Central School District

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Parents and Guardians of HCS students:

Enclosed please find annual notifications from Hammondsport Central School regarding your rights under FERPA, the Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment, and the disclosure of Student Directory Information. The protection of student information and data is of critical importance to the District. Please review the enclosed Student Directory information notification and contact me by the deadline as stated if desired.

Please also find the current District notice of Non-Discrimination and Equal Opportunity

Notice of Non-Discrimination/Equal Opportunity

Hammondsport Central School District does not discriminate against any student, employee, or applicant for employment or admissions on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age in its programs and activities and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the non-discrimination policies:

District Title IX Coordinator

Katie Richtmyer, School Psychologist 8272 Main Street, Hammondsport, NY 14840 #607-569-5200 ext 5310

Katie.Boyer@hport.wnyric.org

Alternate Title IX Coordinator

Tad Rounds, Jr./Sr. High School Principal 8272 Main Street, Hammondsport, NY 14840 #607-569-5200 ext 5331 trounds@hport.wnyric.org

Any student, employee, or applicant for employment or admission to Hammondsport Central School District who believes that he or she has been discriminated against on the basis of sex may file a complaint with the Title IX Coordinator or to the Office of Civil Rights ("OCR"), United States Department of Education, 1-800-421-3481.

If you have any questions on the enclosed notifications, please reach out to me directly. I look forward to the great school year ahead!

Sincerely,

Superintendent of Schools

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