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Welcome back to a new school year. As we enter a new school year, I want to assure you our Department works closely with the school administration to provide a safe environment for the children and staff of the school district.

Each year we receive complaints and concerns regarding the traffic/parking around the Lakeside School. If we are to reduce the traffic congestion, we need your cooperation in abiding by the parking and traffic regulations. These regulations have been put into place first, to provide a safe environment for picking up and dropping off children; and secondly to address the buildup of vehicle traffic during those times.

The following is a reminder of the traffic and parking regulations in the Lakeside School area:

Van Avenue:

- Van Avenue becomes a one-way street during school crossings from Lenox Avenue to Lakeside Avenue 7:30 AM to 8:30 AM and 2:30 PM to 3:30 PM.
- Two hour parking Monday through Friday while school is in session 8 AM to 3:30 PM between Lenox Ave and Lakeside Ave
- Parking is prohibited at all times along the eastern curblineline of Van Avenue (facing Lenox Ave) between Lenox Ave and Pompton Ave.

Lakeside Avenue:

- There is no stopping or standing on Lakeside Avenue. Please use Van Avenue to drop off your children.

Lenox Avenue:

- No right turn off of Lenox Avenue onto Van Avenue 7:30 AM to 8:30 AM and 2:30 PM to 3:30 PM while school is in session.

Finally, use extreme care when driving during school hours. Children are often distracted when; walking with a friend, talking on a cell phone or any other number of reasons. Make sure you buckle your seat belts and car seats. Encourage your children to use the designated crosswalks. We want to keep this a safe community; your cooperation is greatly appreciated. Let us continue to have a safe school year.

Thank you,

Lt. Michael Klepacky

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