

HOOPS FOR HEART
FEBRUARY 7TH 3:00 - 4:00
PERMISSION SLIP

Dear Parents,

On Thursday, February 7th we will be hosting our 2019 Hoops for Heart event. It is open to all 5th grade students and will be held from 3:00 pm until 4:00 pm.

Participants must be picked up promptly at 4:00 pm at the front entrance.

Hoops For Heart is a national program co-sponsored by the American Heart Association and the American Association of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance. It is endorsed by the Governor's Council on Health and Fitness. Contributions raised through the event will help fund research, education and community programs of your local Heart Association. Heart disease and stroke kill more people each year than all other causes of death combined.

During HOOPS FOR HEART, students will play basketball for a team total of 60 minutes. Participants may collect pledges for each minute their team plays or a set donation. **A pledge envelope for collecting contributions will be given to all participants who sign up to play for pledges.** Information will also be given for online pledging.

A list of the "thank you gifts" for this year's HFH can be found on the pledge envelopes. These gifts are given to the students who collect money as a "thank you" for their community service. If your child is going to participate please fill out the permission slip below and return it by **Friday, February 1st.**

PLEASE SIGN, DETACH AND RETURN TO SCHOOL
BY FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1st

CHILD'S NAME _____ **TEACHER** _____

"I give permission for my child to participate in Hoops for Heart. I know of no medical reason which would prevent my child from participating safely. I assume the risk of injury to my child in this event and give up any and all claims for damages I may have against the American Heart Association or others associated with this event."

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

_____ My child will be playing for pledges.

_____ My child will be playing for fun and fitness only.