Dr. Randal Braun
District Administrator
715-458-5600
rbraun@cameron.k12.wi.us

Joseph Leschisin
Assistant District
Administrator
715-458-5607
jleschisin@cameron.k12.wi.us

John Meznarich
High School Principal
715-458-5900
jmeznarich@cameron.k12.wi.us

Thomas Spanel
Middle School Principal
715-458-5810
tspanel@cameron.k12.wi.us

Patricia Schroeder
Elementary School Principal
715-458-5710
pschroeder@cameron.k12.wi.us

Home of the
Comets

September 3, 2013

Dear Parents of Cameron High School Students,

I am writing to let you know that one of our students has a life-threatening allergy to peanuts and all types of nuts. If peanut butter or even the tiniest amount of peanut or any type of nut enters his body (through his eyes, nose, or mouth), he experiences very strong reactions. His face swells and he breaks out in hives, his throat swells and tightens. Without immediate medical treatment he could die within minutes.

High school staff members have received training and information regarding how to recognize and respond to an allergic reaction.   Students are reminded to wash their hands thoroughly after they eat foods containing peanuts.

After discussions with school staff and other knowledgeable parties in the medical communities, it has been suggested that we inform all families of this child's severe allergy. Peanut products will be permitted in our school, but we are urging all students and families to be mindful of the dangers of peanut proteins due to the increasing number of children with peanut allergies.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. If you are interested in learning more about peanut allergies you can visit the web site www.kidshealth.org and type in the words peanut allergy.

Your support and assistance is appreciated.

Sincerely,

John Meznarich
Cameron High School Principal