

SALEM SCHOOL



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Dear Salem Families,



I want to assure you that myself and the manager from M&J Bus Inc. are in frequent communication to discuss ways to alleviate the delays and bus combinations that continue to be problematic. Immediate efforts that are underway are as follows:

- Working with M&J to help actively recruit new drivers, which is the main source of the problem
- Analyzing bus routes and the number of riders on each route to make adjustments
- Bus loading by grade level waves
- Engaging more Salem Staff members in dismissal to have a smooth transition time
- Utilizing Facebook and School Messenger to communicate when busses are running late or being combined
- Creation of a live spreadsheet to view bus routes with real time departure to help gauge when bus will arrive; Click [here](#) to access that sheet

Thank you for your ongoing support and patience as we continue to collaborate with the bus company to make this the most efficient process possible given the circumstances.

Sincerely,



Daniel P. Driscoll