Cub News 11/24/23

DISTRICT:

- The Maple Valley Food Bank's annual toy drive is back! The toy drive will run from November 15th- December 1st at all Tahoma schools. We are collecting new, unwrapped gifts for kids ages 0-12, and \$25 gift cards for ages 13-18. Thank you for helping families in our community have a wonderful holiday season!
- Tahoma High School is hosting Winterfest on December 13th, from 5-7 p.m. There will be holiday games and prizes, along with a story corner! Everyone who attends can also enjoy FREE hot chocolate and apple cider. There is no cost to attend this event, and if you would like to support the community, we invite you to bring non-perishable cans of food for donation! We have attached their flyer with more information.

COUNSELOR:

- If your family could use some extra support for the holidays, below is a link to a list of holiday assistance programs in King County: https://ths-wa.org/general/king-county-free-food-and-gifts-holiday-assistance/
- Additionally, the Maple Valley Food Bank provides wonderful support for families in our district.
 You can find out more about their food and gift programs here:
 https://maplevalleyfoodbank.org/get-help/
- You can also contact our school counselor, Monica Clark, at mclark@tahomasd.us if you are in need of support as we have access to some additional options and would love to help!

PTO NEWS:

Yearbook: Our yearbook cover art contest has begun! Deadline is Thursday, 11/30. See details on the PTO website: <u>tahomacubs.org</u>.

Book Fair: The Scholastic Book Fair is coming to TES on November 30th!

- Volunteers are needed to help make this event a success. <u>TES Book Fair Volunteers</u>
- Book Fair Information: Book Fair Homepage
- E-wallet Information:
 - E-wallet is an easy way to let kids shop without the hassle of bringing cash. Please see the attached flyer or visit the Book Fair homepage to sign up.

Upcoming Dates:

11/29 – 2nd Grade FT (Moore, Wigoda, Kim) 11/30-12/7 – PTO Book Fair 12/11-12/15 – TES Spirit Week 12/16-1/1 – Winter Break