**Cobra Readers Meeting Agenda**

**Friday, October 19th, 2012**

1. **T-Shirts & Candy Sales**
   * T-Shirts are in! If you ordered yours, please pick it up today. The price of the t-shirt is $12.
   * **Remember, you will need to wear a shirt to any Cobra Readers field trip.**
   * **Candy money is due as soon as possible. Please turn in any candy money to Ms. Stafford. We would like each member to sell one box, if you can.**
2. **Halloween Grams**
   * We will be selling Halloween Candy Grams! They are bags of candy that are delivered to a friend, or yourself.
   * It is $1 for the Halloween gram or $1.50 for the gram and delivery. Spread the word! Tell your friends and classmates to purchase one.
   * We will be putting some of the Halloween grams together today after the meeting! Stay behind if you are interested in making a few.
3. **Public Library News and Announcements**

* Young Adult Writer-In-Residence Program: open to anyone and everyone!
  + Thursday, November 8th, 2012: 7 PM-8:30 PM
    - The Plot Thickens: Learn how to structure a story and develop a plot
    - West Dade Regional Library: 9445 Coral Way
* For more Public Library news, remember to check the Circulation Desk periodically!

1. **First Book Selection**

* **Remember, our first book is *The Perks of Being a Wallflower.***
* The books should be in shortly. We’ll send out an email as soon they arrive. Remember, the Miami-Dade Public Library has copies of the book if you want a head start on reading it!

1. **Field Trips!**
   * **Miami Book Fair International: November 16th, 2012 (B-Day)**
     + This is a field trip to the annual Miami Book Fair. The author that is speaking this year is Libba Bray, author of *The Diviners.* The cost is $6.
     + **First come, first served:** we have 30 spots opened for the field trip. Bring your field trip forms and $6.00 in ASAP to reserve your spot!
   * **South Miami K-8 Center: December 18th, 2012 (B-Day)**
     + This is a field trip to the South Miami K-8 Center. We read to the first grade students and assist them with their toy drive. Field trip forms due by December 7th.
     + If you can donate a new toy, it would be greatly appreciated!
   * **The Wizarding World of Harry Potter at Universal Studios: January 18th, 2013 (NO SCHOOL!)**
     + Experience the world of Harry Potter! **Please turn in field trip forms to Ms. Stafford NO LATER than Friday, December 14, 2013. The cost is $120, which includes unlimited lunch, dinner, drinks (all day at specific restaurants), entrance to the park, and the cost of the bus.**
2. **Next Meeting**
   * **Our next meeting will be on Friday, November 2nd at 11:30 in the Media Center.**
   * **See you there!**