

# 2016 Wisconsin Adult Crossing Guard Recognition Week

## January 11-15, 2016

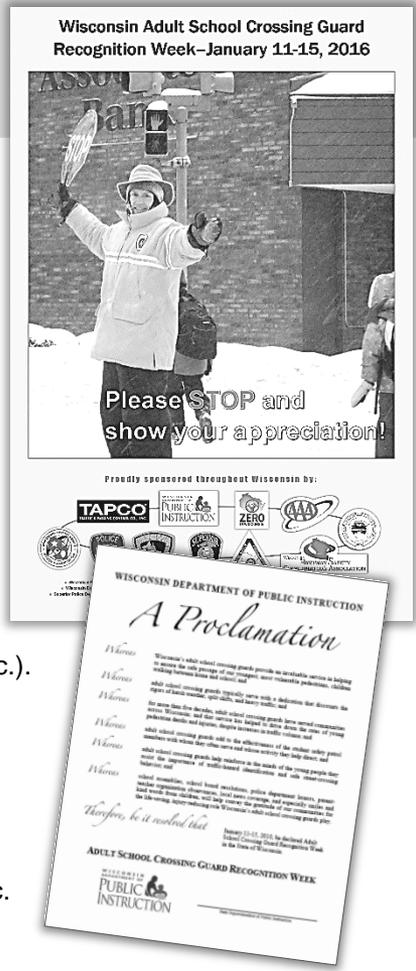
Posters are available for printing at:

<http://dpi.wi.gov/sites/default/files/event/attachments/2016%20crossing%20guard%20poster.pdf>

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### Ideas and Suggestions for Meaningful Recognition

- Print your own copy of the Adult School Crossing Guard Recognition Week proclamation.
- Print as many additional posters as you wish to display in and around your school. Posters can be printed directly to your local printer.
- Involve local media (TV, radio, and newspapers) and highlight the adult crossing guards in your area and the statewide initiative.
- Hold an all-school assembly or special crossing guard recognition event. Invite local dignitaries and allow them to share in recognizing the adult crossing guards who serve your school.
- Have students create special "thank you" cards for the adult crossing guards from your school and display the cards in a prominent location.
- Inform and involve parents in awareness and recognition activities (article in school newsletter, special note students take home, etc.).
- Ask parents to donate a small token of appreciation for each guard (pocket hand warmers, a cookie, a thank-you card, etc.).
- During your school's daily PA announcements, inform students about the weeklong recognition initiative and encourage students to give their crossing guards a big smile and thank you.
- If your school has an outside marquee, recognize the statewide initiative and your crossing guards.
- Partner with other community people, agencies, and organizations (mayor, law enforcement agencies).
- Involve and/or encourage local PTA/PTO groups to do something special.
- Have students invite your guards to a school lunch at which students can display their thanks via skits, posters, cards, etc.
- Take a moment to simply say "thank you" to your crossing guards.



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