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Dear Parent/Guardian:

This afternoon, Governor Tom Wolf ordered a hard closure for all K-12 schools in the Commonwealth for 10 business days effective Monday, March 16 through March 27 in order to assist in slowing the spread of the rapidly changing COVID-19 coronavirus pandemic. The purpose of this closure is to provide for social-distancing to fight the spread of the virus.

The safety and well-being of our students, staff, community, and visitors as a whole are our utmost concern. The following are suspended throughout the closure: all PreK-12 instructional and extracurricular activities, athletics, field trips, and community service programs. Hard closure also restricts the public from being in our facilities and on our school grounds (including the track and playground areas).

We will continue to communicate with families as more information and details are known. Please visit: homercenter.org and click on the coronavirus update link.

This coronavirus update page will directly link you to the Center for Disease Control (CDC) site which includes information on how to talk to your kids about the coronavirus, steps to prevent illness, and what to do if you're sick. This page also includes a link to the Pennsylvania Department of Health (PADOH).

This situation is unprecedented and we anticipate that there will be many changes and updates. Thank you for your cooperation and patience during this complex and challenging time.

Sincerely,

Curtis A. Whitesel
Superintendent