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Sachem Central School District

Hiawatha Elementary School

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Dear Hiawatha Parents/Guardians,

This school year has been like none other and we would like to thank you for your support, encouragement, and patience. Our travels together have included many encouraging words, unexpected detours, and cheering each other toward new frontiers. Like all families, we faced challenges, grew together, and helped each other over bumps in the road.

We would like to honor our special time together by sending our students off with a "HIAWATHA WAVE" on Wednesday, June 24th. This is a tradition we would like to keep alive regardless of the unprecedented times we are in. Families are invited to drive through our bus circle during designated times so teachers and students can share their pride and admiration for each other. Please feel free to decorate your car and show off your Hiawatha pride.

A few important items:

- Families with multiple children will be asked to come during their older student's time slot
- Masks/face coverings must be worn when on Sachem property
- We ask that families always remain in their cars
- Please display your name so we can easily identify your family as you drive through
- All cars must enter at the southern most end of our bus loop

Kindergarten & 1 st Grade	10:00 AM
2 nd Grade & 3 rd Grade	10:30 AM
4 th Grade & 5 th Grade	11:00 AM

Staff members will be located on both sides of the bus loop to wave and say their goodbyes for the summer break. Staff will hold signs with their names to help children identify them as they travel through their memory lane. Once your loop is complete, we ask that you exit the bus circle to the right to avoid any congestion with cars that will be entering.

Never forget that you are part of an extraordinary school family. We look forward to this fun event and wish you nothing but blue skies and happy smiles as you begin your summer.

Sincerely,

Andrew Larson

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