



**“Home of the  
JUNIOR AVIATORS!”**

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Dear 7th & 8th Grade Junior Aviator Parents,

On February 15th, your son or daughter will be participating in our *Hoops for Heart* event again in order to spread awareness for the American Heart Association in regards to the importance of heart health. Students will be assigned a team and participate in 4 on 4 basketball games for two periods of the day on February 15th. Other heart-healthy activities will also be integrated into our program. Students are encouraged to coordinate with their team to dress up or simply wear the same team color. Teams will be assigned to the students two weeks prior to the event.

In the middle school, in order to raise money for the American Heart Association, the campaign is done completely online. There will be NO MONEY collected in envelopes (as may have been done in the past). The PE staff will facilitate this process with the students in regards to registering and making their own personal website to raise funds for the American Heart Association. They will have their own personal username and password. Their personal website will give you the ability to send out emails asking friends and family to donate. A friend or family member will be able to click on the link and then use their credit card to donate directly online to your child's page. You may also post your child's page to a link on a Facebook page or other social media venue.

**The Link is:**  
**[Hoops for Heart](#)**

Log into Heartquarters with your child's username and password. All children were instructed to use their last name and first three letters of their first name as their username.

**Username Example: ferrantijac (no capital letters)**

All children were instructed to make their password their last name and the numbers 1234

**Password Example: Ferranti1234 (first letter is capitalized)**

\*\*\*\*Some students may already have a username and password from last year. If they weren't able to make a new one, their username and password were sent to their email. \*\*\*\*

Your child's personal site is now activated and you may start making donations starting today all the way up until Friday, March 15th. On March 15th, we will close the website to donations made.

Thank you,

**MS Physical Education Staff**

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