

# It's All About the Kids!

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*invites*

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- The Lincoln County Board of Education
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cash bar and lots of  
catching up!



# Foundation News



Staff from the St. Catharines unit of the Ministry of Children and Youth Services donate \$700 to EFN Poverty and Emergency Relief Fund proceeds from a BBQ hosted by Licks! Pictured here is Don Larman and his crew presenting the donation to Dara Goulet, Make Change for Children Coordinator.

## Your donation supports students now and for the future.

The Foundation accepts donations in a variety of methods, depending on the wishes of the donor:

- General monetary donation
- Gifts in honour or memoriam
  - Planned giving
  - Gifts of securities
  - Memberships
  - Student Awards
- Endowment building

## School Spotlight

### South Lincoln High School focus on community!

According to principal Johanna Provost, students spent the better part of Earth Day morning cleaning up the school campus as well as a number of areas throughout the community. At the end of cleanup students managed to fill three pickup trucks full of garbage collected in Smithville surrounding area.



Students from SLHS participated in one of the first school approved Peach Bud Races in the west end of Niagara. Proceeds were donated to support the West Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

## How can YOU help? Become a MEMBER!

Becoming a member of the Education Foundation of Niagara is an easy and economical way of supporting education in Niagara and includes a tax receipt, communications pieces, event invitations, updates on activities and the great feeling you get when you help a child. Every dollar generated from membership goes directly towards student support!  
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# PROM PROJECT NIAGARA



The Education Foundation of Niagara held the first annual Prom Project Niagara event at Quality Hotel Parkway Convention Centre in St. Catharines.

This program offered new or gently used formal wear to referred students from Grade 8 – Grade 12 by reaching out to Niagara businesses and communities to receive new and gently used formal wear for both girls and boys.

“Since this was our first year, we were uncertain of how the event would be received,” says Julie Densham, Executive Director. “But I am very happy to say we were absolutely overjoyed with the response from the Niagara community.”

On Saturday, May 2, 2009, the EFN was able to outfit almost 40 students with over 400 dresses, suits, ties, shoes and accessories.

“We hope that the formal wear donations continue to grow in size, with the aim at getting more outfits from business,” says Dara Goulet, Event Coordinator. “Ultimately, we want to help as many students as possible. We want to supply the perfect outfit that will lay the foundation for a magical night that celebrates the graduate’s hard work.”



## *Thank You to our Supporters Who Helped Make this Day Possible*

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# Make Change for Children 2009 Campaign

## \$24,000 Pledged!

The EFN would like to thank all of the 2009 Make Change for Children donors that helped make this campaign possible. The Week of Change ran from April 20 - 24, 2009.

The Poverty and Emergency Relief Fund was set up by the Education Foundation of Niagara in 2008 to support extraordinary, emergency, personal or school-related needs of individual students brought about by financial hardship. Basic needs are met, including winter clothing and footwear, eyeglasses, medication, field trip subsidy, or school participation fees. In 2008, \$25,000 was granted to 948 students.

With your support as well as the continued generosity of donors in our community, we can continue tackle the barriers that may restrict learning for our students in need.



Students from Bertie Public School show off the incredible \$412 they raised during the Week of Change.

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# 2009 DSBN Road Race

This year's DSBN Road Race saw its largest turn out to date as the day had ideal running conditions for the participants.

Thanks to the donations of sponsors and registered runners, the DSBN Road Race was able to make a donation of \$5000 each to the Education Foundation of Niagara and \$5,000 to the Niagara Nutrition Partners.

Thanks to Scott Enns, Principal at F. J. Rutland, and the rest of the DSBN Road Race committee for making the day so successful!

Special thanks to PenFinancial Credit Union for their support as the official event sponsor!



## We want your school story!

EFN publishes newsletters three times a year. We are always looking for photos of kids and stories of what you do in your school to make education fun and exciting.

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# 2009 EFN Golf Classic

Legends on the Niagara  
Friday, May 29, 2009

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The EFN would like to thank everyone who attended the 2009 Golf Classic at Legends on the Niagara. Attendee's played the Ussher's course, and enjoyed a day full of excitement, fun, and beautiful weather that all went to a great cause - helping our DSBN kids!

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