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Dear Maple Place Parents,

Unfortunately, our regularly scheduled bus provider informed us last week that they are unable to bus our students for athletic events. We have been working to find a new transportation provider, and have not been able to secure a service at this time. School transportation services across New Jersey has been very tough because bus companies are having a difficult time finding drivers.

In the meantime, we are asking parents to transport students to and from all games. We apologize for this inconvenience, and wish this was not the case. In the event that we are able to secure bus services, we will resume transportation of our students for athletic purposes immediately.

For each game, please write a note to the coach regarding whom you are deeming responsible for picking up your child from school and transporting them to that day's event. Please specify your child's name and the full name of the person responsible for pick-up, as well as the activity that they are attending. Please advise that person to have proper identification for such purposes at pick-up. The coach will maintain the notes and facilitate sign-out procedures similar to regular school dismissal. Without a written note with this specific information, your child cannot participate in the event.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at any time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Melanie Lipinski".

Melanie Lipinski, Acting CSA