Dear Chimney Hill Families,

We look forward to welcoming your children back to school on Tuesday, September 7 at **10:00 – 11:00.** When you arrive, we ask that you walk around the school and look for the signs on the outside classroom doors that will direct your child to the classroom they will attend for the first week of school. Your children will be divided for the first week according to the first initial of their last name. For example, a classroom sign might say, “Grade 7 A – L”. This would mean that all students in grade seven with the last name beginning with the letter A – L would attend that classroom.

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday are full school days 8:33 – 2:35. Our first welcome bell will ring at 8:30 and 8:35 is when instruction begins. The grounds will be supervised starting at 8:20 on regular school days. Please do not have your children arrive before this time.

Students will meet all of the teachers at their grade level throughout the first week. We hope to have classes organized by early the following week, at which time your child will be informed of their teacher for this school year. Thank you for your patience while we work through this process.

School Supplies have arrived for those students that ordered last year. These supplies will be sent home next week.

On Thursday and Friday students will be reviewing updated health and safety protocols and routines. Students will also be introduced to our Back To School theme week, **“Be Strong”** and will take part in a variety of activities around this theme. It is important for students to attend on these days to receive instruction on health and safety, and to confirm enrollment.

Students in grades 4 – 7 must wear masks. Students in K – grade 3 are encouraged to wear masks when they can.

We are looking forward to a great year of learning, connections and fun at Chimney Hill. Please look for more information in our first newsletter that will be emailed on or before Friday, Sept. 10.

With Kindness,

Dee Reiter, Principal

Nicole Watson, Vice Principal