

# NICE NEWS



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**NICE Community Schools**  
300 Westwood Drive  
Ishpeming, MI 49849  
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## FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL: Tuesday, August 31, 2021 - FULL DAY

Hello NICE Families and Friends,

I am authoring this message on August 19, 2021. A lot can change between now and the first day of our new school year. I am confident that we can meet and overcome any challenges we face this year. We have proven strong and resilient in the past and can do so again. Our strength comes from our ability to band together in good times and trying times. Our resilience comes in picking each other up and allowing ourselves to take help when we need it. There is strength in knowing when to ask for help as well as being able to offer help to others. We exemplify those attributes.

Throughout this year, we will continue to closely monitor the COVID pandemic. If we must, we will make any adjustments necessary to keep our students and employees safe and healthy. We will do this by working together with our local health professionals. The doctors, nurses, and health directors I have met over my decade living and working in Marquette County are dedicated professionals who have the best interest of their fellow citizens in their hearts and minds. They devote themselves to our well-being. I have faith and confidence that they will continue to guide us through this crisis. We will follow any public health orders issued by our local or state health departments.

With all of that written, as of this writing, COVID numbers are still stable in Marquette County. As of now, we are authorized to begin our new school year with no special COVID requirements. Masks are welcome, but they are not required. COVID vaccines are available to those eligible, but COVID vaccines are not required. We are here to help if any eligible person would like assistance setting up a vaccination appointment.

I know the pandemic continues to be worrisome. We will persevere in the face of this adversity. We remained open for in-person learning for the majority of last year and we will do what we must to have a full school year again this year. I know we can do it. We've proven time and again that we care for each other and support one another. This devotion will see us through.

I'll continue to be in touch via email and social media. Thank you for being such a strong school family. I am very grateful to be part of it.

All my best,  
Bryan DeAugustine  
Superintendent

Dear Westwood Families

On behalf of NICE Community Schools I would like to welcome you to the 48th year of Westwood High School. The entire staff is looking forward to a new school year and a return to some form of normalcy. Our Westwood family is committed to providing each student with a high quality education and will work tirelessly to create a school environment where each student feels respected, safe, and cared for. The key to student success is involvement and willingness to be a part of our school community. The variety of programs and activities that we offer on the NICE campus provide an opportunity for every student to find a way to actively participate in our school. We are proud of our long history of excellence and grateful that you have chosen Westwood High School as your partner in education this school year.

Sincerely,

Cliff Fossitt, Principal  
Westwood High School

Dear Aspen Ridge Families,

Welcome back! Fall is always an exciting time of the year and we are excited to kick off a new school year with all of you. Please join us for our annual Open House on Monday, August 30<sup>th</sup> from 6-7 pm. For those looking to get involved with the school, be sure to stop in the Family Resource Room to learn about the variety of opportunities that are available.

There will be a brief meeting for parents of incoming 6<sup>th</sup> grade students at 5:30 in the ARS Gymnasium prior to the Open House.

Enjoy the remaining days of summer. We look forward to seeing you soon!

Sincerely,

Chris Marana and Jon Beckman  
Principals, Aspen Ridge School

### SCHOOLS OF CHOICE

The NICE Community School District is accepting Schools of Choice applications for the 2021-2022 school year. Application forms are available in the Superintendent's Office or online at [www.nice.k12.mi.us](http://www.nice.k12.mi.us) and will be accepted for the first semester through September 3, 2021. For more information, please contact the Superintendent's Office at 906-485-1021.

### FALL ENRICHMENT CLASSES

The Ishpeming-Negaunee-NICE Community Schools Fall Enrichment Classes will begin September 20, 2021. Please watch for enrollment information on the Ishpeming-Negaunee-NICE Community Facebook page and for their brochure mailing.

### PATRIOT PRIDE SCHOLARSHIP

Each spring the Westwood All Sports Booster Club provides scholarships in the amount of \$500 to two senior athletes. There are a variety of levels of support, beginning at \$10 and shown below. Your name will be printed as a Patriot Pride Member in the Westwood High School Sports Programs for the fall and winter seasons.

