ELGIN AVE PUBLIC SCHOOL JANUARY2018

ELGIN IN THE NEWS

Jump Rope for Heart Kickoff Assembly

An assembly was held on January 19th, to kick off our Jump Rope for Heart fundraising event. Students will have the opportunity to raise money to help people of all ages who have difficulties with the heart and brain. Top fundraisers from last year were acknowledged (Carly L., Maddy T. and Logan). Our goal for this year is to raise $3000.



To have some fun and raise awareness, three students and three teachers went against each other to find the top 6 things that the heart and brain need. All played well and had fun.

Miss Robb was one of four teachers who took on four students in a jump rope competition. She was our winner.



A great big thank you to our “Heart Heroes”: Cole, Jack, Carissa and Liam!

Candy Grams for Valentine’s Day



This year’s students’ council is selling candy grams for Valentine’s Day. These candy grams are supplied by McFarland’s Sweet Shoppe here in town. Students who choose to participate will pre-order their candy grams and peanut free chocolate suckers. They will be delivered to the recipients on Wednesday, February 14th. Order forms were sent home with your child last month.

ME to WE Club

Looking ahead to February, the ME to We club will be running a Book Drive. They will be collecting gently used books from February 5 to February 16. Those students who bring in a book will be given an opportunity to select a new gently used book from the collection to take home and read!

In December the ME to We club did a toy drive to collect toys and craft supplies for the Women’s Shelter here in Simcoe. Near the end of the month Mdme Hyladysh, Miss Bartlett, Carson and Bella went and delivered the wonderful donations given by Elgin Staff and Students to the shelter. They received this thank you note from the staff at Haldimand & Norfolk Women’s Services;

*Dear “Me & We” Friends,*

*Thank you very much for your generous donation to the Women’s Shelter.*

*The boxes of toys and craft supplies will be added to our Christmas baskets for our residents and clients.*

*Thank you for thinking of others especially at this time of year.*

*Women’s Services*



Important Dates

February 7-8 – Dental Screening

February 14 – Dance Lessons for ALL

February 15 – Report Cards Go Home

February 16 – Jump Rope for Heart

Spirit Days

February 2 – Wacky Hair Day

February 9 – Comfy Day

February 14 – Pink/Red/White Day

February 23 – Twin Day

Character Ed Assembly

This month’s character trait was compassion. Compassion means to If someone shows kindness, caring, and a willingness to help others, they're showing compassion. This is a word for a very positive emotion that has to do with being thoughtful and decent. Congratulations to all those who showed compassion this Month! February’s character trait is responsibility!