**IS Daily Download**

**Tuesday, August 20, 2013**

**Welcoming International Students**

If you come across a language barrier with an international student who is trying to find their way around campus or the Lansing area, use hand gestures or visual aids. If you have a map to refer to, point to different landmarks to help them reach their destination. Speak slowly and in a normal tone. Smile often and make them feel welcome!

**Giving Directions?**

**MSU Fun Fact**

MSU is one of only four universities in the nation that rank in the top 10 for both study abroad participation and international student enrollment!

**Fill the Bus**

The box is now in the kitchen for Fill the Bus! Pick up some extra school supplies when you are shopping over the next week and put them in the box to donate. They will help benefit local school children who do not have the means to purchase school supplies. All donations must be in by the morning of Wednesday, August 25th!

**Beat the Heat!**

Head on over to an MSU Diary Store location for a sweet treat that will cool you off!

**Anthony Hall Hours**

9 a.m. – 8 p.m.

**MSU Union Hours**

Noon – 8 p.m.

Try a scoop of Coconut Chocolate Almond or have a cone of the classic favorite, Sesquicentennial Swirl!!

**On This Day in History...**

On this day in 1911, the first telegram was sent around the world via commercial service! It traveled more than 28,000 miles in 16.5 minutes! 66 years later, on August 20, 1977, NASA launched an unmanned 1,820 pound rocket named **Voyager II**. Its contents included items such as recordings of sounds from Earth, messages from world leaders, and music, with the thought it may one day be discovered by extraterrestrial life. This spacecraft explored the outer solar system and coincided with the alignment of Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, and Neptune, which is a rare occurrence! It is expected to continue sending data to Earth until 2020!

**IS Daily Events**

**Security Cameras for IS Building**

10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

IS Conference Room 130

**Qualys Scanner Setup**

10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

IS Resource Room 131

**IS Service Catalog**

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

IS Conference Room 130

**Storing Payroll Data**

2:00 – 3:00 p.m.

IS Resource Room 131

**Today’s Weather:**

86° / 65° Sunny