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Dear Parents/Guardians:

The Byram Township Schools in cooperation with the PTA will again hold two separate **OPEN HOUSES**. Please be reminded that open house is an opportunity to learn about your child's educational program in general and not for individual conferencing. Please be advised that children are not invited to attend the open houses.

The **Byram Lakes Elementary School Open House** will be held on **Thursday, September 18, 2008** in the Elementary School's All Purpose Room from 7:00 to 9:00 P.M.

The **Byram Intermediate School Open House** will be held on **Tuesday, September 23, 2008** in the Intermediate School's All Purpose Room from 7:00 to 9:00 P.M.

Teachers in pre-school to grade 4 at Byram Lakes will present a general overview of their programs followed by smaller group overviews for parents with more than one child in the Byram Lakes School who need to visit with more than one teacher. The departmental grades 5-8 will follow a schedule to ensure that all parents are introduced to the grade level teachers. Parents/guardians of children in grades 5-8 should report to the All-Purpose Room for a brief PTA meeting and welcome from the administration. Schedules will be mailed out to parents/guardians prior to the open house.

Our **Basic Skills Improvement Program teachers**, Mrs. Kathleen Smith, Mrs. Laura Baron, Ms. Connie Cooke and Mrs. Mary Beth Dowd, will be available to meet with the parents/ guardians of those children who receive instructional assistance in our basic skills program. Information regarding the time and location for the BSIP teachers will be announced at the staff introduction.

We look forward to seeing you at the Open House sessions scheduled for this month.

Sincerely,

Thomas Podgurski  
Principal Pre-K to 4

Jack E. Leonard  
Principal 5 to 8

