

Together we can make a difference. Community Health.

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Introduction

- Our 5th grade Exhibition project focuses on the theme, “Together We Can Make a Difference.”
- As community helpers we investigated ways to assist the following organizations: Susan G. Komen Research Center, Family Intercultural Resource Center, Lake Dillon Fire Authority, Dillon Police, Community Care Clinic, and the Breckenridge Outdoor Education Center.
- We want to help many people to make a difference in our community.
- We did one main event to raise funds for our community project.
- Our fundraiser was called Hat Day!

Our inquiry into:

- Finding out who needs help in our community and
- Determining how WE can help in the community!

Organizations we've helped

- **Romp to Stomp/Susan G. Komen**
- **Family Intercultural Resource Center**
- **Breckenridge Outdoor Education**
- **Fire Station - Carbon monoxide**
- **Community Care Clinic**

Community Care Clinic/ Soup for the Soul

- The Community Care Clinic helps save lives and they help make health care affordable.
- The Community Care Clinic serves under insured people that work in Summit County at a cost they can afford.
- They had a fundraiser called Soup for the Soul/Bread for the Clinic. This dinner/fundraiser helped raise money for the Clinic.

Community Care Clinic

Soup for the Soul/Bread for the Clinic

- **Doctors wanted to build a clinic to help people who didn't have enough money to pay their bills. Then, they built the Community Care Clinic and made the Community a better place.**
- **Each day, many people work making thank you letters, answering phones, checking teeth, checking women for breast cancer, providing counseling and many other services.**

Community Care Clinic

- Each year they treat thousands and thousands of people that need medical care because they are sick or need assistance to pay their bills.
- We helped the Community Care Clinic by hanging posters for Soup for the Soul to inform our community.

Resources

- Site visit
- Interview with Sarah Vaine
- Brochures
- Newspaper articles
- Soup for Soul posters

Susan G. Komen

- Susan G. Komen organization helps women with breast cancer
- Susan G. Komen died in 1980
- Her sister promised to find a way to speed up breast cancer research
- Since 1982, they raised 1 billion dollars

Why are we concerned?

- More than 500,000 people die from breast cancer every year
- Breast cancer is the leading cause of cancer deaths among women world wide

Susan G. Komen for the Cure

- 2007, the organization changed the name
- New mission statement: “to end breast cancer forever”.

Romp to Stomp

- **A private donor paid for us to register for the Romp to Stomp snowshoe**
- **Romp to Stomp is a run or snowshoe to raise money for breast cancer research**
- **Our DVE group also donated \$90.00**
- **Romp to Stomp events at Frisco raised a total of \$99,600**
- **Romp to Stomp events across the nation raised a total of \$184,552.00**

Resources

- Internet: www.active.com
- Brochures
- Newspaper articles
- Participation in the Romp to Stomp

BOEC

- **BOEC STANDS FOR BRECKENRIDGE OUTDOOR EDUCATION CENTER.**
- **BOEC HELPS PEOPLE WHO HAVE DISABILITIES DO A LOT OF ACTIVITIES, LIKE SKIING, BIKING, HIKING.**



Outdoor Education

- BOEC WAS ESTABLISHED IN BRECKENRIDGE , COLORADO IN 1976.
- PROGRAMS ARE OFFERED FOR PEOPLE OF ALL ABILITIES
- BOEC ALSO HELPS BLIND PEOPLE OR PEOPLE THAT CAN NOT TALK



Summer Activities

- Ropes course
- Rock Climbing
- White water rafting
- Back packing
- Camping
- Canoeing
- Sea Kayaking
- Hand Cycling
- Hiking and climbing

Winter Activities

- Down hill skiing
- Cross country skiing
- Snowboarding
- Snowshoeing

What we did:

- **WE DONATED \$100.00 TO THE BOEC . THE MONEY THAT WE DONATED CAN HELP PEOPLE PARTICIPATE IN OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES.**
- **We visited the BOEC to see the Griffith Lodge, the ropes course, the climbing wall and the lake.**

Resources

- Site visit
- Internet: www.boec.org
- Newspaper articles
- Brochures
- Interviews with BOEC staff

Family Intercultural Resource Center

- Food Bank
- Clothing
- Rental Assistance
- Utility Assistance
- Medical Assistance
- General Advocacy
- Medical Advocacy
- CHP+Application

FIRC

- BANCO DE COMIDA
- ROPA
- AYUDA CON LA RENTA
- AYUDA CON LA LUZ Y GAS
- AYUDA MEDICA
- RECURSOS Y REFERENCIAS
- ABOGACIA GENERAL
- ABOGACIA MEDICA
- ASISTENCIA PARA LA SOLICITUD DE CHP+
- EDUCACION DE PADRES



Resources

- Site visit to the office, Thrift Store, Food Bank
- Brochures
- Interview with Jamie Harmon
- Interview with Leticia Diaz
- Guest speaker, Dillon Police Chief, Joe Wray
- Site visit to Dillon Police and Town Hall food collection center
- Internet: www.summitfirc.org

Carbon monoxide

- The firemen told us about carbon monoxide and the detectors that keep you safe.
- You should them have in your home at all times.



Why we are concerned?

- Several recent incidents and fatalities have occurred in the High Country
- Lake Dillon Fire rescue is urging us to install CO detectors
- CO is the silent killer
- It can cause death within minutes

What you can do:

- Install CO detectors in your home
- Test your alarms once a month
- Open the flue of your fireplace
- Never use your oven to heat your home

What you can do?

- Make sure the exhaust pipe of your car is clear of snow
- Do not run a car or other motors indoors
- Use BBQ grills outside
- If your CO alarm sounds, immediately move to a fresh air location

Survey

- We sent a survey to the DVE families
- We asked them if they had CO detectors in their homes
- We asked if they wanted more information about CO detectors

Survey Results

- 91 people completed the survey
- 43 people have CO detectors
- 48 people do not have detectors
- 31 people would like more information!
- Our group will provide information before the end of the school year.

Your chance to win a CO detector!!!

- Answer the question , How often should you test your carbon monoxide detector?
- Put your name and phone number on the slip of paper provided
- Drawing will occur at 3:30 p.m. on Friday, May 15

Resources

- Site visit
- Interview with Brandon Williams
- Brochures related to Carbon Monoxide
- Email messages related to our survey from the Lake Dillon Fire District staff

THANK YOU

- TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A
DIFFERENCE IN OUR COMMUNITY