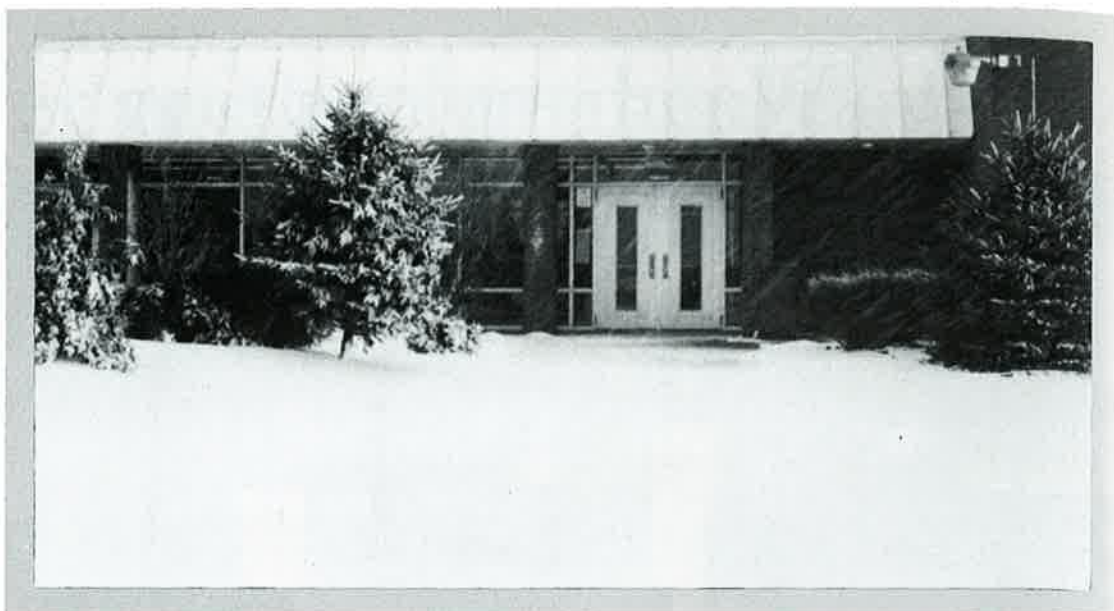


North Putman High School standing firm in one of the snow storms of the 1993-1994 school year.



Snow Days Add Spice To Life

When the weather worsens in January, rumors of school being dismissed early or being cancelled the next day seems to add excitement to the school day.

It was a while since anyone could remember actually missing four days of school due to the weather. Sure we missed about two days of school every year because of the weather, but that seems to add excitement to the school year.

January 18, 1994, was the coldest day ever recorded in Putnam County. The temperature dropped to an icy 27 degrees below zero in Greencastle.

The only problem was having to make up the missed school days at the end of the year.

According to Jean Poynter, one of the school janitors, the longest snow break which we ever had was back in 1978. Two full weeks of school were missed due to the weather. The road in front of the school was even closed down for a period of time.

Even though snow days make excitement for the school year, making up the days is not much fun. ♦By Paris Riggen



Jody Cope, Nikki Webb, Shawn Berry, and others hurry to their cold vehicles after school trying to avoid the cold wind as much as possible.



Mr. Blubaum tries to enjoy a good book while looking over his class!



The students' cars are shown here covered in the many snow flakes that fell throughout this last school year.