

## **Friday Update**

### **January 29, 2021**

Well—we made it through our first snow event and it appears we have another one coming this weekend. And it is predicted to be a wet snow—which is perfect for making snowman. So when the snow all clears out—take the kids outside and make a snowman. I would love to get some of these on the website—so if you are inclined, take a few pictures and email them to me at [ldamisch@marengo165.org](mailto:ldamisch@marengo165.org). Provide me with a few details: names and grade of students and I will do my best to get them posted.

### **Health Update**

As of today, January 29, 2021, we had zero (0) new cases of COVID-19 reported. In general, COVID-19 cases are on the decline in both McHenry County and the State of Illinois. Continue to practice good habits of washing your hands, keeping your distance and wearing masks when in public places.

### **Kindergarten Registration—NEXT WEDNESDAY!**

February 3rd @ Locust from 2:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Child must be five years old on or before September 1, 2021

Must bring the following to registration: Certified copy of a birth certificate

Must provide (2) items for proof of residency (Child does not need to be present at time of registration)

Masks required and social distancing will be observed.

### **No School Information**

There will be no school on Monday, February 15, in observance of Presidents' Day.

Spring Break will begin on Monday, March 29. School will resume on **TUESDAY**, April 6. There is an extra day of Spring Break due to the observance of Good Friday.

### **Learning Platform Switches**

As a district, we are nearing the point where we have a very limited number of openings for students who want to switch at the beginning of the 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter from Remote to In-Person. If you are interested in switching, you must email Kathy Burns, [kburns@marengo165.org](mailto:kburns@marengo165.org) immediately and inform her. The student's name will be placed on a waiting list, and if an opening is available, the student may switch learning platforms at the beginning of 4<sup>th</sup> quarter. This is on a first come-first serve basis and the deadline for notifying the school district is **Friday, February 12, 2021.**

Continue to stay well—I will be looking for those snowmen!

*Lea Damisch, Superintendent of Schools*