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Update: Tuesday, March 17, 2020

Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19)

Pandemic Information & Planning

Wauneta-Palisade Schools will be closed for students at the conclusion of the school day on Wednesday, March 18th through Wednesday, April 1st. The school will operate a regular dismissal schedule on Wednesday. All activities and sports practices are suspended, and all school buildings will be closed. This closure and all suspended/postponed school events will be evaluated on an ongoing basis moving forward. Announcements or updates will be made through the school “all call” system (text and phone call), school website and social media, and local media outlets.

The district’s top priority is the safety and well-being of our students. We are aware this decision greatly impacts our students, staff, and families in the community, and was made with much thought and consideration.

At this time, there has not been a confirmed case of COVID-19 in our Southwest Nebraska Public Health District, however the Center for Disease Control guidance recommends social distancing and the separation of large groups of people. We will continue to maintain contact with the ESU #15, Southwest Nebraska Department Public Health Department, and other government agencies as we move forward.

Educational enrichment will be provided for students during this school closure. Students will take home school issued devices at the end of the day Wednesday to assist in this process. More information will be available on this in the near future. Meals (breakfast & lunch) will be available in a “grab & go” pick up format in both communities for ALL students `starting Monday, March 23.

Please watch for updates and information about enrichment opportunities and school meals via mail, school website, social media, and the “all call” system.

Hopefully this notice provides your family the information necessary in a timely manner to make plans going forward. Thank you for your understanding and patience.