

# Building Update - Friday, April 14, 2017

LKMS Families and Community,

As I shared earlier this week, LKMS experienced a pipe failure over last weekend that resulted in flooding of the Related Arts wing, including the gymnasium, and front office area. HCPSS facilities, contractors and the LKMS custodial team have been working tirelessly throughout this week to clean-up and repair any damage. This work will continue through this weekend and Monday (with the exception of Sunday).

**School will open as scheduled on Tuesday, April 18, 2017.** All classrooms affected will be ready for instruction, with the exception of the gymnasium (fortunately PE instruction can take place outside on most days). The gym floor will be completely replaced. That work is beginning this weekend, and we can expect to be able to use the gymnasium in approximately 4 weeks. Student lockers (and contents) in the affected area (hallway near music and Tech Ed) **did not experience any damage** themselves. However, over next weekend those lockers will be removed in order to repair the drywall behind them. On Friday, April 21, we will ask students with lockers in those areas to empty them and either take items home or place them in bags for us to store at LKMS over the weekend. When students return the following Monday, April 24, they will be able to return the items to their lockers and use their lockers as normal. Please look for updates next week as warranted. Happy Passover and Happy Easter to those who observe. Enjoy the remainder of the break!  
Lucy Lublin, Principal