

# Please join us for H-kids!

**What are H-kids?** H-kids stands for Huckleberry kids. All students in 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade are welcome!

**What will H-kids do?** Working together, kids learn to solve problems and make decisions in order to successfully contribute to their community. They connect local concerns with global issues and gain an awareness of others. These experiences will serve them now and years later as they transition out of school and into the world!

**What projects will H-kids work on?** Projects will include Relay for Life, food drives, nursing home visits, helping at the food pantry, and assisting with the Kids' Vote just to name a few.

**Where do these projects take place?** Some projects will be completed at HHES during before or after school meetings. Others take place afterschool or on weekends at locations throughout the community. Parents/guardians will transport their own children to and from events at community locations.

**When do H-kids meet?** Meetings will take place approximately once every other month before school. Our first meeting of the year will be on Tuesday October 8<sup>th</sup> at 8:10am in the Upper Gym.

**Will you need volunteers?** Yes, we welcome parent/guardian volunteers to stay with their kids during the 8:10-8:40am time frame, however, it is not necessary. There will be volunteers present at all meetings.

**When can I sign up my child?** Just come to the first meeting with your child and you can sign up then. If you are unable to make it to the meeting, send an email [cmh314@hotmail.com](mailto:cmh314@hotmail.com) and we will include you on our contact list for upcoming projects.

**What if I have questions?** Please contact Christine Hand at [cmh314@hotmail.com](mailto:cmh314@hotmail.com).

*It's not always easy to find philanthropic activities for kids that are truly hands-on, allowing them to donate their own time and effort rather than simply tapping into the resources of the adults around them. H-kids is a great opportunity to teach young children that they have useful skills and can make a real contribution to their community.*