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# HONORABLE MENTION



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# 2024 SIGN WARRIOR Calendar



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# SIGN WARRIOR

Become a Sign Warrior!



Imagine a Captain Marvel comic style of sign warrior hero that saves the day and foils sign vandalism. This hero protects our signs, keeping our roads safe so that we get home to our families each day. This hero also changes our outlook on the importance of signs and creates a culture of awareness and that saves lives.

“SAVE OUR SIGNS!” Missing or damaged signs can lead to traffic accidents resulting in property damage, injury and death. Many local road agencies (i.e., county, city and township) across the state fight an expensive and constant battle to keep signs in place and in good repair. That effort costs tax dollars and valuable time that could be better spent on other important road maintenance and improvement efforts. Even the best driver can miss a corner or zoom unsafely through an intersection if signs are damaged or missing.

We need you to help, become a Sign Warrior today!

– North Dakota Local Technical Assistance Program Team



Rhonda Woodhams, Williams County Highway Department Office Manager, helped create the Sign Warrior calendar project.

Thanks to the fourth grade students who participated in our poster contest. Your efforts make this calendar possible and bring out the sign warrior in all of us. These new fourth grade superheroes are helping to get us all home safely every day. Way to go!

**NDDPI Values - “Build Relationships, Cultivate Opportunities, Inspire Growth”**



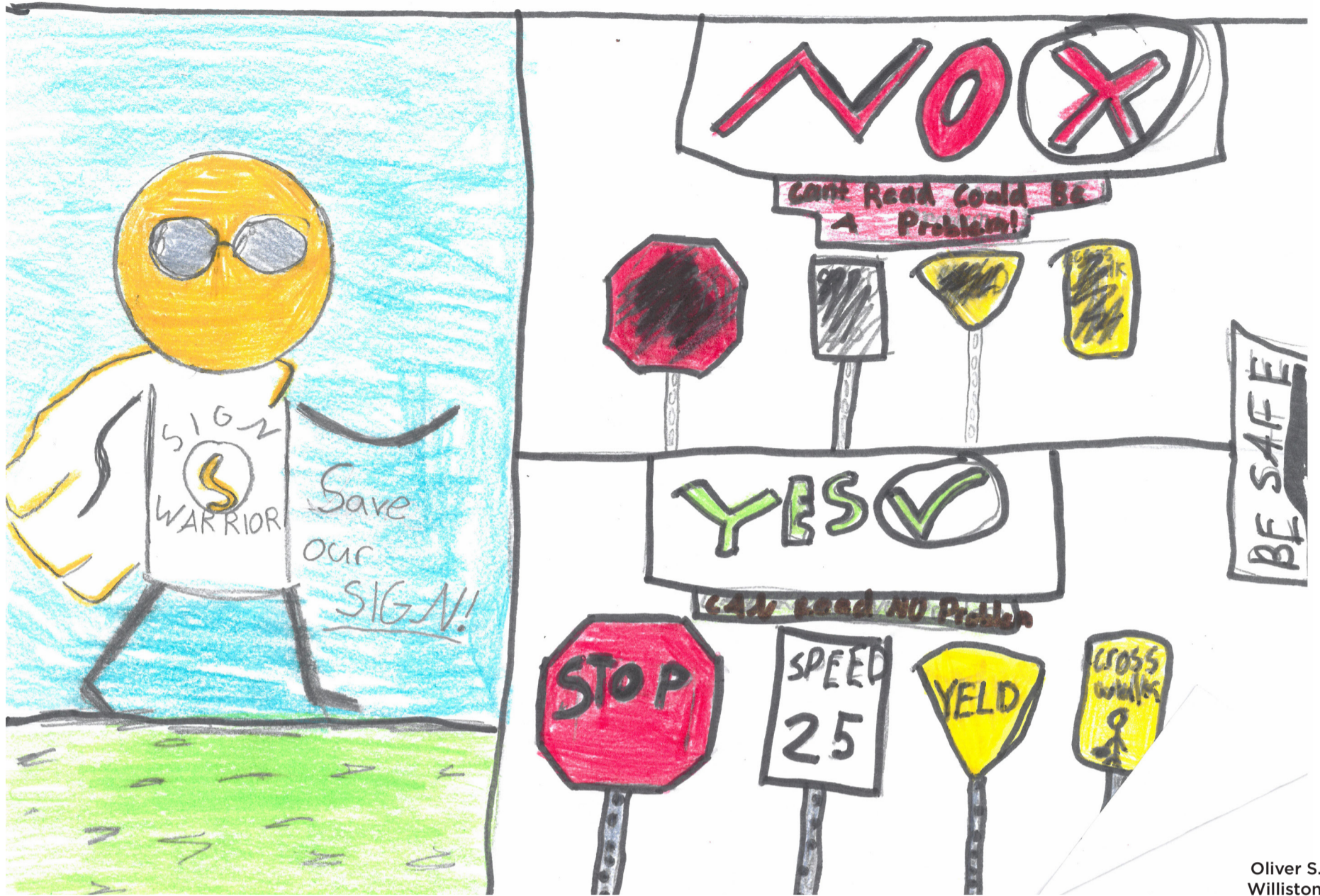
## December 2024



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 Christmas Day	26	27	28
29	30	31 New Year's Eve				

**“Think Before You Act - Safety First”**

Save our sign no more graffiti or vandalism! They are VERY important!



Oliver S. Williston

## Did You Know . . .

The colors of street signs aren't just a coincidence. In fact, color psychology plays a major role in determining how each message catches drivers' and cyclists' attention alike. For example:

- **Red** = Urgent message to pay attention to, such as stop and do not enter
- **Yellow** = Permanent hazard areas, such as crosswalks and traffic lights
- **Black and white** = Motorist advisories, such as speed limit or one-way streets
- **Blue** = Less urgent information, such as a rest stop or dining
- **Green** = Travel information, such as a freeway exit number or street name
- **Orange** = Temporary hazard area, such as road work and construction

