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MEMORANDUM NO. 2009-183

TO: School District Superintendents
Wyoming School Principals

FROM: Jim McBride, Ed.D.

DATE: November 20, 2009

SUBJECT: "Living the Dream" Essay Contest

INFORMATION TO SHARE

I received the attached letter and flyer from the Love and Charity Club, Inc. of Cheyenne. Please share this information with the principals, counselors, and teachers in your district and ask them to encourage their students to participate in this contest. Thank you.

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Attachments (2)

219 S. Ames Avenue
Cheyenne, Wyoming 82007

November 16, 2009

The Honorable Jim McBride
State Superintendent of Public Instruction
Hathaway Building, 2nd Floor
2300 Capitol Avenue
Cheyenne, Wyoming 82002-0050

Dear Dr. McBride:

The Love and Charity Club, Inc. of Cheyenne is again sponsoring an essay contest to celebrate the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. "Living the Dream" is the theme of this contest, and it is open to elementary, junior high/middle, and high school students. The members of the club would be very grateful if you would communicate this information to your school district superintendents and principals.

The essays should be typed or legibly written and no longer than 500 words. We will award \$50.00 to the winners in the elementary, junior/middle school, and high school categories. If the winner in the high school category is a graduating senior who is planning to attend college after graduation, we will award a \$500.00 scholarship to that person.

We hope that Wyoming teachers and parents will find the "Living the Dream" Essay Contest a worthwhile activity and encourage students to share their thoughts with us in the form of an essay.

All entries should be submitted to Ms. Gloradene Stevenson; 6908 Willshire Blvd.; Cheyenne, Wyoming 82009. They should be postmarked by January 9, 2010.

Thank you for your consideration and assistance. A flyer, which can be copied and distributed to the various school buildings, is enclosed.

Sincerely,



Rita E. Watson
Love and Charity Club, Inc.

Attachment

“LIVING THE DREAM”

Essay Contest



**A contest for students of
all ages and grades!**

**Write an essay of 500 words or less
about the life and contributions of
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.**

**Three winners will be chosen--one each
at the elementary, junior high/middle,
and high school level.**

**Each winner will receive \$50.00. If the
winner in the high school category is a
senior who plans to continue his/her
education beyond high school, he/she will
receive a \$500.00 scholarship.**

**Send your entries to:
Ms. Gloradene Stevenson
6908 Willshire Blvd.
Cheyenne, Wyoming 82009**

ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY JANUARY 9, 2010.