

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 46th Legislature (1998)

HOUSE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION NO. 1093

By: Vaughn of the House

and

Snyder of the Senate

AS INTRODUCED

A Concurrent Resolution recognizing Edmond North High School for its fund-raising event entitled "Bring A Light To Others (BALTO) Week"; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, too often high school students are portrayed as being compassionless, uncaring individuals with only self-serving interests and concerns; and

WHEREAS, this view of high school students has been proven not only to be false, but also totally misrepresentative of the vast majority of young adults of high school age; and

WHEREAS, Edmond North High School has shown itself to be a great example of what a school with a compassionate and caring student body can do when inspired by the strength and courage of those less fortunate; and

WHEREAS, according to the Edmond North Student Council Adviser Jacki Richards, last year the students raised more than \$20,000.00 to aid a four-year-old girl, Stephanie Mundell, who was left a quadriplegic after being hit by a car in front of her home; and

WHEREAS, this year the student body raised the sum of over \$42,700.00, through its BALTO (Bring A Light To Others) campaign in order to help with the Mundells' expenses; and

WHEREAS, this year, the chairpersons of BALTO, Marilyn Klopp and Kelli Herlihy, did an extraordinary job of leading the student body in this fund-raiser to benefit Stephanie; and

WHEREAS, the student body participated in many successful fund-raising events with the main goal of making a little four-year-old girl's life, and the lives of her parents and brother, happier and more optimistic for the future.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 46TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Oklahoma Legislature recognizes Edmond North High School for its fund-raising event entitled "Bring A Light To Others (BALTO) Week".

THAT copies of this resolution be distributed to the Chairpersons of BALTO, Marilyn Klopp and Kelli Herlihy, to the Principal of Edmond North High School, Dr. Ed Story, and to the Superintendent of Edmond Public Schools, Dr. Rex A. Carr.

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