

Making a Difference In Today's World

The Power of One

Mrs. Ahlstrom's 6th Grade A.L.L. 2016 - 2017



**“I believe our children are the future.
Teach them well and let them lead the way.”**

My Quest: Invest in the Future

Each student was offered \$5.00 and a challenge to think of something they could do to make a difference in the lives of others:

Here is how they accepted that challenge:

Jack P.:



Jack used the \$5 to buy cookies and make get-well cards and a sign so that Annalynn would feel loved when she returned from spinal surgery.

Roman:

Volunteering at Thanksgiving Point



Roman volunteered at Thanksgiving Point working in a booth at the Superhero Saturday, as well as helping at the Lamb & Wool Festival and wrapping bouquets at the Tulip Festival.

Taylor:

Ride Your Bike to School Day



Taylor organized a “Ride Your Bike to School Day” on May 10. _____ more people rode their bike to school that day, which saved \$
The \$5 was spent on popsicles for the winning class, which was Mrs. Howard’s 1st grade class.

Gracie:

Collecting money for Primary Children's Hospital



The \$5 was spent on Fat Boy ice cream sandwiches. She posted on FaceBook what she was doing and sold them for \$1 each. She raised \$188. By going through Costco, who matched her money, she was able to donate \$376 to Primary Children's Hospital.

Emma:

Serving neighbors with weeding and planting



The \$5 was spent on candy bars to give to neighbors. Emma and her brothers then went to six different houses to weed, plant in the garden, and provide service with whatever they wanted.

Joshua:

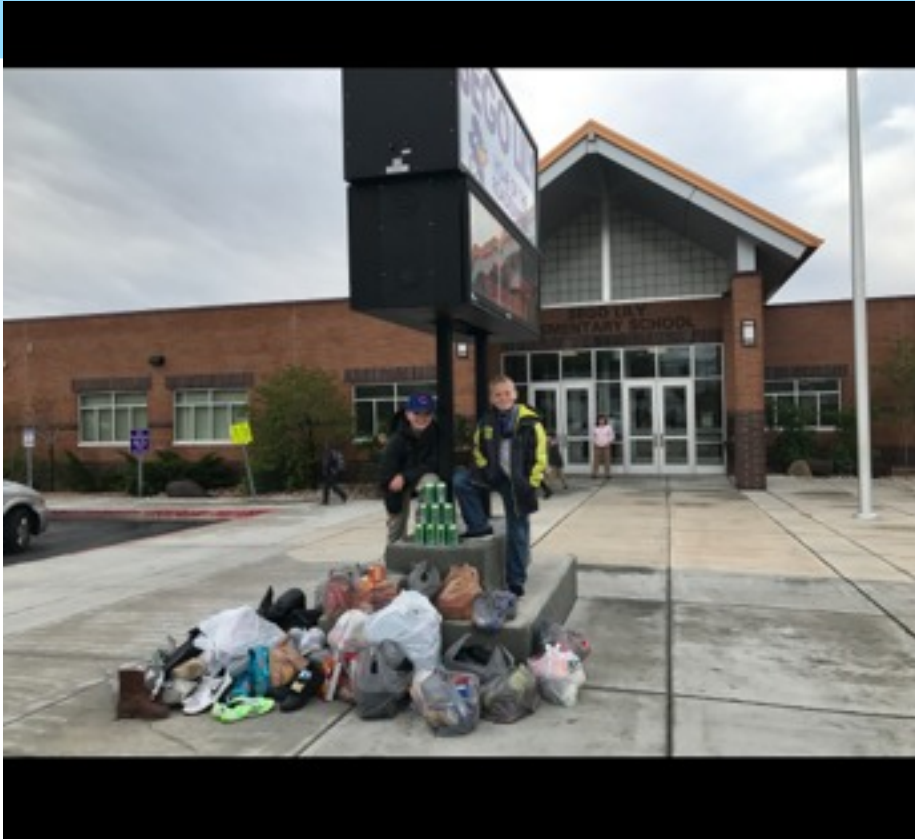
Collecting Books for Hospital patients



Joshua collected books for kids who are in the hospital, so they would have books to read. He collected 450+ books from his book drive for Utah Valley Hospital.

