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Dear Parents, Staff and Concerned Citizens:

I am pleased to communicate with you again and hope you are enjoying the end of the winter season.

As previously announced regarding the unexpected school closure days this school year, it has become necessary to engage the provisions of Board of Education Policy #6111: *School Calendar and Graduation Date Setting*.

Specifically, the need to make-up the seven (7) unanticipated, lost, instructional days due to weather events has led to the engagement of this policy. Pursuant to the provisions of the policy, the first five (5) school closure make-up days have been added to the end of the 2012-2013 school calendar in June (21, 24, 25, 26 and 27). The sixth (6th) and seventh (7th) school closure days will be made up on Thursday, April 18th and Friday, April 19th. The revised school calendar is available on our website at: www.avon.k12.ct.us

The last official school day for the 2012-2013 school year is Thursday, June 27th and will be announced as the date of the Avon High School graduation once the Board of Education acts upon this at its next meeting.

In other school district business, the central office administration is completing presentations over the next few weeks to the Republican Town Committee, Democratic Town Committee and Avon Taxpayers Association regarding the 2013-2014 Board of Education Proposed Budget.

In closing, I wish to personally request that we, as a school district community, recognize all of the student athletes who participated in winter sports. Your accomplishments and conduct, both on and off the playing surface, are among those things I most appreciate.

Thank you for your continued support and enjoy a productive week.

I remain very truly yours,

Gary S. Mala
Superintendent of Schools