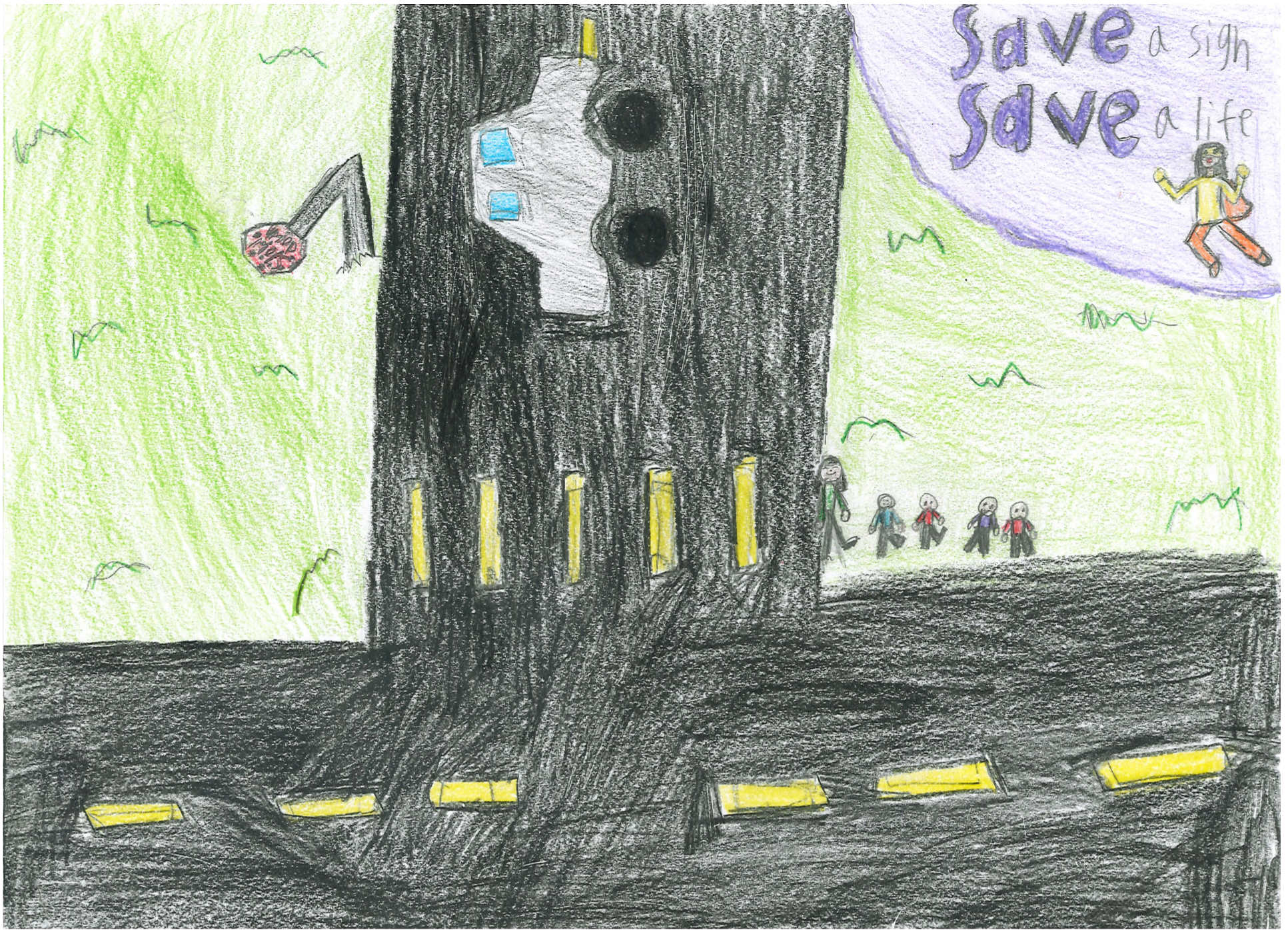
Sign shape also plays an important role in capturing drivers' attention. Sign shapes and their messages include:

- **Diamond** = Curve ahead
- **Square** = Caution
- **Rectangle** = Speed limit
- **Circle** = Railroad crossing
- **Octagon** = Stop sign



Proudly Supporting Sign Warriors





Tusweca H.  
Tate Topa Tribal School



# November 2024



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28 Thanksgiving	29	30

**"Accidents Hurt, Safety Doesn't"**

Please Don't Vandalize!