Haiden:

Collecting Food and Shoes for the Homeless



Haiden and his brother collected over 85 pounds of food and many pairs of shoes from his neighbors, which were donated to the Homeless Shelter in Provo.

Seth:

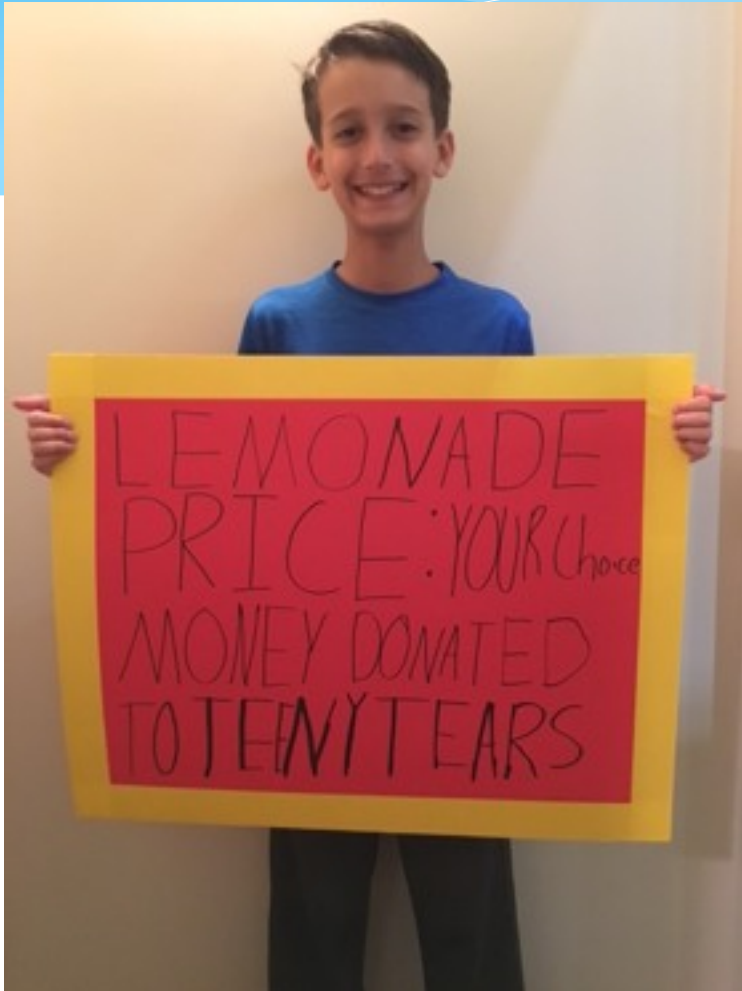
Collecting food and money for the Food Bank



Seth used the \$5 to donate to the Food Bank, but also chose to collect food to donate to the Food Bank so that others can have enough to eat.

Elijah:

“Collecting Money for Teeny Tears”



Elijah used the \$5 to get supplies to sell lemonade. The money earned will be donated to “Teeny Tears,” a foundation to support families who have lost a Preemie baby. He will be selling as soon as it is warm enough for Lemonade.

William:

Making Homeless Kits to give away



Will used the \$5 to make ten Homeless kits. He will keep these in the car to be used when he sees someone who is homeless and asking for donations.

Lydia:

A Gift Basket for a neighbor with Cancer



The \$5 was used to help purchase supplies for a neighbor who has Breast cancer. The cancer has spread so her neighbor is struggling with chemo. Lydia gave this as an anonymous gift on the porch.

