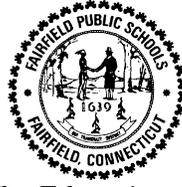


FAIRFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS



The Education Center

August 17, 2012

Dear Osborn Hill Community,

Thank you to everyone who attended the informational forums on August 15. If you were unable to attend, FairTV recorded the forum and it is being broadcast on Channel 78. A schedule of times can be found on their website at www.fairtvonline.org.

The remediation work at Osborn Hill School that was developed and agreed upon at the August 1 meeting with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) is nearly complete. Testing of the school is underway; and as soon as we know the results, they will be posted on our website. We are continuing to work with the EPA and CT DEEP to do whatever it takes to get the school cleared to open on August 30. In the event the school opens, we will be seeking temporary space on the site to replace the gym. This temporary space may not be available for several weeks. Physical Education classes will be held outside, weather permitting, or otherwise in the APR. When the APR is used for physical education, children will eat lunch in their classrooms.

In the event that Osborn Hill School is not ready for occupancy on August 30, the contingency plan that was detailed in our August 10 letter will go into effect. Please know that we have examined all available options, and this is the best contingency plan available.

Our next communication will be Friday August 24. By this date we expect to have a decision regarding the opening of Osborn Hill. If we know anything sooner, we will send out a special communication before August 24.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding as we continue to work with our consultants and contractors to make every effort to resolve this matter as quickly as possible and to provide a safe and healthy learning environment at Osborn Hill for the upcoming school year.

Sincerely,

David G. Title, Superintendent of Schools

Frank Arnone, Principal