

American Heart Association 
Learn and Live



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Mrs. Sperry
Willo-Hill Christian School
4200 State Route 306
Willoughby, OH 44094-9204

Dear Mrs. Sperry:

On behalf of the American Heart Association and the millions of Americans we serve, thank you very much for your school's participation in the 2009-2010 Jump Rope For Heart and/or Hoops For Heart Programs and your donation of \$ 1194! Families and schools are the two most critical links in providing the foundation for physical activity and nutrition. By holding this event(s) at your school, you reinforce the important lifelong habits of eating right, exercise, and staying tobacco free. *Thank you.*

Almost every family in America is touched by heart disease or stroke, more than the next three leading causes of death combined. Willo-Hill Christian School's contribution of \$1,194.00 will significantly impact this fight against our nation's #1 and #3 killers, heart disease and stroke.

In addition to funding research, the donations raised through *Jump Rope for Heart and/or Hoops for Heart* are used to create outstanding educational and advocacy programs! The American Heart Association has embarked on a campaign to raise awareness among state decision makers about the epidemic of childhood obesity and the need for increased physical education in schools.

I hope that you, your faculty and your students found this life-saving program rewarding and enjoyable. Your help and support are greatly appreciated, and we look forward to Willo-Hill Christian School's participation next year!

Warm regards,

Deborah Witt
President
Affiliate Board of Directors

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