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Kids Walk to Cure Diabetes

Students and staff at Our Lady of Peace Catholic School have chosen to fundraise for a cause that is near and dear to the hearts of the students, staff and families of the school. They will be participating in a “Kids Walk to Cure Diabetes” in support of the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (“JDRF”). Students and staff have been collecting pledges and donations in May and June and the school hopes to raise $6,000 to find a cure for diabetes. Over 600 students and staff from junior kindergarten to grade 8 will be walking. The Kids Walk to Cure Diabetes encourages everyone to focus on health, safety, nutrition and general wellness issues.

Members of the media are invited to attend the walk and meet the students and staff of Our Lady of Peace.

Event: Kids Walk to Cure Diabetes

Date: Wednesday, June 25, 2003
9:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Location: Our Lady of Peace Catholic School
70 Mattice Avenue, Etobicoke (Kipling and Bloor)

JDRF, the world’s leading nonprofit, nongovernmental funder of diabetes research, was founded in 1974 by parents of children with juvenile diabetes. JDRF’s mission is to find a cure for diabetes and its complications through the support of research.

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