

Dear Porter Parents, Guardians, and Students,

It is the time of year for us to do our annual Jump Rope/Hoops for Heart fundraiser. As always, this voluntary program raises awareness of heart disease within our school and local community, and funds donated go directly to The American Heart Association.

Students will be bringing home fundraising packets that explain the program and provide the necessary forms. It is vital that students use safe practices to collect donations. Many employers have a “matching program” that allows them to match donations collected. Parental consent is necessary prior to any fund raising efforts and parental participation is always encouraged.

Our school raised \$2705.00 last year! Our goal this year is to raise \$3000.00 in total donations. This equals roughly \$7.00 per student. Although it may seem a lofty goal, however it is for a cause that impacts everyone, either directly or indirectly. The American Heart Association is extremely grateful for any and all donations. Our fund raiser this year will run from February 16th to the deadline for donations of March 17th.

Our elementary students will be participating in their jump rope unit. They are also jumping in teams for the school “Helicopter Competition”. Our middle school students will be given the opportunity to participate in a knock out competition within their classes.

Thank you in advance for your participation and support as we raise money and awareness for this important cause. If there are any questions, they can be directed to me via e-mail at spiro@hwporter.org.

Sincerely,
Steve Piro & Cory Tobler
Physical Education/Health Teachers