

Go4theGoal: Support MS 7th grader Jason Garstkiewicz and pediatric cancer research!

As many of you may know, Jason was recently diagnosed with bone cancer and has started treatments. To raise awareness of pediatric cancer and to support Jason and his family, we are hooking up with the "Go4theGoal Lace Up for Pediatric Cancer" charity.

With the Go4theGoal program, students and teams purchase and wear neon yellow shoelaces (\$3 per pair) to support pediatric cancer patients and research. Sales at the three elementary schools and the Middle School will take place **after school on Wednesday, Feb. 8. The laces will also be sold at the Middle School during lunch that day.** We may hold follow up sales at the MS Rec Hall (Feb. 10) and possibly the EH and JFT Spaghetti Bingo nights (Feb. 10), and other events.

So many kids have asked how they could show their support and we feel this is a great program because:

- * the sea of yellow shoelaces will provide comfort and support to Jason and his family at school, at events and around town;
- * it's an easy way for kids of all ages to raise awareness of pediatric cancer and to support Jason.

The Garstkiewicz family likes the idea and supports it. Please see <http://www.go4thegoal.org> to learn more about the charity.

Thank you for your support. Please contact Jean-Anne McMahon at mcmahon3@comcast.net or 856-261-8341 if you have any questions. Inform your children and friends and encourage them to spread the word and lace up!