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LES School Community:

If you have followed the construction of our new Latrobe Elementary School, you are as excited as we are with the opening of a new community school. The construction schedule was aggressive having approved the construction bids in February of 2017 and issued the Notice to Proceed in March of 2017.

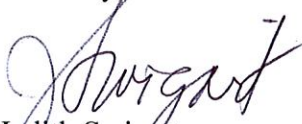
As we approached the spring and summer months of 2018, there were milestones that had to be attained to be ready for the start of school. Unfortunately, I need to inform you that we have recently been made aware that the opening of Latrobe Elementary School will be delayed. Therefore, LES students will begin the school year in the "old" Latrobe Elementary School. We will take ownership and move the students to the new building when construction is complete. Our hope is that this move will occur in late fall.

We are obviously disappointed that we cannot start the year in the new building and are working with the future owners of LES to extend our time there. However, we recognize that the construction of a new school involves many factors; and in the end, we know our new elementary school will be a District landmark for many years to come.

Mrs. Holler has enclosed a letter detailing specific information regarding the start of the year. Please call 724-539-4200 or visit our website at www.glsd.us for updated information on the new building.

Enjoy the remainder of the summer months!

Sincerely,



Judith Swigart
Superintendent of Schools