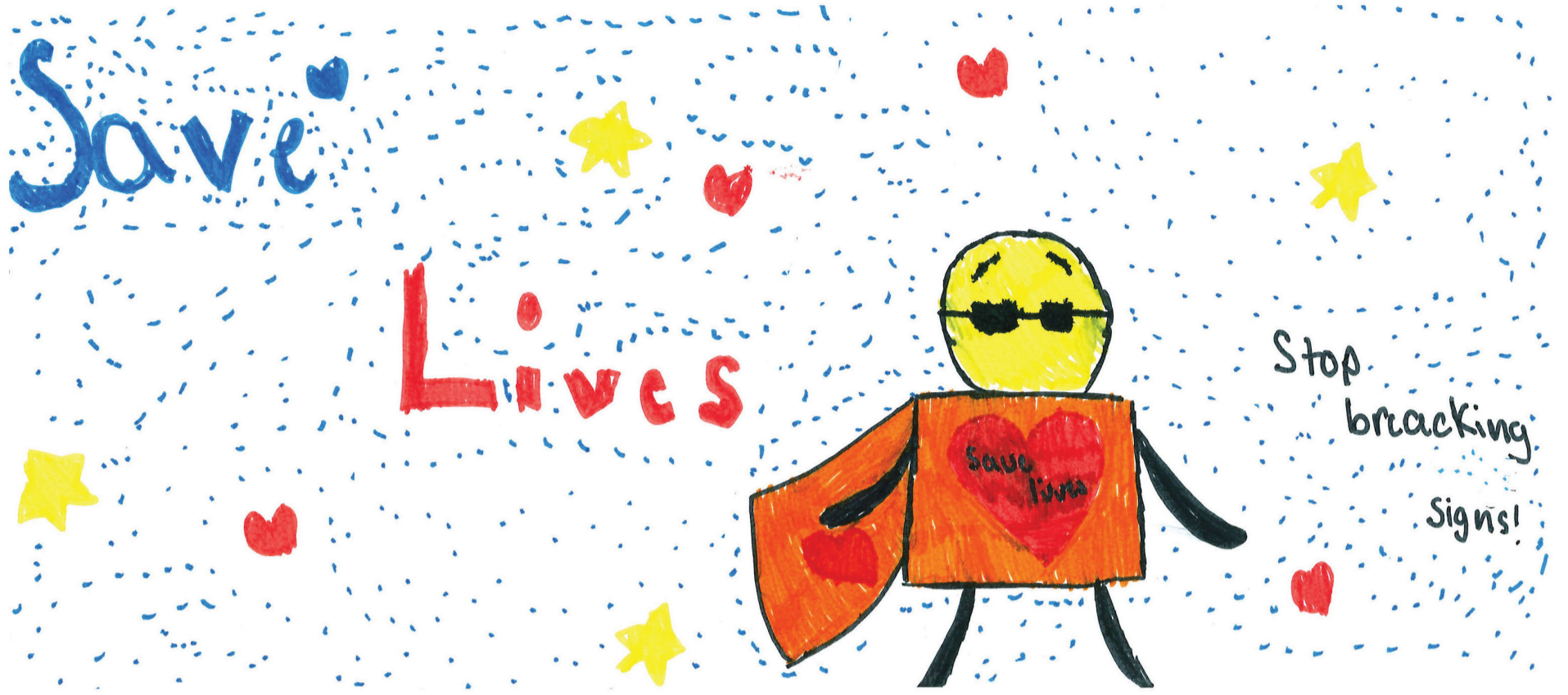
Eleanor B.  
Badlands Elementary, Watford City



# January 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 New Year's Day	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22 Martin Luther King Jr. Day	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

"Safer Roads Save Lives" – Northland Chapter of American Traffic Safety Services Association