**Patriot—\$100   Red—\$50   White—\$25   Blue—\$10**

For more information, please contact a member of the Booster Club or call the office at Westwood High School at (906) 485-1023.

### ONLINE LEARNING AT NICE

The Patriot Online Academy is a State of Michigan, accredited online public school that is FREE to students K-12. We provide the opportunity for students to enroll as a part-time or full-time student with the NICE Community School district. Over the last several years, many students in grades K-12 enrolled in both core and elective courses. All of the courses are aligned with Michigan standards and are teacher-led by our own local highly qualified instructors. Our local mentor, Scott Syrjala, who is also a certified educator, is available to help students and monitor their progress. For more information, contact Kurt Corcoran, Patriot Online Academy Coordinator, by email at [corcorank@nice.k12.mi.us](mailto:corcorank@nice.k12.mi.us) or by phone at 485-1023. Information can be found on the web at <http://www.nice.k12.mi.us/PatriotOnlineAcademy/Home.aspx>.

## SCHOOL MEAL PRICES

For the 2021-2022 school year, under the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) Seamless Summer Option (SSO), **ALL STUDENTS will be able to eat school breakfast and lunch at NO COST/\$0 (FREE), however, the School Meals Application must still be filled out.** Milk is included with each meal served but all students can purchase additional milk for 50 cents per carton.

### ◆ SCHOOL BREAKFAST & LUNCH WILL BE SERVED OPENING DAY

**Aspen Ridge School Breakfast begins at 7:45 a.m. & Westwood High School Breakfast begins at 7:30 a.m.**

Parents are encouraged to use the "**SchoolPay**" online option\* to pay for meals using a card or e-check. Student account histories showing purchases and balances are available through Family Access. Payments will still be accepted in the school office in check or cash. Students will have the same pin numbers as last year. \*SchoolPay details are available on the district website.

**In many cases, funding for programs and services in a district is based upon the free and reduced lunch count for that district. Please help us secure the maximum possible federal funding by completing a free or reduced lunch application form if you think you may qualify. You may fill out the form even if you do not plan to have your child take advantage of the school's lunch program.**

In accordance with Federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, the USDA, its Agencies, offices, and employees, and institutions participating in or administering USDA programs are prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity in any program or activity conducted or funded by USDA.

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To file a program complaint of discrimination, complete the [USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form](#), (AD-3027) found online at: [http://www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint\\_filing\\_cust.html](http://www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint_filing_cust.html), and at any USDA office, or write a letter addressed to USDA and provide in the letter all of the information requested in the form. To request a copy of the complaint form, call (866) 632-9992. Submit your completed form or letter to USDA by mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; fax: (202) 690-7442; or email: [program.intake@usda.gov](mailto:program.intake@usda.gov).

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

## FREE/REDUCED MEAL BENEFITS FROM LAST SCHOOL YEAR WILL END

Students and families who qualified for free or reduced price meals last school year (2020-2021) **MUST fill out a new application** for this school year (2021-2022) The free or reduced benefits from last year will possibly only be carried-over until **Wednesday, October 13, 2021**. After that, if no new application is on file, meals will potentially begin to be charged at full price if/when we return to the normal NSLP. **The school will not send a reminder or a notice of expired eligibility.**

Applications will be sent home with each student on the first day of school or mailed to those students learning at home. They can also be picked up at each school office or downloaded and printed from the district website: [www.nice.k12.mi.us](http://www.nice.k12.mi.us).

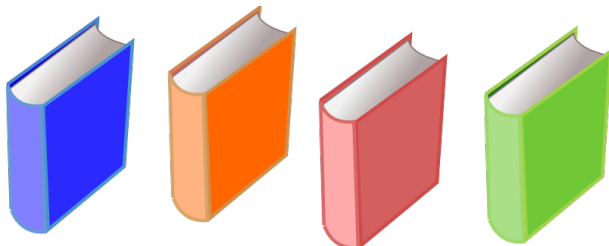
To avoid an interruption of benefits, don't forget to re-apply for free or reduced price meals each school year!

### INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

If your family lives in any of the following situations:

- In a shelter
- In a motel or campground due to the lack of alternative adequate accommodation
- In a car, park, abandoned building, or bus or train station
- Doubled up with other people due to loss of housing or economic hardship

Your school-age children may qualify for certain rights and protections under the federal McKinney-Vento Act. Please contact the NICE Community School District Liaison, Becky Halamka, at (906) 485-1023 for assistance if you believe your children may be eligible.



### SPECIAL EDUCATION PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE (SEPAC)

We are looking for parents interested in shaping the special education services available in our community. Please join us on the 3rd Thursday of the month at MARESA ([321 E. Ohio St. Marquette](#)). You will receive updates on services in your area, as well as have the opportunity to offer feedback and suggestions. Visit our Facebook page: Marquette Alger SEPAC for more information!

### BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETINGS

The NICE Board of Education appreciates your interest in the school district. Public participation and open lines of communication are vital to maintaining a successful educational program for students. All regular and special board meetings are open and the public is encouraged to attend. Board meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. on the third Monday of the month in the Westwood High School Media Center. Dates and times for upcoming Board meetings are located on the district website at [www.nice.k12.mi.us](http://www.nice.k12.mi.us).

## TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

The Transportation Department welcomes students back for the 2021-2022 school year. Below is the tentative bus schedule for 2021-2022. Parents and students are reminded that the pick-up times listed are approximate and can vary, especially for the first few weeks of school. Students are required to arrive at their designated stop at least 10 minutes before the listed time and remain for at least 10 minutes after. Please allow extra time the first week of school for adjustments in the schedule. If you do not have a copy of our Transportation Handbook, please contact the school office and one will be provided. All new incoming students will be provided a copy of the handbook on the first day of school. Please be aware that some of the buses are operating at or near capacity and bus passes will not be issued. We do not issue passes for birthday parties, sleepovers, scout meetings etc. Parents must arrange for alternative transportation for those occasions.

Spurr, Three Lakes, US 41, Michigamme  
**Rt. #1**, Bus # 21A

**STOP:**

6:36 27919 US 41  
6:45 21798 North Olson Lake Dr  
6:47 21793 Birch Dr  
6:49 21706 Petticoat Lake Rd  
6:50 21694 Petticoat Lake Rd  
6:51 Petticoat/Northshore Dr  
6:52 Petticoat/Stagecoach  
6:56 Lentz Rd/Petticoat Lake Rd  
7:04 Nelson St/Spurr Ct  
7:08 25837 Fence River Rd  
7:10 Fence River Rd/Smith Rd  
7:18 Main St/Community Building  
7:19 158 E Main St  
7:33 14165 US 41

Champion, 41, Co. Rd. CP  
**Rt. #2**, Bus #21D

**STOP:**

6:49 15838 US 41  
6:54 2238 Co. Rd. AAJ  
6:55 Co. Rd. AAJ/Co. Rd. AJ  
6:56 921 Co. Rd. AK  
6:58 1699 Co. Rd. AK  
6:59 Co. Rd. FK/Co. Rd. FG  
7:03 Main St/Easy St  
7:04 5967 Co. Rd. AAJ  
7:07 Co. Rd. AAJ/Co. Rd. AU  
7:09 Co. Rd. AF/Co. Rd. AC, Railroad  
7:10 1292 Co. Rd. AF  
7:12 Co. Rd. AF/Co. Rd. AH  
7:13 Co. Rd. AF/Co. Rd. AG  
7:14 5544 Co. Rd. AF  
7:17 Co. Rd. AB/Co. Rd. AE  
7:21 16701 US 41  
7:25 1921 Co. Rd. FY  
7:28 2072 Co. Rd. FX  
7:29 3728 Co. Rd. FX  
7:33 29296 US 41  
7:35 360 Co. Rd. CP  
7:37 3272 Co. Rd. CP  
7:38 2615 Co. Rd. CP  
7:39 1879 Co. Rd. CP

