

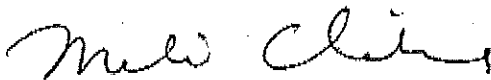
February 23, 2013

Dear Gallatin County Board of Education Members:

The Gallatin County Science Boosters formally seek permission to travel to the Florida Keys March 20-27, 2013 to study coastal and wetland ecology and coral reef formation. Eighteen seniors are attending the trip. All are excellent students and have met all attendance and behavior criteria. We will be visiting the Everglades National Park, attending sea camp at Newfound Harbor Marine Institute, and participating in a snorkel trip in Fort Jefferson National Park. This trip is a long-standing tradition in Gallatin County and students learn an abundance of material in a very short period of time.

Chaperones will be Melissa Clinkenbeard (teacher), Robin Hutcheson (teacher), Dr. Rick Ackermann, and Mr. Brian Menefee (Delta employee and travel coordinator).

Best Regards,



Melissa Clinkenbeard  
GCHS Science Department Chair

Rebecca Booth, 2/26/13