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# Caledonia Community Schools

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Dear Caledonia Community Schools Families:

Over the past three days we have received a flurry of information and changes regarding COVID-19 Health Orders emanating from the CDC, Governor Whitmer, Michigan Department of Health & Humans Services (MDHHS), and the Michigan High School Athletic Association (MHSAA). Given the timing of the announcements that came from the various entities over the past few days, we would like to now share the following information on procedural changes that our district will enact immediately:

- Masks Outdoors:** While individuals may freely choose to continue to wear a face mask outdoors, athletes, staff & students will no longer be required to wear a mask regardless of vaccination status while outdoors. (MDHHS & MHSAA) This takes immediate effect and includes all outdoor sports and playground activities. Playground zones for elementary students will no longer be enforced and students may move freely with other classrooms in their grade level.
- Masks Indoors:** Although the new health order allows fully vaccinated individuals to not wear masks indoors, the District is still confirming with MDHHS and KCHD what regulations govern school settings. At this time, we ask that all staff and students continue to wear masks indoors until further information is available. We are hopeful that more information should be available by Monday and we will update students, staff, and parents accordingly once we have had the opportunity to review the new orders.
- Event Spectators Limits:** Currently there is no change to the outdoor spectator limits from previous orders (1,000 spectators in most cases) other than the fact that face masks are no longer required for anyone outdoors, spectators included. (MHSAA & MDHHS)

With only fourteen (14) days of school remaining, we ask for everyone's patience and cooperation as we diligently review the details of the revised Health Orders once they become available and consult with the appropriate authorities for clarity on whatever guidance we receive.

We know this has been a challenging year for all and we thank you for your continued support and patience. We look forward to a great end to the school year.

Sincerely

CCS Administration

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