Humboldt Area, Co. Rd. 601, M95, Co. Rd.  
FA, Clarksburg, Co. Rd. 478, Co. Rd. 472  
**Rt. #3**, Bus #21C

**STOP:**

6:59 Co. Rd. FD/Co. Rd. FJ  
7:00 Co. Rd. FNO/Co. Rd. FNR  
7:02 4874 Co. Rd. FA  
7:03 3940 Co. Rd. FA  
7:06 10896 M95/8232 M95  
7:08 M95/Co. Rd. FH  
7:12 10500 Co. Rd. 601  
7:15 2299 Co. Rd. 601  
7:17 2881 Co. Rd. FA  
7:18 1529 Co. Rd. FA  
7:29 1135 Co. Rd. CCK  
7:29 Co. Rd. CN/Co. Rd. CCK  
7:30 4268 Co. Rd. CN  
7:32 2515 Co. Rd. CN  
7:33 1535 Co. Rd. CN  
7:34 Co. Rd. CN/Co. Rd. CNA  
7:38 7600 Co. Rd. 478  
7:40 15580 Co. Rd. 478  
7:43 Co. Rd. 482/Co. Rd. CM  
7:44 7656 Co. Rd. 478  
7:45 7959 Co. Rd. 478  
7:47 6445 Co. Rd. 478  
7:49 Co. Rd. 478/Fairway Dr  
7:50 Co. Rd. 478/Kona Lane

496 West, Diorite, 41/Greenwood, 41 West,  
Clarksburg, Co. Rd. CJ  
**Rt. #4**, Bus #22A

**STOP:**

7:20 278 Co. Rd. CNA West  
7:22 2299 Co. Rd. CJ  
7:23 16975 Co. Rd. 496  
7:25 20893 Co. Rd. 496  
7:26 24744 Co. Rd. 496  
7:27 25725 Co. Rd. 496  
7:27 26368 Co. Rd. 496  
7:28 445 Co. Rd. CKK  
7:29 Co. Rd. CKK/Granite St.  
7:32 33700 Co. Rd. 496  
7:34 Co. Rd. 496/Co. Rd. CKJ  
7:35 23405 US 41  
7:37 1015 Co. Rd. CKL  
7:38 22189 US 41  
7:41 13749 US 41  
7:43 5781 US 41  
7:44 4045 US 41  
7:45 Lawry's Pasty Shop

Co. Rd. CA, Gold Mine Lake Area, Co.  
Rd. 496E  
**Rt. #5**, Bus #20A

**STOP:**

7:10 Greenwood Rd/Co. Rd. CCL  
7:11 14891 Co. Rd. CL  
7:15 24882 Greenwood Rd  
7:17 18309 Co. Rd. CL  
7:19 16151 Co. Rd. CL  
7:23 15 Gold Dr  
7:26 Co. Rd. CL/Co. Rd. CU  
7:28 3049 Co. Rd. CL  
7:30 9570 Diorite Rd  
7:31 8105 Co. Rd. 496  
7:36 2025 Goldmine Creek Dr  
7:37 1513 Goldmine Creek Dr  
7:39 1293 Goldmine Creek Dr  
7:42 4548 Co. Rd. 496  
7:43 2244 Co. Rd. 496  
7:44 1791 Co. Rd. 496  
7:45 850 Co. Rd. 496  
7:47 1496 Co. Rd. 496 SE

