January 15th, 2015

Dear Parents,

As many of you already know, we have a Kindergarten student at Harkins Elementary who is currently receiving medical treatment at the IWK and will continue to require medical attention for the next several months. As a show of support for the student and his family, Home & School members along with Harkins staff have planned several fundraisers, some of which are detailed in this memo. Please be watching/listening for additional memos, voicemails, etc. and please be sure to check out Harkins Elementary Home & School’s Facebook page as well as the school website ([www.harkinselementary.nbed.nb.ca](http://www.harkinselementary.nbed.nb.ca)) for more information. All proceeds from the projects described below will go to our special student fund.

**Tomorrow (Friday, January 16th), students who pay $1.00 will be permitted to wear their pajamas for the day**.

Also, **starting tomorrow, Ms. Barrieau, with the assistance of selected students, will be operating a “Goody Cart.”** Students in each class will be permitted to buy snacks such as yogourt tubes, raisins, and Rice Krispie Squares for 50 cents each, and Crispers, Bits and Bites, juice boxes, and Mini Ritz for $1.00 each. Items for sale may vary according to availability, with the possibility of more items being added in the future. For now, the Goody Cart will operate on Fridays only; more days may added in the future, depending on the success of this endeavour.

**Next Friday, January 23rd, a special pizza lunch will be held**, at a cost of $5.00 per student; the lunch will consist of two slices of Pizza Delight pizza, milk, and a cookie. **Students must pre-pay by Wednesday, January 21st** so that the appropriate number of pizzas can be ordered in advance. **Please note that there will be no cafeteria available on this day**, so those students not buying the special pizza lunch must bring their own lunch with them.

Also, because some monetary donations have already been coming in, **an envelope has been started at the school for those who wish to contribute**; no amount is too small!!

We wish to thank you all in advance for your generosity, your kindness, and your support, which we know will mean the world to this family during this extremely difficult time.

Harkins Elementary Staff and Home & School