

Lynn Road is Raising Money for JDRF

Lynn Road is again raising money to support JDRF (Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation). Type 1, or juvenile, diabetes, is a devastating disease that affects millions of people - a large and growing percentage of them children. There is some good news, though. For the first time, scientists are predicting that we CAN expect to see a cure well within our lifetime!

Starting October 5 through November 6, Lynn Road will be selling paper sneakers for one dollar each. When you purchase a sneaker, your child's name and teacher's name will be written on it and it will be displayed in the hallway around the library. All money collected will be turned in at the JDRF Walk To Cure Diabetes on November 7, 2009.

This year, for any WCPSS school that raises over \$1000, JDRF will give 10% of the money raised by that school, back to the school. The K-1, 2-3, & 4-5 classroom that raises the most money will get a treat and any classroom that raises over \$100.00 will get an ice cream or popcorn party.

If you wish to purchase a sneaker, please send in your dollar or dollars; please feel free to purchase more than one, in an envelope with your child's name and teacher written on it. If you would like to send in a check please make it out to **JDRF**. You can also donate online at www.JDRF.org click on **Donate** under the green sneaker and type in the team name- WCPSS/Lynn Road Elementary. Click on Gina O'Gorman and make your donation. If you have any questions, please email me at gogorman@wcpss.net. If you would like to learn more about JDRF, please visit www.jdrf.org.

Please consider purchasing a sneaker, each dollar gets us closer to a cure.

Sincerely, Gina O'Gorman