Vivicka M.  
Tate Topa Tribal School

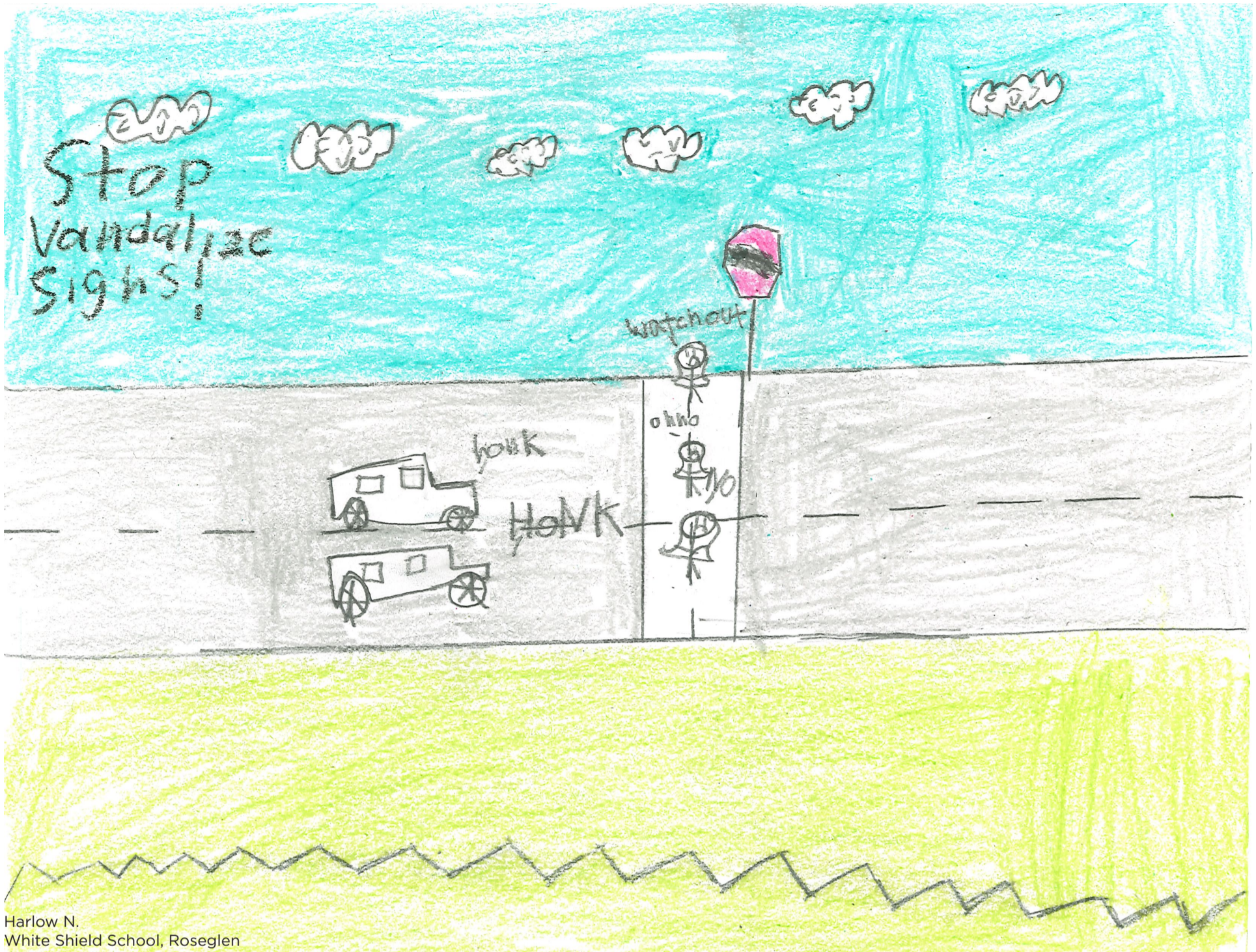


# October 2024



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 Indigenous Peoples' Day	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31 Halloween		

Fasten your seat belt, someone needs you!



Harlow N.  
White Shield School, Roseglen



# February 2024



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14 Valentine's Day	15	16	17
18	19 Presidents Day	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29		

"Save a Sign, Save a Life" - Dale C. Heglund, NDLTAP



Jase W.  
Linton School



# September 2024



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Labor Day	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

"Keep Calm and Drive Safely"



# SAVE OUR SIGNS!

"If you can't read it how can it save you?"



