

ELWOOD BOOSTER CLUB

academics, art, athletics

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WHAT WE DO....

Since our inception, we have

DONATED \$278,000

to Elwood Public Schools

(With your support, \$68,000 was donated during the 2015-2016 school year alone)

Our mission is to support academics, the arts and athletics in the Elwood schools and community. Some of our donations have helped provide and/or support:

BASEBALL FIELD RENOVATION & MAINTENANCE * \$43,600

With the support of Elwood baseball families, we funded the renovation of the JGHS Varsity Baseball Field.

ELWOOD TRACK RENOVATION \$20,000

In October 2011, we donated \$20,000 toward the repair of the Elwood JGHS Track. This project was also funded by the district capital projects fund. The track renovation was completed in the summer 2012!

HOMEWORK CLUBS & STUDENT ACTIVITIES \$61,400

In Fall 2013, EBC donated \$15,000 to establish the Homework Clubs at Boyd & EMS as well as the EMS Media & International, JGHS Environmental Student Clubs.

PLAYGROUND RENOVATIONS \$20,200

Over the past several years we have helped fund the installation of playground equipment at Harley & Boyd.

EMS MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS \$11,000

Through our Night at the Theater events, After School Theater Club and private targeted donations, we donated \$11,000 to purchase new instruments that are needed for the music program.

AFTER SCHOOL ENRICHMENT & OTHER PROGRAMS

Since 2008, EBC has funded JGHS & EMS student clubs and sponsored after school enrichment programs at Harley & Boyd. Our current enrichment offerings include: Cooking, Art, Lego, Theater, Dance and Summer Programs. Net proceeds from these activities help fund our donations to Elwood Schools to support the following:

Boyd Book Club & Document Projectors	Video and Digital Cameras at all four schools
Projector for Harley Cafetorium, Boyd Auditorium & EMS	Sound systems for JGHS Football Field,
Renovation of the Harley & JGHS Courtyards	Kindles for Kindergarten Reading Program
Materials for Campus Sign Renovations	EMS Clubs 2011-2016
JGHS Golf & Tennis Teams	Robotics Team Competition Trip
Operation RESPECT, Y.E.S. and Project Wisdom	EMS Art Room Pottery Kiln, Science Materials & Software
Reference/Resource Materials for JGHS & Boyd	Curtains for JGHS Stage
Restored Morning Homework Club, International Club, Robotics Club and TV/Media Club at EMS	Donation to Offset the Expenses for the Italian Food Tour of New York for EMS Italian Students
Harley Document Cameras	Flagpole for the JGHS Baseball Field
JGHS Knights Athletic Chairs	Leveled Libraries for Harley and Boyd
Zero Gravity Swing for Harley Playground	Boyd Chromebooks
Handicap Accessible Playgrounds Harley & Boyd	Cultural Arts Programs District Wide
Boyd Math Manipulatives	Restored Music Programs at JGHS and EMS
Baseball Field Renovation	Music Trip to Italy
Athletic Chairs	Boyd Math Manipulatives
JGHS Track Renovation	Harley Sensory Room
JGHS Electronic Sign	JGHS Calculators
EMS Music Instruments	Harley Playground Equipment
Boyd Homework Club	Contribution to Maker Faire

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Throughout the year, we sponsor various family-centered activities, including: Cultural Arts Presentations, Final Four Event and Night at the Theater. Please check our website for upcoming events & programs. We welcome requests for donations to support projects and activities in the Elwood Schools & community!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

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