

SPRING WATER AWARENESS PROGRAM

Morning Announcement Messages

Please repeat the following messages until late April

Remember to Respect Our Rivers and Streams....

As the warmer weather of spring approaches, please respect the important job of our rivers and streams as water flows from one place to another.

During the spring, our rivers and streams fill with water from melting snow, melting ice and rainfall. The rivers and streams become deeper, the water moves faster and the water is very cold. Respect our rivers – stay away from the water and be safe this spring.

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Remember to Stay off the Ice....

Stay off the ice this spring! The ice cover on lakes, rivers and streams can be very unpredictable, and that means it can be unsafe and very dangerous.

Remember to stay off the ice. It may look safe, but its not!

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Dams are Dangerous

There are hidden dangers in the water around a dam. The water may look calm and peaceful, but the water flows over the dam with tremendous power and strength. The water below the surface is constantly churning.

Read and obey the signs that you see. And, remember, the colour red on the signs means danger – stay away from the dam and the area around it.

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