To help safeguard the health and well-being of everyone invited to attend Herb Kohl Educational Foundation award recipient recognition luncheons, we have decided to cancel all luncheons. Events scheduled for April 26 in Eau Claire, May 3 in De Pere, May 9 in Milwaukee, and May 16 in Baraboo are cancelled. Current government projections estimate that the COVID-19 virus will significantly impact US residents for the next several months and we want to do our part to slow its spread.

The decision to cancel these events was a difficult one. Herb Kohl was looking forward to meeting the many outstanding Wisconsin students, teachers and principals who are receiving awards this year and celebrating their accomplishments. However in this challenging time, safety must be our priority.

The dissemination of awards remains unchanged: teachers, principals and schools will receive their award checks in June, and scholarship checks will be sent to students' educational institutions in early August, so long as students have sent us their postsecondary institution and disbursement information—either online or on paper—by June 30, 2020.

We hope that you and those close to you stay healthy and safe as we navigate the challenges we all face during this time.

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