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To the Whitehall Community;

It is with the deepest regret that I must share the following information. This morning, one of our students, Airyonna Jabot was tragically killed in a fire at her home. Airyonna and her family I am sure, will be in our thoughts and prayers during this incredibly difficult time.

Please know that the Whitehall School Community will be here to support Airyonna's family in any way that they may need. It is also important that we come together as a community to support our student body and Staff as they cope with this terrible loss. In an effort to provide necessary support, the District will have Mental Health counselors available at both buildings throughout the upcoming week; and as long as necessary thereafter to support the needs of our student body. I would encourage families to take advantage of this support if your children are struggling with this news. Please reach out to the school if you believe that your child requires additional support during these difficult times.

I would encourage anyone with additional needs or concerns to contact the school. We will help in any way that we can as we come together as a community to heal.

Most Sincerely,

Patrick Dee Superintendent of Schools