

P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, the Minnesota school safety patrol has completed another year without a traffic fatality charged against it and in the more than 40 years the school patrol has existed not one fatal accident has been charged against it, and

WHEREAS, this outstanding record has continued because of the vigilance of thousands of dedicated young boys and girls who accept and fulfill the responsibility of protecting their school mates from harm, and

WHEREAS, through the patrol program we teach our children to walk safely and to obey traffic regulations on their way to and from school and at play, and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that Minnesotans join to demonstrate appreciation to the school safety patrol members of both our public and private schools.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Karl F. Rolvaag, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of February 12 - 19 as

"SCHOOL SAFETY PATROL WEEK"

In Minnesota and do urge that our more than 30,000 school and bus safety patrol members be given recognition during this period for their vital service, and that local organizations arrange special programs to pay tribute to the boys and girls who so faithfully serve the patrol program.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this thirteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-six and of the State, the one hundred eighth.

Karl F. Rolvaag
GOVERNOR

Joseph L. Hansen
Secretary of State

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After the first few days, the children were able to identify the different types of trees and plants. They also learned how to identify different types of birds by their songs. The children enjoyed the outdoor activities and the opportunity to learn about nature.