January 10, 2014

Dear Parents,

I wanted you to be aware of some information that we have received today. Yesterday after school, one of our students from Mills spotted a man watching her walk home and allegedly taking pictures of her. She went into her house and told her mother. The mother notified the police with a description of the man. The police are currently investigating this incident to see if the suspect has any criminal history such as a sex offender, etc. The police will be patrolling the area in the morning and afternoons. Our resource officer has been contacted. The police are actively investigating this case and are making it their top priority.

His description is:

 5 10-11” feet tall

Short sandy red hair

Brown eyes

Goatee

Red Chevy Pick Up King Cab pulling a metal trailer on the back

.The following is from Sargent Latta, Owasso Police Department, who is also our school resource officer :

“On Thursday, January 9th, 2014 at approximately 4:25PM Owasso Police responded to the area of 11900 East 77th St North regarding a report of minor children allegedly being photographed by a stranger as they walked home from school.  Officers made contact with the children, parents, and the alleged suspect, who is a registered sex offender.  The incident is being thoroughly investigated; however, at this time there does not appear to be a clear violation of State law. The children involved in this incident can be congratulated for their awareness and quick response in reporting this incident. Their quick action resulted in timely contact with the suspect which may serve as a deterrent to future behavior. This incident is an important reminder that children should be

continually reminded to stay alert, leave an area where they feel threatened, and immediately report their concerns.”

Thank you for being watchful and observant. Safety is the utmost importance for our students. Please contact the police at 918.272.2244 if you see any person or vehicle that match the description.

If you have any questions, please contact Stacey Schovanec or Dorie Klusman if you any questions at 918.272.2288.

Sincerely,

Stacey Schovanec

Mills Principal