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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Many of us recently learned of criminal allegations and an arrest involving a school parent who was also associated with parent teacher organization, Watch Dogs, and various other community programs outside of the school community.

The District has limited information at this time, other than we have recently also been made aware of some of the charging documents that are beginning to surface in media reports. We are in direct communication with the lead detective to learn more about the circumstances surrounding this situation.

To the extent we become aware of the nature of the concerns surrounding this individual, we may be limited in our ability to share that information in order to respect the confidentiality of the individuals involved.

What we can share is that the individual that is under arrest is not permitted on any of our campuses and has been trespassed indefinitely. We will continue to work with the Detective and Snohomish County Sheriff's Office to assist in the investigation in any way possible.

In the meantime, we remain focused on the health and well-being of our students and school community. If any concerns arise while talking to your child or if you become aware of anything involving this individual and any of our students, please reach out to our School Resource Office, Deputy Craig Hess or myself. We will support you in the best way possible; if your child would like to talk to an adult about any concerns around this situation, please contact your school principal or school counselor. We also have our K-8 Mental Health Specialist and Student Support Advocate available. You can also contact the district office and we will put you in contact with the appropriate person at each school.

Sincerely,

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