581 South, Perch Lake  
**Rt. #6**, Bus #21B

**STOP:**

7:01 Co. Rd. 581/Perch Lake Rd  
7:02 60500 Co. Rd. 581  
7:03 N. Little Perch Lake Rd/Co. Rd. 581  
7:05 58351 Co. Rd. 581  
7:07 56320 Co. Rd. 581  
7:08 53810 Co. Rd. 581  
7:11 45601 Co. Rd. 581  
7:14 3406 Co. Rd. CCE  
7:17 40647 Co. Rd. 581  
7:18 40240 Co. Rd. 581  
7:19 Tony's Lane/Co. Rd. 581  
7:20 37537 Co. Rd. 581  
7:21 36497 Co. Rd. 581  
7:22 Co. Rd. 581/Co. Rd. CRF  
7:24 Eagle St/Robin St  
7:25 Co. Rd. 581/Co. Rd. CDA  
7:27 31922 Co. Rd. 581  
7:28 Co. Rd. 581/Co. Rd. CG  
7:33 4130 Co. Rd. PG  
7:36 3555 Co. Rd. PI  
7:37 105 Co. Rd. PI

Southwood Lane, 581, Twin Pines  
**Rt. #7**, Bus #18A

**STOP:**

7:20 21825 Co. Rd. 581  
7:22 Co. Rd. 581/Co. Rd. PRG  
7:23 30140 Co. Rd. 581  
7:24 31100 Co. Rd. 581  
7:26 Co. Rd. 581/Southwood Ln  
7:27 581 Little Store  
7:28 345 Co. Rd. CPA  
7:29 Twin Pines Dr/Partridge Ln  
7:30 Twin Pines Dr/Partridge Ln  
7:32 33 Birch Ln  
7:33 1201 Co Rd. CPA  
7:35 Co. Rd. 581/Co. Rd. PRG  
7:37 1070 Co. Rd. PRE  
7:38 605 Co. Rd. PRE  
7:39 25855 Co. Rd. 581  
7:40 25465 Co. Rd. 581

Co. Rd. PPV/CD  
**Rt. #8**, Bus #19B

**STOP:**

7:29 250 Co. Rd. PPR  
7:31 Co. Rd. PPV/Co. Rd. PPX  
7:32 2750 Co. Rd. PPV  
7:32 1 Co. Rd. CD  
7:34 3008 Co. Rd. CD  
7:34 3208 Co. Rd. CD  
7:35 3410 Co. Rd. CD  
7:35 3671 Co. Rd. CD  
7:36 4473 Co. Rd. CD  
7:37 4835 Co. Rd. CD  
7:37 Mail Route/Lawer Dr  
7:38 Lawer Dr/Co. Rd. CH  
7:39 940 Co. Rd. CH  
7:39 7775 Co. Rd. CD  
7:42 Co. Rd. 581/Co. Rd. CD

581, CR PB, PBH, National Mine,  
Apple Ridge  
**Rt. #9**, Bus #18B

**STOP:**

7:08 3800 Co. Rd. 581  
7:10 245 Apple Ridge Dr  
7:11 275 Apple Ridge Dr  
7:14 5150 Co. Rd. 581  
7:15 5800 Co. Rd. 581  
7:17 Co. Rd. PBP/Co. Rd. PBQ  
7:19 Co. Rd. PB/Co. Rd. PBQ  
7:21 Co. Rd. PDJ/Co. Rd. PD  
7:23 1740 Co. Rd. PD  
7:24 Co. Rd. PK/Co. Rd. PDK  
7:26 65 Co. Rd. PBA  
7:27 455 Co. Rd. PBL  
7:29 Co. Rd. PAB/Co. Rd. PAE  
7:30 Co. Rd. PAA/Co. Rd. 476  
7:35 412 Washington St  
7:37 600 E St  
7:39 1065 River Ridge Dr  
7:43 608 D St

