

# BUILDING PROJECT UPDATE

## Construction Continues

Construction is in full swing as work continues on the project. Much was accomplished during the month of February including the completion of all the necessary pile driving which will support the building's foundation. Piling requires a large crane to drive pipes or piles into the ground in order to create a secure foundation. Approximately 260 piles were driven in the area of the new auditorium and band



Demolition begins in the cafeteria

room. These piles will be part of the support for the concrete foundation which is currently being poured. Due to extensive renovations on the first floor, the cafeteria and band room were also closed in late February. Construction crews are demolishing the old cafeteria/kitchen area, the old band room and several adjacent rooms. When completed, a new cafeteria, nurse's office, faculty room and distance learning room will occupy this space.

Our cafeteria staff has worked hard to adapt to these temporary changes. A kitchen prep area has been developed on the second floor and lunches are being served in the hallway along the boy's side of the gymnasium. Once students make their way through this lunch line they move to tables on the stage to eat with their friends. This plan is working very well and the transition has been a smooth one!

Although the project has required a number of significant adjustments, everyone is 'going with the flow' and faculty, staff and students are all looking forward to the completion of our new facilities!!

For additional information and more pictures on the project please visit [www.forestville.com](http://www.forestville.com)



Piles are driven in the area of the future auditorium



Workers set the forms prior to pouring the foundation