Savannah D.  
Cavalier Elementary



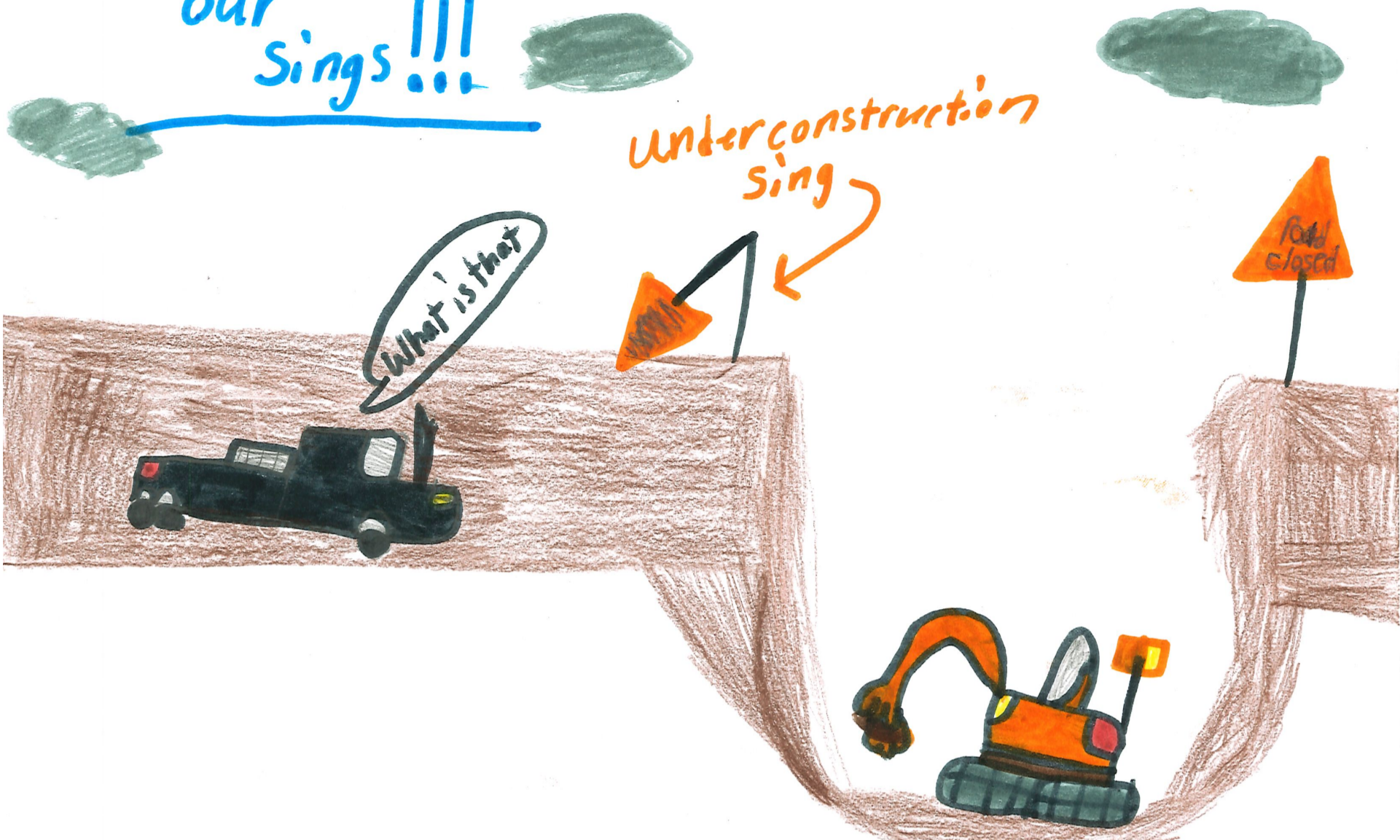
## March 2024



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17 St. Patrick's Day	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29 Good Friday	30
31 Easter						

Road safety is a state of mind. Accident is an absence of mind.

Save  
our  
Signs!!!



Colton J.  
Cavalier Elementary



# August 2024



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Vision Zero means that we all make it home safe.



# April 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29 Earth Day	30				

Road signs give information to drivers and prevent accidents.



Siena D.

Dakota Prairie Elementary, McVille



# July 2024



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
				Independence Day		
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

Report missing or damaged signs to city or county officials.

Signs aren't trying to boss you around, they are trying to save lives so lets save signs



Ashley B.  
Park River Area School



# May 2024



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13 Mother's Day	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27 Memorial Day	28	29	30	31	

Celebrate National Transportation Week • May 12-18



Preslee S.  
Maple Valley Public Schools, Tower City



# June 2024



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14 Flag Day	15
16	17 Father's Day	18	19 Juneteenth	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30						

Eyes on the Road - Don't Text and Drive!