Good Afternoon, this is Steve Mares, principal of Athens Drive Magnet High School with announcements for the upcoming week. A copy of this message will be posted on our school website and emailed to the PTSA email groups.

Tomorrow, Saturday February 18th, our Athens Drive Women's Lacrosse Team will host its First Annual Play Date at Williams Stadium. Games will start at 9:00 a.m. and the last game begins at 2:15 p.m. featuring Cardinal Gibbons versus our own Lady Jags. Come watch some of North Carolina's best Lacrosse teams compete.

Please remember that Monday, February 20th is a Regular School Day. Originally scheduled as a Teacher Workday, Monday, February 20th is now a snow Make-Up Day and we do have school for students. The school day begin and end at the normal times.

Please remember that we are hosting our Spring Sports Parent Night on Monday, February 20th, beginning at 6:30 p.m. in the Gym. All parents of our Spring student-athletes are expected to attend this meeting.

Auditions for the Spring Musical, *Cinderella*, will take place Wednesday through Friday, February 22nd through the 24th. For more information, please see the call board located outside of the Chorus room or see Ms. Hayes in Trailer 6.

On Thursday, February 23rd, we will be holding our rising Tenth through Twelfth Grade Curriculum Night and our Freshmen Open House. Information regarding this event is posted on our website. Registration for rising 10th, 11th, and 12th Grade students will take place between February 27th and March 31st. Teachers are now entering course recommendations for students and Counselors will be meeting individually with each rising Senior and in small groups with rising Sophomores and Juniors. We will also be distributing a Registration Packet to students that includes course offerings and course sequencing information.

Please remember that the Advanced Placement (AP) test registration portal is still available for student to register for AP exams through March 2^{nd} . All students must complete the registration on-line to register for all AP exams. Please visit the Athens Drive website to access the AP Exam Registration portal. After completing registration, all students need to print a confirmation sheet and permission slip and return those forms to the Student Services office by March 2^{nd} .

As we begin our Spring sports season, please be sure to continue to check the Athens Drive Athletics website (<u>www.wakecountyathletics.com/athensdrivehs</u>) to find out the most up-to-date game dates and times for all athletic events. In addition, please be sure to follow @athensjags on Twitter for up-to-date information on Jaguar athletics.

Those are all of the announcements for this week. Please continue to check the Athens Drive website (<u>www.wcpss.net/athensdrivehs</u>) for general information to help you stay informed. I hope you all have a safe, wonderful weekend. Go JAGS and please take care.