking lot. We start dismissing at **3:30pm**.
- **Read the <u>Student & Parent Handbook 2020 edition</u>.** There are some changes due to Covid-19. We need those signature pages back as soon as possible.
- **Medical issues.** If you have any questions regarding medical issues, Leann is happy to help. Please email her <u>leannmeikle@re3j.com</u>.
 - The attached is the <u>newest guiding document</u> for assessing if your child is too sick to attend school. *Following these guidelines each morning, before you send your child to school, will help keep everyone much healthier this school year.*

After School Care:

Ms. Ashton and Ms. Sarah are ready for your students. The biggest change is your student must bring a mask and to ensure time for cleaning each night, please arrive by 6pm. Watch for a message from Ms. Ashton and Ms. Sarah later this week.

Kindergarten Graduation:

It was a beautiful morning of celebration last week with our Kindergarten Graduation! Thank you to all the socially distanced families and to Mrs. Diller. She put a lot of time and effort into this fun event. She even gave the congratulatory kiss, in true Covid-19 style, each student received a sticker kiss to show off all day.

<u>PTO:</u>

Your CCA PTO is working hard to find fun and safe ways to support our school. We are looking forward to a school-wide scavenger hunt for students in the next few weeks. And because the students can't have all the fun, an adult scavenger hunt through Brighton is planned for September. They are also trying to find ways to help celebrate Halloween. Please watch their web page for more information.

Board of Directors:

The August Board meeting will be this Wednesday at 5:30 via Zoom; please join us from the comfort of home. The link is on the <u>Board of Directors web page</u>.

I am looking forward to seeing you tomorrow between 7:20-7:30 for drop-off!

Sincerely, Maureen Lockette