

# 6<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL HALLOWEEN CANDY CHALLENGE AT LAWTON



Once again the students at Lawton are being challenged to donate some of their Halloween candy this year. This is not mandatory and only students who really want to participate should do this. For the last 5 years many of Lawton's staff members and parents have participated in the challenge and have donated money to UNICEF or Northwest Harvest for every pound of candy brought in by students.

- 2004 - Students brought in 316 pounds and helped raise \$275 for UNICEF.
- 2005 - Students brought in 377 pounds and helped raise a total of \$539 for UNICEF.
- 2006 - Students brought in a whopping 562.5 pounds and raised \$896 for UNICEF.
- 2007 - Students brought in 566.2 pounds and raised \$466 for UNICEF.
- 2008 - Students brought in 566.2 pounds and raised more than \$300 for Northwest Harvest.

All candy must be brought in by Friday, November 6th to be eligible for the official count. In addition, *all candy that is turned in MUST be from this year's trick-or-treating night and not from other holidays. All candy that is not Halloween related (i.e. Valentine's candy, Christmas) will not be weighed in with the rest of the candy. Brand new bags of candy will not be counted towards student's total.*

## SPECIAL PRIZES

1. The two classes (primary and intermediate) that bring in the most candy will receive the privilege of getting to go out to Field Day an hour before all other classes.
2. All students who bring in 5 pounds or more will have their name entered into a drawing for sports or PE equipment.
3. Toothbrushes donated by the University of Washington will be given to every student in the school.
4. Last but not least, the money raised will stay close to home by being donated to either Northwest Harvest or Ballard Food Bank.

The following staff members have already indicated they will participate in this year's challenge. We are hoping to get more people involved like parents and community members. If you are interested in donating, please contact Cheryl Parks at [cliparks@seattleschools.org](mailto:cliparks@seattleschools.org) with the amount you would like to donate or send in a note.

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| Ms. Parks - \$0.15 per pound            | Mrs. Solnit - \$0.05 per pound                |
| Mr. Terry & Family - \$0.05 per pound   | Mrs. Minto - \$0.05 per pound                 |
| Mrs. Misner & Family - \$0.05 per pound | Mrs. Wong - \$20.00 Flat donation             |
| Mrs. Cooper - \$0.05 per pound          | Mrs. Rybock - \$20.00 Flat donation           |
| Mrs. Ulmer - \$0.05 per pound           | Ms. Raymond - \$20.00 Flat donation           |
|   | Mrs. Schumer & Family - \$20.00 Flat donation |



*We will have a maximum amount for per pound donations if it exceeds 600 pounds.*

### Lawton Students...are you up for this challenge?

Remember, you are doing several great things by only giving up some of your candy.

1. Cutting back on the amount of candy and sugar you would be eating.
2. You are helping out in your own community because the money raised will be donated to the local food bank and the candy will be donated to food banks, shelters, and some will be sent to soldiers overseas.
3. And finally, you are working together as a school community for a great purpose - cutting back on junk food, working hard to stay healthy and helping others who may not be as fortunate as we are.