

To Mr. Larsen and our School Board,

We made it through the first weeks of school.

On the first day of school, we had over 2,000 phone calls because parents decided to wait until the first day of school to find out where and when their child will be picked up.

In our first week of school, we had over 22 cars run our bus stop-arm signs. We were able to catch 3 of them and turn them in to the police station. We need to address this and get it out to the public that they cannot be running our stop signs and then using colorful language at our drivers as they go by. A kid is going to get hurt. It will not be if it will be when. Our district has sent out a Parentsquare notification as well as a public announcement on paying attention to the school bus stop-arm to the local radio station, and we appreciate the hard work from our district to help us get the word out. We have met with the Sherriff's Department to come up with a plan on how to educate the public and discussed increased law enforcement presence in our district.

We had 5 tickets in the month of August. 2 of the 5 were suspensions.

September birthdays:

Chris Bean

Alicia Bywater

Cynthia Bennett

We would like to Thank Mr. Larsen and the school board for their continued support of our department.

Thank you,

Coleen Jones