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Horizon Science Academy Lorain Looks to Help Others in Need by “Shaving” Away Cancer

What: Horizon Science Academy’s Community Service Project- Pennies for Patients

Why: HSA students are cleaning out their couch cushions and checking their pockets for Pennies for Patients! Our students are making change to beat cancer in this community service and cancer education program. Our school will not only become more aware about what others go through with Leukemia and Lymphoma, but will also collect spare change and other donations to support Pennies for Patients, a cancer education program and fundraiser benefiting The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. We will be raising money in honor of student Heroes from all over who are survivors of leukemia or lymphoma (www.schoolandyouth.org/mn/heroes). For that purpose, students were given little change boxes for the collection of spare change and are to bring it back and forth every day for the month of April.

Additionally, our school has selected some motivational tools that will help raise awareness and money for such a wonderful cause.

- April 17th- Team Up Against Leukemia & Lymphoma- Students pay \$1.00 to wear uniform pants and a JERSEY. This stresses the importance of working together as a team to reach a goal.
- April 24th- Sock it to Leukemia & Lymphoma- Students pay\$1.00 to wear wacky socks with uniform pants and shirts.
- April 30th- Shave Away Leukemia & Lymphoma- Students make their final donations to try and have an opportunity to see Mr. Bendik shave his head if our school goal is reached. When students make a donation, teachers will give them a slip of paper to have a chance to shave Mr. Bendik’s hair. Students will then write their name legibly on the back of their slips of paper and place them inside the teacher’s envelope. If HSA reaches the school wide goal (\$2,015.00), then Mr. Bendik will pull one name from every grade level to have a chance to take clippers to Mr. Bendik’s lovely hair.
- Added Bonus: Sports Clips (located on Leavitt Road in Lorain) has also joined this effort and will provide 300 free haircuts if we make our goal. Top class to raise the most money will also earn a free lunch from Olive Garden.

Who Should Attend: Parents, students, community members and media.

When: Friday, May 1, 2015 from 1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. (***Goal must be reached for this to take place***)

Where: HSA Auditorium- 760 Tower Blvd. Lorain, OH 44052

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