## SHAMOKIN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Dear Parents,

Keeping you informed is a top priority at Shamokin Area School District. That is why we have adopted the ALERT NOW Notification Service which will allow us to send a telephone message to you providing important information about school events or emergencies. We use the ALERT NOW to notify you of school delays or cancellations due to inclement weather or other emergencies, as well as remind you about various events, including report card distribution, open house, field trips, and more. In the event of an emergency at school, you can have peace of mind knowing that you will be informed immediately by phone.

## What you need to know about receiving calls sent through ALERT NOW

Caller ID will display the school's main number when a general announcement is delivered. Caller ID will display 411 if the message is a dire emergency.

ALERT NOW will leave a message on any answering machine or voicemail.

If the ALERT NOW message stops playing, press any key 1-9 and the message will replay from the beginning.

The successful delivery of information is dependent upon accurate contact information for each student, so please make certain that we have your most current phone number. If this information changes during the year, please let us know immediately. Only one phone number can be used for the ALERT NOW system, so consider where you want the calls to be received.

Please return the form below to your child's homeroom teacher by September 9. This number will be called for all school communications.

Reep the top portion for your records.

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Student's First Name

Middle Initial

Last Name

Grade \_\_\_\_\_

\*' Effective Date for change \_\_\_\_\_

ALERT NOW PHONE NUMBER -- Include Area Code: \*\*\* ONLY 1 NUMBER ALLOWED HERE\*\*\*

Name of parent/guardian completing form

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