CCSD 89 families:

As we wrap up an incredible school year, I am once again awed by our community. It seems that in every school I visit, there is a big event being planned by our families. Our buildings are filled with spring flings, dances, field days, and much more.

I want to thank all of our CCSD 89 families for their contributions throughout this amazing year. You have organized events and fundraisers, helped with homework, and kept up with your student’s progress. You empower our schools and we are energized by your partnership.

There are so many wonderful opportunities for your family this summer. This community is filled with wonderful parks. We are near world-class museums and spectacular and forest preserves. The library at Westfield Elementary School is open to all our CCSD 89 families. The school will be running free programs all summer, and I encourage you to stop by.

But more than anything, I hope that you are able to spend time as a family this summer, having adventures and creating memories. Sit outside, talk about your day, and decide what excitement you will find tomorrow. Have a fun, safe, and wonderful summer.

Thank you again for a wonderful school year. We look forward to seeing you all on August 16.

Here are some important reminders and celebrations:

**Congrats to the Glen Crest graduates!**
The entire CCSD 89 community shares congratulations and well wishes to the families of our eighth-grade Glen Crest Middle School students. On Tuesday, May 30, more than XXX students will become the newest Glenbard South High School freshman. We are incredibly proud!

**CCSD 89 athletes shine at Special Olympics**
Congratulations to all our athletes who competed in Special Olympic events at the College of DuPage earlier this month. We had seven CCSD 89 students who earned medals or ribbons in their events! Congratulations to Mia, Isaiah, Aiden, J.J., Lexi, Jake, and Wyatt. Three of the athletes will be competing at the state meet in June and wish them the best!

**Students honored by Illinois Principals Association**
Three CCSD 89 students were recently honored at the Illinois Principals Association annual awards. Park View student Ashley Krebs, Westfield student Annabel Moore, and Glen Crest student Malachi Clark were recognized for their academic excellence, school leadership, and service to others. Congratulations!
Thank you our CCSD 89 retirees
I would like to thank Park View Elementary School first grade teacher Bonnie Carlson and Glen Crest Middle School Administrative Assistant Anne Marie Wall for their years dedicated service to the students of Community Consolidated School District 89. Both Carlson and Wall are retiring this year and we wish them well on their next adventure!

Make sure you are registered for 2017-18
If you have not registered for the 2017-18 school year, please complete the process as soon as possible. The District bases staffing decisions and other planning on having complete registration information. You can find more information here: goo.gl/7NqEXK

Board of Education updates
On May 1, the Board met to welcome two new members and elect three members to leadership positions. Jay Lerch and La Sridhar were officially seated on the Board. Beth Powers was elected Board President, Haydee Núñez as Vice President, and Scott Pope as Board Secretary Pro Tem.

The Board of Education met again on Monday, May 15. At the meeting, fifth-grade students from Westfield Elementary School demonstrated the experiments they have conducted and designed using MakerSpace tools.

The Board heard recommendations about a new exploratory framework at Glen Crest. The full presentation can be viewed here: https://goo.gl/nQ2Eav The Board agreed to consider the recommendations for another month.

A summary of the May 15 Board meeting can be read here: https://goo.gl/ccuhal

The Board will next meet on June 19.

Upcoming events
May 23: District spring orchestra concert
May 29: No School (Memorial Day)
May 30: Glen Crest promotion ceremony
May 31: Last day of school for students – morning attendance
June 19: Board of Education meeting
July 18: Board of Education meeting
August 16: First day of school for students!
Thank you for all you do to support learning for life! Have a safe and happy summer!

Sincerely,

Emily K. Tammaru
Superintendent
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