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28 Bikes Donated to Bike Works *by Macie Foisset and Sofia Soderberg*

On Saturday, June 2 from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM, 19 students and several parent volunteers helped out in the bike drive to benefit Bike Works. The bike drive was a Teaching for Transformation Flex experience tied to our reading of *The Giver* by Lois Lowry.

On their day off, families brought in bikes they don't use anymore. The event was intended to help out an organization called Bike Works. Bike Works' mission is to promote the bicycle as a vehicle for change to empower youth and build resilient communities in Seattle and across the globe.

Overall, the 7th graders collected 28 bikes. With contributions from volunteers, this bike drive was a success.

Other students formed committees during Thursday office hours to contact local schools. They informed them about the event and asked them to communicate about it to their communities. The committees contacted Sacred Heart School, Chinook Middle School, Clyde Hill Elementary, Medina Elementary, Three Points Elementary and Mack Elementary.

The BCS transportation department delivered the bikes on the morning of Thursday, June 7.

The entire event made a large contribution to help our greater Seattle community become a more connected home.



Quinn Myhre, Ella Hay, Mrs. Graves, Toni Denholm, and Colby Kuhia



Josiah Clark, Macie Foisset, and Sofia Soderberg with the bikes donated

