



## Proclamation

WHEREAS: Merritt Elementary School in Mountain Iron is holding a very special event on May 25, 1989 called the Merritland Festival; and

WHEREAS: During the festival, which is being directed by Patty Spagnolo, the school media specialist, special programs, plays, contests and skits will take place, and over 150 door prizes will be given to the students in addition to two grand prizes of \$100.00 U.S. savings bonds donated by the Mountain Iron First State Bank, and First National Bank of Buhl; and

WHEREAS: An open house will also be held at the school, and displays will be set up showing all the special projects and work the students have done for this school year; and

WHEREAS: The festival will have a circus theme, which will be carried out with decorations including thousands of feet of streamers, balloons and posters; and

WHEREAS: The sixth grade students will be in charge of the school for the day, and four students, Tia Salmela, Jennifer Alaspa, William Dodge and Kelly Ross, will chair all the activities; and

WHEREAS: The Merritland Festival is an excellent way for the students, staff and parents of Merritt School to celebrate a year of learning, friendship and fun;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim May 25, 1989 to be

### MERRITT DAY

in Minnesota.

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 tenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-nine, and of the State the one hundred thirty-first.

SECRETARY OF STATE

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