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TWIN VALLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL TRANSITIONAL MEETINGS CONTINUE

Parents of 4th and 5th Grade Students Attend Second in Series of Meetings

Elverson, PA – Plans are proceeding for all Twin Valley School District (TVSD) elementary students entering 5th and 6th grade to transition to the Twin Valley Middle School (TVMS) for the beginning of the 2008-2009 school year. The middle school will house 5th and 6th grade in one section of the building, while 7th and 8th grade students will be housed in a new, separate addition currently under construction.

In the recent series of meetings, parents have received information about transportation, scheduling and core curriculum. Further meetings will be held in the late spring.

Several events to familiarize the incoming 5th & 6th grade students with their new school will occur throughout the spring. These include a visitation by TVMS students who will answer questions about being a student at TVMS with the support of the Middle School principals and guidance counselors. Fourth and fifth grade students also participate each year in a Field Day on the high school/middle school main campus fields, and will take the opportunity during that time to visit TVMS for a tour. Finally, all incoming 5th & 6th grade students will receive a special orientation session on August 19, 2008. They will be bused to the middle school for a half day and actually go through a simulated school day to acquaint them with the building.

The newly renovated TVMS will house over 1,000 students with the majority of construction completed in September, 2008.

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Twin Valley School District is an equal opportunity public education institution that is committed to excellence in education. In partnership with parents and the community, the District aspires to prepare students for challenges in an ever-changing world.

Photo: Superintendent Dr. Bob Pleis reviews plans for the Twin Valley Middle School transition with parents at Robeson Elementary Center.