Sydney:

Making bread for others



Collected

Parker:

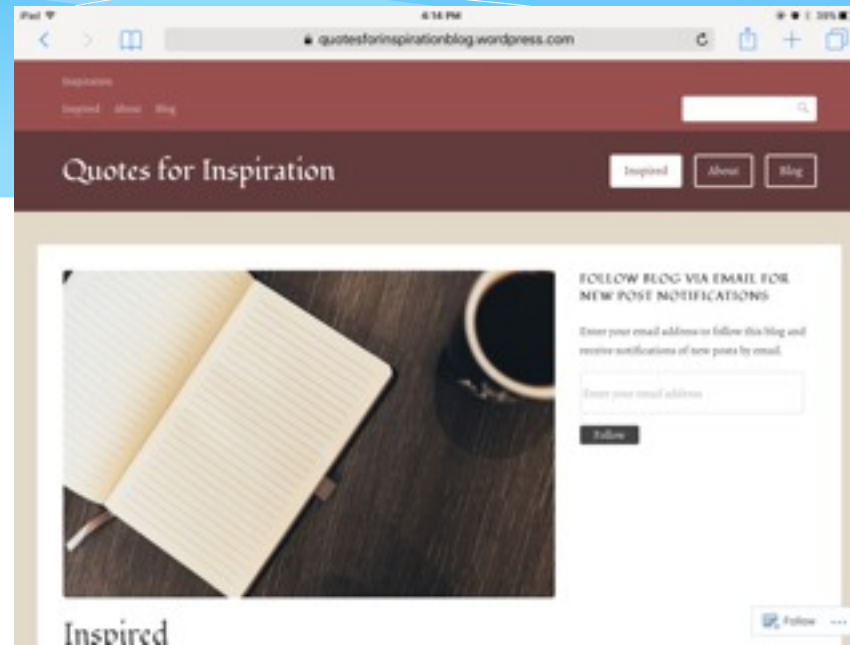
Making cookies for neighbors



Parker used the \$5 to buy Cinnamon chips, then made batches of Cinnamon Chip Snickerdoodles for neighbors who needed a lift.

Hyrum:

Spreading good thoughts to others



Hyrum used the \$5 to support Calvin's water donation. He then made fliers to advertise his website about inspirational quotes to help others. Several hundred fliers were delivered to Lehi Jr. High to be given out to students.

Hiro:

Selling Spinners for the Homeless



The \$5 was added to more money he earned, to buy spinners. He will then sell these for \$5 each, hoping to earn \$100 to donate to the Homeless Shelter in Provo.

Keahi

Collecting toothbrushes for Tots



The \$5 was spent buying toothbrushes and toothpaste to donate to kids. He is collecting many more that were promised by dentists, and will donate them to the Road Home, in Salt Lake City.

Jack N.:

Helping an orphanage in the Philippines



Jack raised money from family, neighbors, and friends for a fishing village in the Philippines. He also collected small stuffed animals. In total, He raised 561 dollars for school supplies, and 16 small stuffed animals.

Abigale: Making fleece blankets



Abi collected fabric and also used the \$5 to get supplies to make fleece blankets for .

Abe: Sold Hot Chocolate for Charity



Due to extremely cold weather, Abe chose to sell hot chocolate. The \$5 was spent on supplies, and he was able to collect \$53.52 for a humanitarian project.

Megan:

Writing thank you notes to teachers



Megan wanted to help teachers feel appreciated, so she spent the \$5 on note cards, then has been writing thank you cards to all the teachers at Segoe Lily.

Calvin:

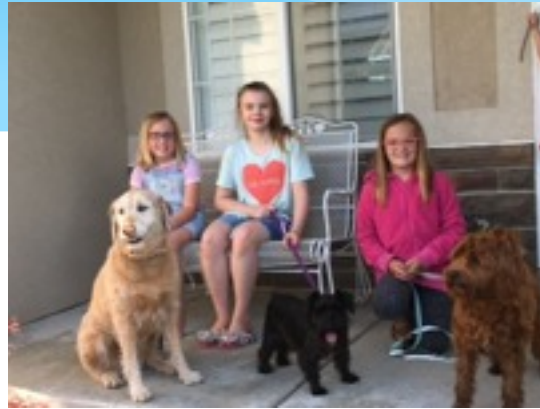
Donating so that people will have clean water



Clean water is something many of us take for granted. Calvin donated \$10 to the Water Project, who will use the money to dig wells in Africa.

