



BARNEGAT TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

One of the challenges this year was the need to significantly reduce our transportation costs. This reduction includes the SRTS Program (Safe Routes to School), elimination of all late buses except one at BHS, improved efficiency of bus routes/stops, staff cuts, and scheduling revisions. After working with the NJ Department of Education, Municipality, and Board of Education we have a final draft of the school reorganization developed by EduLog (independent transportation specialist). I would like to stress that this redistricting was done by a third party and independent of the district to ensure it was done efficiently and effectively. There have been revisions in the program since our public meetings due to the state accountability regulations and NJ QSAC (New Jersey Quality Single Accountability Continuum). The revisions include: K-12 students walking in designated “walking” neighborhoods and only current grade 4 students having the option to stay in their current school (parents transport) or transfer to their “neighborhood” school. We will also be revising all of our schools’ drop off and pick up locations. This will include better signage, markings, and/or relocation. Let me be clear, these further revisions in SRTS were made to avoid further reductions in our academic programs and staff.

On our website please find an overview map of the town and its return to a neighborhood school model. Please note, your child will be attending the school closest to their home. If a particular school was full to capacity, your child will be attending the next closest school.

If you would like your current grade 4 student to remain in their school please fill out and submit this form to your main office by June 10th, 2010.

Student Name: _____

Grade Level: 4

Current School: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Our Mission: The Barneget Schools, in partnership with our community, nurture and educate our children in accordance with all core curriculum content standards to prepare them for responsible citizenship and success in life.

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