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Dear Parents/Guardians,

I would like to invite you to attend a mandatory presentation on teen driving safety. As a parent it is often a stressful moment when your child gets behind the wheel of a car on his or her own for the first time. Our comprehensive Driver's Education program goes a long way toward educating our students about how they can be safe, but there is also a great deal of information to be shared with parents and guardians as well.

At this meeting we will inform you of our parking permit procedure and provide you with information about teen driving safety. We will also give you materials to help you help your child become a better, safer driver. We expect the meeting to run approximately one hour.

Presentation Schedules

April 29 – Jackson Memorial HS Fine Arts Center – 7:00 PM

May 5 – Jackson Liberty HS Auditorium – 7:00 PM

You will learn about the new parking permit procedure at this meeting, but in general it centers on the idea that in order to receive one, students and parents must sign a contract that shows they agree that parking permits are contingent on students following the rules of New Jersey's Graduated Driver's License Program as well as school rules. **Parents and guardians must attend one of the scheduled meetings before their upcoming high school senior will be granted a permit next year.** Please arrive early for parking purposes and to register and sign in.

This meeting is the product of a continuing collaboration among the district, the Township Council, the Police Department, area business leaders and the Jackson Clergy Association to find ways to keep our students safe on the roads. I encourage you to attend, even if you have no intention of allowing your student to drive to school during his or her senior year. We will answer all your questions about this new permit-granting procedure, but if you have immediate concerns, please feel free to contact me and I will be happy to answer any of your questions.

Sincerely,

Anthony J. Gaita

