Germantown CARE

Community Awareness, Resources, Education

March 31, 2004

Ruth Pelham Music Mobile Inc. PO Box 6024 Albany NY 12206

Dear Ruth,

On behalf of CARE, I thank you once again for your involvement with the Smoke-Free Celebration Day at Germantown Elementary School on Tuesday, March 30, 2004.

We feel that the Third through Sixth Graders gained much insight on the dangers of cigarette smoking and also an awareness of how to avoid beginning such a habit. By rotating through many different stations, such as examining the ingredients of a cigarette to seeing a demonstration with healthy and diseased pig lungs to learning how much it actually costs to smoke, the students we able to learn first-hand many reasons why it is not in their best interest to smoke cigarettes.

Your work with the Third and Fourth Graders to compose a special song for this event was fantastic! By presenting this song at the Closing Program, you helped to wrap-up the day's activities and send the students home with a catchy reminder of the knowledge they had learned in the various stations.

We appreciate your assistance with our efforts, and we will keep you in mind for future educational programs we may consider for the students of Germantown.

Kindest regards.

Rev. Mark Frickey Germantown CARE

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