S. National Mine, Schwietzers, PGE, PPG,  
Beagle Club  
**Rt. #10**, Bus 19A

**STOP:**

7:02 6740 Co. Rd. 476  
7:04 10550 Co. Rd. 476  
7:09 19530 Co. Rd. 476  
7:11 Co. Rd. PFH/Co. Rd. PFJ  
7:12 1290 Co. Rd. PFH  
7:20 9695 Co. Rd. PG  
7:21 9435 Co. Rd. PG  
7:23 900 Co. Rd. PGE  
7:24 2995 Co. Rd. PGE  
7:26 1000 Co. Rd. PGG  
7:28 7100 Co. Rd. PG  
7:29 4890 Co. Rd. PG  
7:32 Co. Rd. 581/Co. Rd. PPM  
7:33 Co. Rd. 581/Co. Rd. PPL  
7:34 15805 Co. Rd. 581  
7:35 Co. Rd. PPL/Co. Rd. 581  
7:37 4840 Co. Rd. PPG  
7:40 5600 Stoneville Rd  
7:41 5350 Stoneville Rd  
7:42 4600 Stoneville Rd  
7:43 4085 Stoneville Rd  
7:44 3855 Stoneville Rd  
7:45 3250 Stoneville Rd  
7:47 Stoneville Rd/Southwood Dr

North Lake, Westwood Dr., Woodland Dr.  
275 N. Rose  
**Rt. #11**, Bus #17C

**STOP:**

7:25 2205 Woodland Dr  
7:27 1955 Woodland Dr  
7:27 2105 Woodland Dr  
7:28 1940 Woodland Dr  
7:30 Patriot St/Friendship Ln  
7:31 1070 N Westwood Dr  
7:33 1080 N Westwood Dr  
7:34 1080 School St  
7:36 Friendship Ln/N Westwood Dr  
7:37 1940 North Lake Dr  
7:38 James St/North Lake Dr  
7:40 1890 Cindy St  
7:41 Iris St/Pansy St

Westwood Circle, Harrison Hills, S.  
Rose/Glenwood, Peterson, Aspen  
Dr., Southwood/Wildwood  
**Rt. #12**, Bus 22B

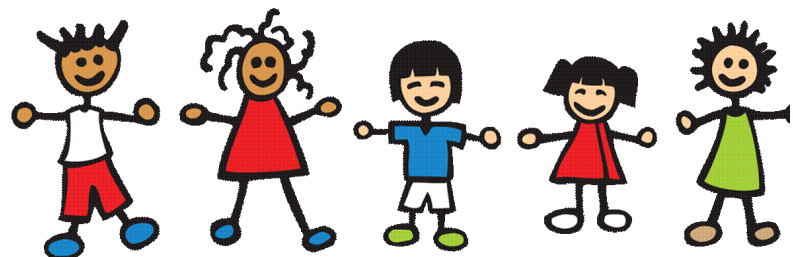
**STOP**

7:45 Glenwood Ln/Westwood Cir  
7:46 1670 Ellsworth St  
7:47 1600 Cypress St  
7:48 Aspen Dr/Balsam Ln  
7:48 1575 Aspen Dr  
7:50 1665 S Westwood Cir  
7:50 405 Peterson Ave  
7:51 1665 Glenwood Ln  
7:51 Glenwood Ln/Rose St  
7:51 1770 Glenwood Ln  
7:53 1740 Glendora Ln  
7:54 Rosewood St/Wildwood St  
7:54 1810 Rosewood Ln

W Ishpeming, Metal Streets  
**Rt. #14**, Bus 17B

**STOP**

7:21 Center St/Marble St  
7:22 Center St/Silver St  
7:23 Center St/Prospect St  
7:23 Center St/Gold St  
7:24 Center St/Steel St  
7:28 324 Cedar St  
7:29 Willow St/Cedar St  
7:31 1060 Suncliffe Dr  
7:33 Hillcrest Dr/Riverview Dr  
7:36 Copper St/River St  
7:38 1490 Southwood Dr  
7:39 1655 Southwood Dr



