This is Mark Savage, Principal of Wakefield High School, with your weekly announcement. Copies of which will also appear on our school's website.

Next Thursday is an early release day. Ninth grade center will dismiss at 11:10 and the main campus at 11:20. Buses will leave at 11:30.

Attention parents: due to a new policy set by Wake County Public Schools, the PTSA student directory must have written permission to have any student's name and information published.

The PTSA must have an approval one of two ways: Log into the school's website and go to the PTSA School Directory Permission heading on the home page or come to the school's front office to pick up and return the permission form. Deadline for the forms to be completed is September 15.

**Please note:**
****The PTSA must have at least 10% of the approved students names or 300 students for it to be cost effective to print this directory. Only those parents that have sent in approval, will receive a directory. We apologize for this inconvenience, but recognize that the safety of students and their families is what is most important.**

The PTSA is hosting an information and feedback session regarding upcoming plans to reassign northern area high school students. Current projections call for approximately 1000 students to be reassigned out of Wakefield High School, beginning with those who will be in the 9th and 10th grades in 2010--there will be no grandfathering of siblings of older students. The meeting will be held on Thursday, Sept. 25 at 7:30 PM in the Media Center. Please note that the time has been changed so that we can have Mr. Chuck Dulaney, Asst. Superintendent of Student Assignment, help with the presentation. This meeting will provide an opportunity for you to voice your concerns prior to the formation of the official reassignment plan that will be presented later this fall.

Seniors should have senior portraits taken prior to October 15. Pictures taken after this date will not be ready in time to appear in the yearbook. All appointments should be scheduled with Prestige Portraits 800-210-0787. Prestige will **not** be on campus to take photographs.

Thank you.