



HOLY REDEEMER HIGH SCHOOL

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April 21, 2017

Dear Parents:

As you may know, the administration of Holy Redeemer High School became aware at 10:00 p.m. on Wednesday night, April 19, of a potential threat to the school community. The appropriate authorities were contacted immediately and they responded at once. The safety of your sons and daughters is our first priority.

Once it was determined that there was no immediate threat to our school community, we communicated to the best of our ability at the time by posting a letter on our Facebook page at 1:11 a.m. on April 20. A follow-up letter was emailed to each parent and posted on Chalkable, our Website, and our Facebook page at 9:10 a.m. Please be assured that all steps were taken to ensure the safety of our school community before communications were released.

At this time, there is still an active and ongoing investigation. If you have any information to share, please contact the Wilkes Barre Police or Holy Redeemer High School.

Having shared this information, please know that we became aware of the need for a different communication method. Enclosed you will find directions for enrolling in "REMIND." This program will allow you to receive texts and/or emails directly from the school on your phone or computer. We will explore additional methods of communication as we move forward.

We appreciate the trust you have in us as shown through your expressions of support and your cooperation in our efforts to respond to this highly unusual situation. We will continue to evaluate and implement our safety procedure at all times including various drills and practice scenarios.

Please feel free to contact us at any time.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Anita Sirak
Principal

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