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Dear Humboldt Educational Community,

As I prepared a few remarks for our first Digest, I realized that this day marks the 24th day of schools closing their facilities to students in Humboldt County.

Each moment since March 16th has been different from the last. The fluidity of our current reality and complexity of the issues and situations we face are historic and unique to this time within the COVID-19 pandemic.

What has been consistent however, is the heroic nature of people's actions. The creativity, resiliency, and problem solving folks are demonstrating on an hour by hour basis has been steadfast. The answers to our challenges lie in our collective efforts and it is an honor to serve as one small part of our combined response.

My most sincere gratitude to all those serving our children, families and community during this challenging time. The power of our stories serves as an inspiration, so thank you for your passion and diligent efforts. This digest contains examples of tremendous efforts, resources, and information that represents Humboldt County.

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