

### HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC SCHOOL 210 A STREET ROCK SPRINGS, WYOMING 82901 307-362-6077 October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2014

**Wednesday**, **Oct.22**- The children will be walking to the pumpkin patch at approximately 10:00 a.m. Please remember to send \$5.00 if you would like your child to purchase a pumpkin.

Friday, Oct. 24- Volunteers needed to help decorate for the Halloween Carnival.

Set-up will begin at 6:00p.m.

<u>Saturday</u>, <u>Oct. 25</u>- Halloween Carnival from 2-5 p.m. Please refer to Halloween note for class responsibilities.

Red Ribbon Week will begin next Monday. Please make note of various planned activities.

The end of the First Quarter is Friday, Oct. 31. Please remind your children to be responsible for all daily assignments and homework.

# HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC SCHOOL RED RIBBON WEEK ACTIVITIES

#### MONDAY, OCTOBER 27TH

BE THE CHANGE

Bring in change – all money will be donated to help those in need

Wear uniforms

## **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28TH**

TAKE A STAND , LEND A HAND K-3 will help clean up around the school Grades 4 & 5 will help at the soup kitchen Spirit shirts and blue jeans

#### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29TH

DRUG FREE DAY
Wear red shirts with uniform pants or skirts

#### **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30TH**

TREAT OTHERS THE WAY YOU WANT TO BE TREATED Wear a tye dye or peace shirt with jeans

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31<sup>ST</sup>

TOO BRIGHT TO SMOKE
Wear a bright colored shirt and/or sunglasses with jeans



#### October 2014

Dear Students and Parents,

It is that time of year again. The Young Authors contest for 2015 is beginning. Young Authors is a great way to show your child's work in creative writing. Last year we had three winners from our school at the county level, and two went to the state level for judging. It was such an awesome experience for our students and we'd love to have more represented from our school.

My name is Mrs Copsey and I am the coordinator along with Mrs Barker for Holy Spirit Catholic School. I can be reached at 362-6077 or email at <a href="mailto:kindergarten@rshscs.com">kindergarten@rshscs.com</a>. Please feel free to contact me or Mrs Barker <a href="mailto:thirdgrade@rshscs.com">thirdgrade@rshscs.com</a> with any questions or concerns.

Below is some general information:

The contest is open to all students in grades Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Fiction, nonfiction and poetry entries will be accepted. **The deadline for entries to reach me is February 6, 2015.** This will give the scorers time to score the entries and get them to the County committee by March 3, 2015.

I want to touch base on some of the common mistakes so that no entries will be disqualified.

Fiction/Nonfiction books may not exceed 4,000 words. If it is over 3,000 words a word count must accompany the entry.

A book of poetry may either be an epic poem or a collection of five (exactly) poems, and must include a table of contents.

A book of poems should not include the word poem in the title.

An author's name should not appear on the book.

All books should be in book form and no larger than 9" x 12".

All books should have a front cover with a title, and a back cover, which is not part of the text.

If you would like more information or you have questions you can contact me.

I look forward to reading your students' entries.

Sincerely, Mrs Copsey and Mrs Barker