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Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are writing to inform you that Long Island school districts have been recently made aware of an inappropriate online photo sharing website. Apparently this website recently made headlines and has been posting inappropriate photos targeting and identifying teens by name across Long Island.

While we are all aware of the benefits derived from the proper use of technology, inappropriate use of the Internet such as this is both extremely disturbing and criminal. It has the potential to create painful permanent repercussions for those individuals shown in the photos, but can also have serious criminal consequences for anyone posting and/or sharing these photos as well.

As partners working together to ensure the safety of our children, we encourage you to speak with your child about this important matter. As parents, it is critically important that you monitor your child's use of the Internet, regardless of their age, and advise them of the lasting dangers associated with posting, viewing and sharing photos of this nature. As educators, we will continue to be proactive in discussing internet safety with students.

Thank you for your continued cooperation in working together for the benefit of our children. If you or your child believes they may have had a photo posted to this website, we encourage you to contact our local police department.

Very truly yours,  
Mrs. Linda J. Rozzi  
Superintendent of Schools