



Students make special donation

Jason's Friends Foundation was high in the minds of fifth and sixth graders at Park Elementary School.

Not only does the school have a memorial in remembrance of former student Jason Eades who died of cancer, but students at the school also write monthly letters to children with childhood cancers, or

brain and spinal cord tumors, who are being helped by the Foundation.

Students in Jeanne Hopkins' and Randy McIntyre's fifth and sixth grade classes took the money they earned at a fundraiser at Smith's Grocery Store, which was originally planned for use toward a field trip,

and voted to donate it to Jason's Friends. The nonprofit group helps families with children suffering from various kinds of cancer.

Selling hot dogs, chips and Pepsi, the kids ended up raising over \$300.

Smith's donated hot dogs and buns; beverages were from Pepsi and chips from Frito Lay.