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BLOOM & BLOOM TRAIL HIGH SCHOOLS

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We did not imagine as we started school year 2019-2020 that the end of the school year would look dramatically different from prior years. As we all transitioned to best support our students, I want to share my sincere thanks and appreciation to staff, parents and the community. Students were supported through remote learning, we were able to hold many celebrations virtually and provide food to hundreds of families. I am pleased to share that school meals will continue throughout the summer. Thank you to all of the parents, students and staff who have completed surveys issued by the district. We value your feedback and it provides insight for future planning around remote learning possibilities. As we close out school year 2019-2020, I want to give special congratulations to the entire Class of 2020. It always gives me joy when I see another class complete the necessary requirements to advance their future.

As we prepare to hold virtual summer school, school year 2020-2021 is on the horizon. Given the uncertainty of what school will look like in the fall, we are proactively planning for several possibilities. Possible scenarios include students and staff returning onsite in the fall with proper safety protocols in place, continuing with remote learning or a combination of both. We are looking at all levels of operations through this decision making process. As the Illinois State Board of Education and Governor Pritzker’s Office issue further guidance regarding the re-opening of schools, we will integrate it into our plans.

These have been trying times and many have been adversely affected, socially, emotionally, mentally and financially by the impact of COVID-19. Our hearts are with you. As some of the sheltering-in-place begin to lift, I hope that you are able to take advantage of some of the warm weather safely with your families.

Sincerely,

Lenell Navarre, Ed.D.
Superintendent