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Dear Parents and Guardians:

I hope this letter finds you well. Winter has been very kind to us on weekdays so far and hopefully that will continue. In case that changes, please remember to have a plan in place for delayed openings, early dismissals and school closures. If we have a delayed opening, our doors will not open until 11:00 A.M. Should the forecast call for snow, please make sure you discuss the possible plan with your child for school to close early. This will help them feel comfortable and know where they are going if we have an early dismissal.

I have had a steady report about cars speeding through our neighborhoods. I understand the need to be somewhere fast, especially in the morning before heading to work. We have many families and children who walk to and from Tamarac on a daily basis. Safety is our number one priority. Please remember to drive through our neighborhoods at the posted speed limit and to make sure you stop at all stop signs. This will help ensure our students get to school safely.

We have a PTA meeting scheduled for tonight at 6:30 PM and Father's Club is scheduled for 7:30 PM. Please join us!

We have many fun activities planned over the next few weeks. Our PTA Comedy night is scheduled for tomorrow, Friday night as is our Spirit day of "Black and White" day. Zingo is scheduled for next Thursday night, January 26th. Sports Night is scheduled for February 10th.

As always, if you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at (631) 244-5680 or e-mail me at msaidens@sachem.edu.

Sincerely,

Michael S. Saidens