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Steven Stone
Superintendent of Schools

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Dear Richardson Middle and Dracut High School Communities:

I am writing to inform you that Athletic Director Paula Chausse has resigned her position. Mrs. Chausse's last day will be November 2nd. I thank her for her years of service to the Dracut Public Schools. The reestablishment of an Athletic Hall of Fame area at DHS and her passionate focus on students are tangible examples of her work over the past 5 years. I wish her well.

I am pleased to announce that I have appointed Tom DiGeronimo as the interim Athletic Director, effective immediately. Mr. DiGeronimo has been a high school administrator for almost two decades, with the last 3 here in Dracut. Tom built on his successful playing career (Fitchburg High School Hall of Fame; football at UMaine) by serving as a high school coach for many years (assistant coach in a variety of sports and 11 years as a head football coach). In my many conversations with Mr. DiGeronimo over the past few years, I found him earnest in his appreciation of the students and staff at Dracut High, and eager to support #MiddiePride.

Mr. DiGeronimo will work with Mrs. Chausse over the next two weeks to ensure that there is a seamless transition. With our new full time Athletic Trainer establishing herself in the life of our programs, the upcoming grand opening of our newly renovated fitness and weight training facility, and the design for the new tennis and pickleball court facility making its way through the town funding process, there are many exciting things happening in the Athletic Department. I am confident that Tom, our coaches, and staff will continue to build momentum in support of our student athletes.

Sincerely,

Steven Stone
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