Flower Streets South, Seilo Platt,  
Randall Dr

**Rt. #16**, Bus 15A

**STOP:**

7:16 115 N Marigold St  
7:17 Randall Dr/Lotus St  
7:18 Hollyhock St/Arbutus St  
7:18 Hollyhock St/Lotus St  
7:18 115 Tulip St  
7:19 Randall Dr/Lilac St  
7:19 120 S Lilac St  
7:19 205 S Lilac St  
7:20 Ellsworth St/Daisy St  
7:20 150 S Daisy St  
7:21 110 S Daisy St  
7:21 110 S Marigold St  
7:22 200 S Marigold St  
7:23 200 S Pansy St  
7:23 100 S Pansy St  
7:24 115 S Rose St  
7:24 260 S Rose St  
7:25 1760 S Rose St  
7:25 1700 S Rose St  
7:28 Lawrence Ave/Maria St  
7:28 Seilo Ave/Helen St  
7:29 Maria St/Seilo Ave  
7:32 1 Sunnyside Est  
7:36 375 Stoneville Rd

Cooper Lake, Deer Lake, Highland Dr.

**Rt. #17**, Bus 19C

**STOP:**

7:14 651 Mather Ave  
7:16 Elliott Ave/Hickory St  
7:19 Deer Lake Rd/Poplar St  
7:20 Deer Lake Rd/Linden St  
7:21 Deer Lake Rd/Elm St  
7:23 341 Deer Lake Rd  
7:25 823 Deer Lake Rd  
7:27 1285 Cooper Lake Rd  
7:28 1176 Cooper Lake Rd  
7:29 1115 Cooper Lake Rd  
7:30 1052 Cooper Lake Rd  
7:31 903 Cooper Lake Rd  
7:32 860 Cooper Lake Rd  
7:33 805 Cooper Lake Rd  
7:34 224 North Shore Dr  
7:36 70 North Shore Dr  
7:37 Cooper Lake Rd/North Shore Dr  
7:38 601 Cooper Lake Rd  
7:39 525 Cooper Lake Rd  
7:42 Cooper Lake Rd/Highland Dr



Deer Lake, N/S Camp Road, CR 573  
Olmstead, Southwood

**Rt. #18**, Bus #17D

**STOP:**

7:02 County Rd 573/Braastad  
7:05 3575 Deer Lake Rd  
7:08 418 North Camp Rd  
7:10 North Camp Rd/Rd 1  
7:13 1188 North Camp Rd  
7:14 994 North Camp Rd  
7:17 North Camp Rd/Hammond Dr  
7:22 57 North Camp Rd  
7:24 3082 Co. Rd. 573  
7:27 2370 Co. Rd. 573  
7:40 1710 US 41 West  
7:52 1055 Olmsted Ln  
7:54 Southwood Dr/Kari Ln  
7:55 Southwood Dr/Amanda Ln  
7:57 Southwood Dr/Westwood Dr  
7:58 400 Westwood Dr

City of Ishpeming South

**Rt. #20**, Bus # 18C

**STOP:**

7:15 Division St/2nd St  
7:17 E Ridge St/6th St  
7:19 Bank St/5th St  
7:22 133 Ready St  
7:23 274 Ready St  
7:25 Marquette St/Jasper St  
7:27 Jasper St/Hill St  
7:31 Johnson St/S. Lake St  
7:33 767 S Pine St  
7:35 Excelsior St/Middle St  
7:38 162 S Angeline St  
7:39 123 Salisbury St  
7:40 1155 S Pine St

City of Ishpeming NE

**Rt. #21**, Bus #15C

**STOP:**

7:25 710 W Empire St  
7:28 807 N Pine St  
7:29 Ely St/N Pine St  
7:29 Maple St/Ely St  
7:31 Lake St/Bancroft St  
7:33 Empire St/1st St  
7:35 920 N 2nd St  
7:37 603 N 4th St  
7:38 Empire St/5th St  
7:40 Wabash St/7th S  
7:41 617 Iron St  
7:44 810 Juniper St  
7:46 Beech St/Hemlock St