Sydni:

Delightful Deeds



Sydni

Adam: Selling Lemonade for the United Way



The \$5 was used to buy supplies for a lemonade stand, as well as selling items from his house.

Adam was able to earn \$60 for the United Way.

Dalton: Painting Addresses for Safety



Dalton used the \$5 to buy supplies, then painted addresses in front of neighbor's homes. This is to both help people find addresses, and for police and fire to identify homes.

Elias: Baking Brownies for Neighbors



The \$5 was spent on supplies to make brownies. Elias then took brownies to 3 neighbors who would most appreciate the service.

Kenzie

Feeding Fifty with Fives



Kenzie decided to collect \$5 contributions from others to be able to make 50 sack lunches for the homeless. She ended up collecting \$400 and was able to make 250 sack lunches to hand out to the homeless in SLC.

Tyler J.: Helping a friend



Tyler helped a friend who had sprained his ankle. He played games with his friend, then made brownies for him.

J. T.:

Welcome to the Neighborhood



J. T. donated his \$5 to support Jack's collection for the Philippines. He has many neighbors moving in, so he made a card and cookies to welcome new neighbors. He will continue to do this.

Ashlyn: Bracelets for Africa



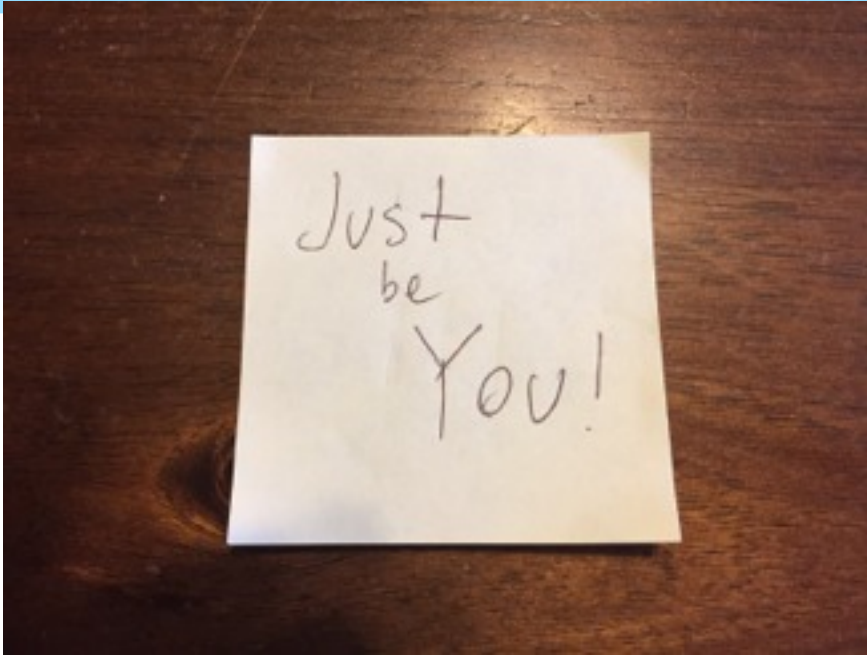
Ashlyn has been working to make bracelets to give away. She used the \$5 to buy thread for the bracelets and has made about 20 and plans to make more.

Tyler B.: Book Drive for a Free Library



Tyler collected 145 books to donate to the Little Free Library, so that people will always have access to a good book.

Nate: Spreading a little cheer



Nate spent the \$5 buying sticky notes, then wrote 225 uplifting messages on them. He has been putting these on desks throughout the school to help kids feel appreciated.

Matt: Collecting Shoes for "Soles"

Matt is collecting shoes from his neighborhood and will donate those shoes to the "Soles" Foundation, who will send them to those in need.