

**September 22, 2011**

**Dear Parent(s) or Guardian(s):**

**Social skills groups have been offered in the elementary school for a number of years. We would like to continue to offer this opportunity to students in the Middle School. Planning for our first such group is currently underway. We have decided to begin with a boys group and will plan to schedule a girls' group later in the school year. Interested boys are encouraged to join this group, which will meet during one lunch period per week for approximately 8 sessions. Both Mr. Many, the Middle School social worker, and Mrs. Storey, the Middle School guidance counselor, will facilitate this group.**

**We hope that you will discuss this group with your son. Any questions may be directed to Mr. Harrington, Mrs. Sniffen, Mrs. Storey or Mr. Many. Please provide both parent and student signatures below and return the form either to the Middle School office mailbox of Mrs. Storey, in person to Mrs. Storey or Mr. Many, or send a message via Haldane e-mail to any of us. We'd appreciate any responses by November 5, 2011 and hope for your attention and interest with this group.**

**Thank you!**

**Carol Storey, Guidance Counselor  
Scott Many, Social Worker**

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**Parent Signature**

**Student Signature**

**Date**