# REPORTING INSTRUCTIONS & START TIMES FOR TUESDAY, AUGUST 31, 2021

	High School	Aspen Ridge School
School Begins	8:05 a.m.	8:19 a.m.
School Ends	3:00 p.m.	3:11 p.m.
<i>Where to report on August 31st:</i>	<i>1st hour class</i>	<i>Designated Rooms/ 6-8 Gymnasium</i>

## IMPORTANT DATES

<b>August 31</b> First Day for Students
<b>November 25, 26</b> No School - Thanksgiving Break
<b>Dec 22-Jan 2</b> No School (Winter Break)
<b>January 3</b> Classes Resume
<b>April 4-April 8</b> No School - Spring Break
<b>April 11</b> Classes Resume
<b>April 15</b> Early Dismissal - Good Friday
<b>May 30</b> No school - Memorial Day
<b>SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS</b> Held the third Monday of each month. Dates and times for upcoming Board meetings are listed at: <a href="http://www.nice.k12.mi.us">www.nice.k12.mi.us</a>

## NICE START

The NICE Start preschool program provides 3- and 4-year old children the opportunity to develop skills necessary for Kindergarten and beyond. The program begins Tuesday, September 7, 2021

Please call the Central Office at 906-485-1021 or send an email to [marge@nice.k12.mi.us](mailto:marge@nice.k12.mi.us) if you

## KIDS CLUB

NICE Community School District Kids Club After School Program provides after-school activities and childcare for children in Kindergarten through 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Kids Club operates Monday through Friday from dismissal through 5:30 p.m. The program will begin on Tuesday, August 31, 2021. Registration information will be available in the Aspen Ridge Office and on the district website. The fee is based on the number of days children will attend. **All past due balances must be paid in full before we accept your child's enrollment into the program.**

## ATHLETIC TICKET PRICES

	Athletic Pass Costs	WHS General Admission	ARMS General Admission
Student (Attending another District or college students under the age of 22 with a valid college ID)	\$25	\$3	\$2
Adult (single)	\$40	\$5	\$3
Senior Citizen (Non Resident)	\$25	\$3	\$3
Senior Citizen (Resident)	NA	NA	NA
Adult (couple)	\$60	<b>Note:</b> Season passes are not honored at the Superior Dome or MHSAA Tournament Games.	
3-Member Family	\$70		
4-Member Family	\$85		
5+ Member Family	\$100		

## SPORTS BOOSTER CLUB RECRUITING NEW MEMBERS

The Westwood Sports Booster Club invites you to join them at their first meeting of the new school year on Monday, September 7, 2021, at 6:30 p.m. at Westwood High School. Come to see how our organization supports athletics at Westwood. All parents are welcome!

## WALKERS @ WHS

Westwood High School is open for adult walkers again beginning October 25, 2021 and ending March 25, 2022, following school pandemic guidelines. Walking will be permitted on Monday and Wednesday from 4:30-6:00 p.m. on game nights, and 4:30-7:30 p.m. on other nights. Game schedules will be available in the high school office in November.

## ADULT SERVICES—AN ALTERNATIVE

Adult Services is an alternative high school completion program offered by Ishpeming-Negaunee-NICE Community Education Division under the direction of William Hartman, Director, and Jason Houle, Principal. INN serves students ages 13-19 in the Marquette County area allowing them to earn their high school diploma. The program meets Monday through Thursday from 8:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. and on Fridays from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at St. Johns School located at 325 S. Pine Street, Ishpeming. The Class of 2021 write-up can be found at [www.nice.k12.mi.us](http://www.nice.k12.mi.us).

All students attending the NICE District will receive a free sports pass. Passes will be good for admittance to ALL NICE District sponsored athletic events for the entire 2021-2022 school year. (Includes all high school and middle school contests). Residents of the NICE District 62 years or older can receive a NICE District "All sports Lifelong Pass" at no cost. You must present a valid drivers license as proof of age and residency at time of issue.

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