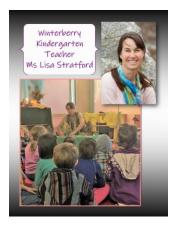


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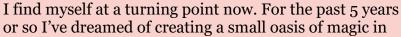
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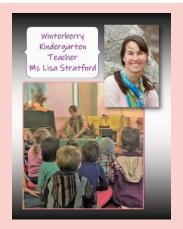
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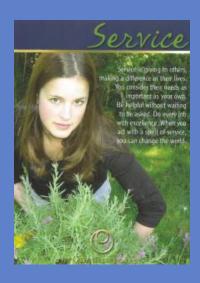
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### You are practicing **Service**

When you:

- Want to make difference in the world
- Look for opportunities to be of service to others
- Do thoughtful thins to help your family and friends
- Work with enthusiasm
- Don't wait to be asked when something needs doing
- Do your part to care for the earth:recycle, reduce, re-use

Affirmation
I am a person of service.
I have compassion for those who need help.
I do my part to make a better world.

#### Dates to Remember

Winterberry Parent Guild will meet via zoom April 7th 6:00pm

April 5th Parent Handwork and Hang Out In Lobby in the 1:30pm

April 6th Parent Workshop

Time: 1st Thursday of the month

**Topic: WPG Zoom Meeting** 

Join Zoom Meeting

Winterberry Charter Council
will meet via zoom
April 21st
6:00pm

Time: 3rd Thursday of the month at

6pm

**Topic: Winterberry Charter Council** 

Time: 6pm

Join Zoom Meeting

https://asdk12.zoom.us/j/519426010

**Connected Family Meals** 

April 28th World Language Culture

Fair

May 05 Pentathlon for Grade 5

Goose Lake

Grade 8 Circus

TBA

May 18th Grade 8 Graduation

May 19th Mayfest Last Day of School

New Family Welcome Day/Time and Location TBA

# This week's Photo Gallery Grades 4 and 5 Native Youth Olympics

















