## Community Education Department Program Report October 2013

- Ms. Bolton is working with Dick Fleischer of Schools Count Corp on the building of the playground for the Lowell Longfellow School.
- Ms. Bolton will be meeting with Kimberly Haynes of Family Guidance for a
  possible Alcohol Abuse Prevention program. This program will be a resource for
  the schools that may deal with alcohol related issues that might plague the
  families of Dist. 152. Ms. Bolton will get information on local AA meetings and
  other prevention programs.
- As the Halloween season is approaching us, we understand how some parents might be afraid of sending their children out. We are grateful for organizations that choose to hold events that pertain to children to keep them safe. The following organizations are holding Halloween/harvest Fest Celebrations:
  - Renegade Riders MC Clubhouse 14931 S. Morgan; Sunday, Oct. 20<sup>th</sup>, 12:00pm-4:00pm
  - Harvey Public Library; Saturday, Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>, 1:00-2:30 Halloween Crafts
  - First Wesley Memorial Church, 15446 Lexington, Saturday, Oct. 26 12:00 pm-2:00pm
  - Harvey Public Library; Monday, Oct. 28<sup>th</sup>, 5:00 pm-7:00 Harvest Fest
  - Harvey Park Dist. @Gloria Taylor, Thursday Oct. 31st, 4:00pm-8:00, Halloween Party
  - Heather Health Care, 15600 Honore; Halloween Adventure Oct. 31st 3-5pm.
- On November 1<sup>st</sup>, My Joyful Heart will hold their Annual Starlight Gala Dance. This dance is their only fundraiser of the year and Ms. Bolton is attending, hopefully with other members of the District. My Joyful Heart is one of our greatest donors of special gifts and packages for 180 of our students throughout the district. Each child receives 5 event gifts from My Joyful Heart throughout the year. We want to make sure we support this organization, as they continue to support our students and district with their generosity.
- November 12<sup>th</sup> is National Community Education Day throughout the country. It
  is a day that spotlights community-based, learning and partnerships.

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