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June 19th, 2020

Dear Boquet Valley CSD Faculty, Staff, Parents, Guardians, and Community Members:

Congratulations to all of you for completing our inaugural year as a newly merged school district. I am certain that this school year is not exactly what any of us had in mind when the doors were opened in September. I am forever grateful for the generosity, the compassion, the understanding, and the sense of community that we have experienced since making the adjustment to remote instruction in March. While many aspects of this situation have been challenging, I am proud of the efforts made by our team at Boquet Valley Central School District.

I cannot say with any degree of certainty what the 2020-21 school year will look like. As information is communicated to me, I will continue to pass it along to you through the website, emails, videos, and robocalls as well as monthly updates at the Board of Education meetings. We will develop a comprehensive reopening plan that focuses on the health and safety of our students and employees. Once this plan is approved by the New York State Education Department, it will be shared with the community.

Thank you to the community for your continued support of our district by supporting the 2020-21 budget and all other propositions. Your support is essential in our relentless pursuit to be the best school district for our students. Congratulations to both Dina Garvey and Sarah Kullman, who were re-elected to a three-year term on the Board of Education.

Please contact the school if you have specific needs over the summer. If we cannot assist directly, we can likely connect you to an appropriate person or agency for assistance. Have a wonderful summer and enjoy the break. I am looking forward to, what is sure to be, an exciting 2020-21 school year!

Sincerely,

Joshua R. Meyer Superintendent of Schools