Velma Matson News

"Our kids are worth whatever it takes." ***Spence Rogers***

Issue 12 **Mr. DeShano, Principal** **November 20, 2017**

Coming Up:

November 20– Late Start
November 22– Half day
November 23-24– No School
November 27– Late Start
December 20– Half day, beginning of holiday break
January 3– Class resumes

Mission Statement:
In collaboration with parents and community, NPS will provide every student with an enriched academic foundation in a safe environment that will encourage individuals to be confident in their abilities and inspired to succeed.

District Vision:
Inspiring all to seize opportunities, explore interests and

The Newaygo Promise:

Experience the Lion Pride!

Go Lions!

News from the ART Department!

Square 1 Art orders can be picked up after school on Tuesday, Nov. 21st, at the Velma Matson ART room between 3:30 and 5:30. All orders not picked up will be sent home with your child the next day, unless other arrangements are made. Breakable items are recommended to be picked up. Thanks again for supporting the NPS Art Department! If you have any questions please contact Peggy Maat pmaat@newaygo.net

Student Dress– Just a reminder that students are expected to dress for the season. Children should wear boots, hats, coats and mittens during the winter weather. Boots must be worn in the winter to go outside, and a pair of shoes is needed for the classroom. When the weather is cold and/or wet, it is to the student's advantage to keep a second set of warm, dry clothes and footwear in his/her locker. As always, don't be afraid to check into the office then go to the Lost and Found if you are missing items.

Holiday Schedule– Please keep in mind the following schedule as we enter the holiday season.

- November 22– half day
- November 23 and 24– no school
- December 20– half day
- December 21-January 2– no school
- January 3- class resumes