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Dear Parents and Guardians,

I am writing to enlist the help of all our parents in supporting our policies and our students! We discussed at Back to School Nights the importance of following our recently revised policy concerning the celebration of student birthdays. With the health concerns we now have for many of our students, it is imperative that all our parents follow the guidelines from the Parent/ Student Handbook and information from the Nurse's Office as well as mine:

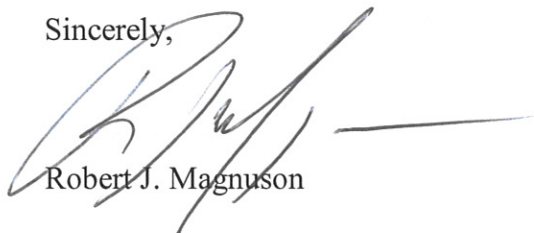
... you have been advised of the school's Local Wellness/ Nutrition Policy (3542.1). Once again, we are asking that no **"homemade"** items be submitted for classroom celebrations. **All food items must be store purchased and pre-packaged. The ingredient label from the snack must be attached to the completed bottom portion of this form, and submitted to the school nurse one week in advance of the occasion.** This will provide time to assure that the snack provided will not cause harm to any individual student. Should you require any additional forms, these may be obtained from the school nurse...

Since the first day of school, there have been too many instances of treats just appearing in the Main Office! We are currently investigating some alternatives to the food treats that might take place in January and I would like to solicit three parents who might be interested in being on a committee to develop a birthday celebration policy. Please contact me if you would like to be on the committee.

I would also like to remind everyone to display the "Stop Texting" car magnets that the Red Ribbon Committee was able to get for our school community from the Lehigh Valley Hospital network. These magnets will serve as a local reminder to drivers about the dangers of "driving while distracted."

Thank you for anticipated cooperation.

Sincerely,



Robert J. Magnuson