



HIGHLAND FALLS-FORT MONTGOMERY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Dr. Frank Sheboy, Superintendent of Schools

April 29, 2022

To The Highland Falls – Fort Montgomery School Community,

As we look at the weather throughout the country and worldwide, the weather patterns this year have been a challenge. Here in the Mid-Hudson region we had snow throughout January, February and March. While cold, we actually had a fairly mild winter, and were fortunate that a number of storms hit the area over weekends. As you know we closed school on four days this winter due to inclement weather.

The school calendar for 2021-2022 included five days for possible snow or weather emergencies, four staff development days, and time for parent/teacher conferences. Because we have not yet used the five days set aside for weather emergencies we need to revise the calendar and schedule additional days for school to be closed.

In consideration of these factors we are closing school one additional days around the Memorial Day Holiday. **School will be dismissed early on Thursday May 26, 2022 and closed Friday, May 27, 2022.**

When we build our district calendar, there are several New York State regulations that must be followed. Public schools cannot be in session on federal holidays, nor can we include student days in August or July to meet the required days for instruction. The last day of school is also determined by the Board of Regents and the New York State Education Department based on the Regents exams.

The building principals will send reminders to you regarding the school calendar. These dates, as well as any subsequent changes, will be posted on our website www.hffmcsd.org. Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Frank Sheboy".

Dr. Frank Sheboy