

# Friday Note 1/6/2017

**STRICTLY  
NO  
PARKING**

**REMINDER: THERE IS NO PARKING ALLOWED IN THE BACK OF THE SCHOOL BETWEEN THE TIMES OF 2:30 – 3:15 PM ON SCHOOL DAYS. THAT AREA IS FOR BUS PARKING ONLY. THIS RULE IS FOR STUDENT SAFETY.** If you need handicapped access to the school, please call ahead- 906-663-4515- and we will make arrangements.

Mrs. Hellman is once again having a “Snowman Contest” starting now and ending in March. Here is what you need to do:

- Wait for good, sticky snow.
- Build the most awesome snowman at home with your family or by yourself.
- Take a picture & bring it to school. It will be placed on Mrs. Hellman’s bulletin board.
- Wait until “Wellness Night” to see if you are chosen as the winner of a neat prize.



**All students should be using either the cafeteria entrance in the back of the building or the east front entrance (closest to the playground on the hill) to enter the building until 8:00 am each morning. After 8:00 am they must use the west front door and be “buzzed” in by the office. Parents of younger children should accompany their child to the door to help them with this process.** Also, students have been told not to let anyone into the school and we ask for your cooperation with this. Please do not ask a student to let you in the building- you **MUST** use the buzzer to be let in. We need to keep a record of all visitors for student safety. All visitors must still sign in at the office.

The Yooperbeiner Snowshoe Race will be held on January 14, 2017 at the Wolverine Nordic Trails in Ironwood. There is a kids’ race at 9:30 am and a 10K/5K race at 11:00 am. Registration will be held on 1/13 from 4-6 pm & 1/14 from 9-10:30 am. The entry fee for the kids’ race is \$10 until 1/13 and \$15 on race day. Teams of 5 or more will receive \$5 off each registration and the chance to take home the traveling trophy. The entry fee for the 10K/5K is \$25 until 1/13 and \$30 on race day. You may also register online at: [Yooperbeiner.ZapEvent.com](http://Yooperbeiner.ZapEvent.com). More information is available at: [wolverineNordic.com/yooperbeiner](http://wolverineNordic.com/yooperbeiner).



The SISU Ski Fest will be held this weekend- January 6-8 in Ironwood. Friday features a Snowshoe book walk beginning at 3 pm at the Ironwood Depot Park for ages 8 and under and a Depot Dash- a dash around the park on skis- at 4 pm at the Depot Park for ages 10 and under. Skis and boots will be provided, or bring your own. Both events are free and there is no registration required. Saturday features the 5K Fun ski from the City Garage to downtown Ironwood at 12 pm (noon). The cost is \$20 per person and includes a participant gift, food, raffle, and entertainment at the Memorial Building afterwards. This event is open to all ages. Sunday features the 5K snowshoe race- a timed event at 10:30 am at the Miners Memorial Heritage Park school bus garage. Cost is \$20 per person and includes a participant gift but you must register by January 7<sup>th</sup>. Also on Sunday is the 2K Snowshoe tour- an untimed event at 10:30 at the Miners Memorial Heritage Park school bus garage. Cost is \$10 per person. Kids 10 and under receive a medal. Kid sized showshoes provided. Open to all ages. For more information please visit [sisuskifest.com](http://sisuskifest.com).

**REMINDER: THE CORRECT PHONE NUMBER TO CALL TO REPORT TARDINESS OR ABSENCES FOR WASHINGTON SCHOOL STUDENTS IS 906-663-4515. ANY OTHER NUMBER GOES TO A DIFFERENT PHONE AND IS NOT GUARANTEED TO BE ANSWERED OR HAVE MESSAGES CHECKED IN THE CASE OF A STAFF ABSENCE.**