September

Dear Principal/Teacher:

Holidayfest announces the Annual Cindy Lou Who Essay Contest. The contest is named "The Cindy-Lou Who Essay" because Cindy-Lou Who is a great role model for all children and encourages the true meaning of the season – kindness and love.

This year, The Cindy-Lou Who Essay Contest theme focuses on tradition:

"What act of kindness is your holiday tradition?"

We would like for your Third (3rd) Grade Classes to participate in the essay contest. The school with a First-Place winning entry will receive \$100 from HolidayFest of Sumner County. The essay-winners awards will be presented with the Parade Winners at the Board of Mayor and Alderman Meeting. The 1st, 2nd and 3rd place student winners will ride in the Annual Hendersonville Parade on Dec. 3rd at 2pm.

Our motto is to bring the best out of the children of our community and we believe that this contest will encourage children to write as well as encourage them to understand how acts of kindness can change a life. Each Essay should be no more than 200 words. We will pick them up from your school office on Thursday, November 16th 2023.

If you have any questions or wish to discuss this, please contact, **HolidayFest founder**, **Lynda Evjen 615-517-5714**.

Sincerely,

The Board of Holidayfest of Sumner County

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