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April 1, 2020

Good Afternoon Students, Families, Staff, and Community Members,

As our Union Local Family transitioned through the month of March and are heading into April, it is important to reach out once again with information and updates that may be of assistance to everyone. This message will touch upon the governor's newest order, internet service, and provide contact information for questions, as we transition forward.

First, Governor DeWine, recently extended the school closure order until and including May 1st, 2020. Therefore, at this point in time, Union Local School District may be open again on May 4, 2020. All events, practices, fundraisers, etc, will be delayed until this May 4th date. Please once again be advised that although school continues to operate, the campus is closed to traffic, with the exception of already identified necessary employees. We do apologize for this closure, however, we believe it is most appropriate to ensure the safety of our staff, students, and community.

For anyone who does not have internet service, Comcast is providing support. The following notice is on the Union Local Schools Webpage under Covid-19 information and updates:

• Xfinity WiFi Free For Everyone: Xfinity WiFi hotspots across the country will be available to anyone who needs them for free – including non-Xfinity Internet subscribers. For a map of Xfinity WiFi hotspots, visit www.xfinity.com/wifi. Once at a hotspot, consumers should select the "xfinitywifi" network name in the list of available hotspots, and then launch a browser.

As we continue to move forward, if you should have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to me by calling 740-782-1978 X 2501 or by emailing me at <u>bporter@ulschools.com</u>. If I do not answer the phone please leave a message, my messages are checked multiple times per day. Also, you are encouraged to reach out to your child's building principal PK-2 Dana Kendziorski <u>dkendziorski@ulschools.com</u>, 3-5 Zack Powell <u>zpowell@ulschools.com</u>, 6-8 Joel Davia <u>jdavia@ulschools.com</u>, 9-12 Zac Shutler <u>zshutler@ulschools.com</u>, Special Education Director and Student Support Jayme Yonak <u>jyonak@ulschools.com</u>, Athletic Director Nick Nardo <u>nnardo@ulschools.com</u>, HS Dean of Students Mike Menges, <u>mmenges@ulschools.com</u>.

Finally, I would like to give a huge shout out to district employees, Missy Smith and Ruthie Martin, and Mike Menges. These ladies and this gentleman continue to work very hard to provide food support to families who may be in need.

As with everyday JETS will continue to THINK, CARE, and AIM High!!!!