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**MEDIA ALERT** – Friday, May 24, 2024  
**Fargo Public School District #1**

## **ELEMENTARY STUDENTS TO PRESENT DONATION TO YWCA IN HONOR OF RED NOSE DAY**

Eagles Elementary School is giving back to help local families this year on Red Nose Day.

**WHAT:** Eagles YWCA Donation  
**WHEN:** **Wednesday, May 29** at 8:15 a.m.  
**WHERE:** Eagles Elementary School, 3502 University Drive South, Fargo  
**CONTACT:** **Cassie Larson**, Eagles Counselor, [larsonc3@fargo.k12.nd.us](mailto:larsonc3@fargo.k12.nd.us) or 701.446.3966 for more information.

The students of Ms. McNutt's second-grade class will present a donation of more than \$800 to YWCA Cass Clay on Wednesday in honor of Red Nose Day. A representative from YWCA will be in attendance to receive the donation at 8:15 a.m.

The students and staff at Eagles raised the money for the donation with a penny war during the week of May 20-24. Each class competed to see which class could raise the most money in their jars, with the winning class earning the right to choose what organization would receive the donation. Ms. McNutt's class won the penny war by raising \$211 and will present the award to YWCA and have an ice cream party. In previous years, Eagles has donated money to the Great Plains Food Bank and Down Home.

Red Nose Day is an annual fundraising campaign to end the cycle of child poverty and ensure a healthy future for all children. It aims to raise money and awareness to ensure all children are safe, healthy, educated, and empowered in the U.S. and abroad. Since its debut in 2015, it has raised more than \$370 million and have positively impacted over 35 million children in America, and around the world.

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