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Looking back at December...

We were thrilled to have lots of families participate in our fun 'Christmas Shop Family Night'. Students were able to "shop" and eat with their families and teachers!











~GOOD NEWS~

On December 13th, Lincoln County Schools launched the "Bring a Buck" campaign to help tornado victims in Kentucky. The district was able to raise \$4,631.23 that will be sent to Dawson Springs Independent Schools to help students and families recover from the devastating tornadoes.

Dawson Springs is a small community in Western Kentucky that was in the direct path of the tornadoes in mid-December. In an interview with CNN, Dawson Springs Mayor Chris Smiley said 75% of the town was wiped out by the tornado. The tornado also claimed the life of Jenny Bruce, who was a Dawson Springs Board of Education member and had worked for the school district for 40 years.

The "Bring a Buck" campaign was a one-week fundraising campaign that allowed students and staff members to donate \$1 to help students in school districts impacted by tornadoes.

"We wanted to choose a dollar amount that was inclusive to all students who wanted to participate. We also wanted to select a district that we knew needed the help," said Lincoln County Schools Communications Coordinator Brad Smith. "Dawson Springs is a rural community much like our small towns in Lincoln County. We are glad to be able to send the funds there to hopefully assist them with their recovery."







Have story ideas for our Newsletter...? $^\circ$



Is there something you would like to see featured in our newsletter?

Please send any ideas to:

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January At-Home Activity:

This is a fun optional activity you can do with your child at home. Have your child color the hot chocolate mug below. Name the color(s) they use. Then practice counting the marshmallows with them. Feel free to send us pictures of their finished creation, and we will share on social media!

