

*Weekly Happenings at The Elementary School:  
January 26, 2018*

*Winter Blues???*

The Valley Falls Free Library has many things that you can do besides check out books....  
These items can be checked out free, just like a book, using your library card:  
GoPro camera, Museum Passes, WiFi Hotspot!

Check out their latest newsletter at...

<http://www.valleyfallslibrary.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/01/January-Newsletter-PDF-1.pdf>

Congratulations to all of our 5th graders who graduated from the DARE Program on Monday!  
The ceremony drew many parents and dignitaries from around the county, all to celebrate our students' work!

*Writing Olympics* - the Young Author's Night will be Wednesday, April 25th, so mark your calendars.

*Ski Club* - is in the 3rd week, and the children are enjoying the slopes.

*Kindergarten Registration* - children who will be 5 years old by 12/1/18, are eligible to attend kindergarten in September. Call the Elementary office at 518-753-4458, ext 3506 OR email [ckinnicutt@hoosicvalley.k12.ny.us](mailto:ckinnicutt@hoosicvalley.k12.ny.us) to register your child. Screening will take place May 23, 24, 25 by appointment only. Registration packets will be mailed out one month prior.

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*Reminders*

Report cards will be issued on Friday, February 2nd.

If you are picking up your child at dismissal, a written note should be sent in that morning.  
Advance notice to the teacher and office is required.

It's not too late to join School Banking. Visit [www.capcomfcu.org](http://www.capcomfcu.org) to find out how.

Changes to your address or phone number should be noted with the Office, we will make the necessary computer update and relay the information to all other departments.

The elementary building still has Lockdown drills to conducts, so be aware this could happen at anytime.

Receiving Text Alerts from the District: To opt in, just type "YES" to **67587**.