Monday News, from Mrs. Hunt, November 4, 2013

\*\*\*The H.S.A. meets tonight in the Library at 7:30 p.m.

\*\*\*Thank you to all families for your contributions to the Huntsman Cancer Institute. The Student Council will proudly donate over $800.00 to help with a cure for cancer.

\*\*\*The Halloween classroom parties were enjoyable for all students. Thank you to parents for providing fun activities and delicious treats for the students.

\*\*\*We are now beginning our traditional Thanksgiving Dinner Project for St. Patrick’s Parish. For several years, Cosgriff Families have donated all the essential food items for a Thanksgiving dinner for at least 40 needy families in that parish. During our school “Family” activity on November 22nd, the students will sort these items to make 50 or more Thanksgiving dinner boxes for the St. Patrick’s parishioners and a few for our own St. Ambrose Parish families. Each student is asked for a donation to help with the purchase of Smith’s gift cards. Students are allowed to wear “Spirit” free dress on December 14th with a $3.00 contribution. These gift cards will be given along with a box of food to help each family purchase a fresh turkey to prepare on Thanksgiving Day.

All school families, Toddler – 8th Grades are asked to drop off specific food items in a box located by their classroom door. (Click Here) to view the list of specific food items requested for each grade. Thank you, in advance for your generous donations.

\*\*\*MERCY is the Christian Virtue which students will learn more about in November. This important virtue is the umbrella for peacefulness, forgiveness, patience, compassion and gentleness.

“Volunteering” and “Getting the Teacher’s and/or an Adults Attention “are the Social Skills which teachers and parents are asked to read about and discuss with students this month. (Click here) to read more about these two Lifelong skills.

(Click here) to refresh your familiarity with Policy 4510 -Extra Curricular Activities. This information can be found in the student handbook at www. cosgriff.org.

It is important that students participate in after school activities such as drama, band, sports, etc. A priority for all students and parents must include conscientious school performance and acceptable grades as a number one priority. Thank you for your support with Policy 4510.

\*\*\*A reminder of the Summer Science Camp, Teton Science School parent meeting, Wednesday November 6th 7:00 p.m. in the Social Center (Summer Camp is for students entering 5th, 6th,, 7th grades.)

 \*\*\*A reminder to send extra Halloween candy to Mrs. Brown’s Third Grade Classroom. This candy will be shipped to our troops next week.

\*\*\* The H.S.A. is sponsoring a Christmas Wreath Sale to help support school programs and activities. “(Click here) to view the lovely wreaths. Ordering deadline is November 15th. Delivery is the week of December 2nd –through December 6th (Click Here) to download an ordering form or fill a form out in the school office. Please make all checks payable to J. E. Cosgriff.

\*\*\*Scout Troop 202 is sponsoring Turkey Bingo, November 23rd, 6:30 p.m. in the Social Center. Enjoy snacks, dinner and win prizes.

\*\*\*Please Help!!! Recommendations are needed right away for a person/company to clear the snow from the St. Ambrose parking lot, salt it and keep the area safe for all who walk and drive on it. Please contact Mr. Hunt, 801-486-6933 if you have connections and/or a recommendation.

Thank you,

Mrs. Hunt