

January 21, 2014

Kathy,

This year went great. I had 46 leaders, in which I had 7 guys and 39 girls. This is the most I have ever had in all the years of Wellsville and Project Be Fit. We were able to reach all Harbor creek schools grades - kindergarten through 3<sup>rd</sup> grade reaching 632 students. We also reached North East grades kindergarten – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade reaching 400 students. We did both program 1 and program 2.

I feel that I had a great group of student leaders they interacted great with the students and peer in their group. They created great posters and their skits were wonderful. They really grew as leaders with many telling me they would like to be teachers. Some also realized all the hard work put into teaching and would not like to be a teacher. It is wonderful to go to a school and have the students so excited for the leaders to be there and get them moving. It is fun to hear the kids say that the little kiddo's recognized them in public.

This was the first year that the program came home. My son is a kindergarten student at North East. He loved the leaders and would recite many of things from Wellsville. He would say Wellsville kids keep their cool. He would also say a lot of the poems and raps. He had his coloring packet and was so into coloring it and asking questions about it. He really got into the slow whoa go foods. He would eat something and ask me where it fell. He also loved the folders and coloring book and hand out. He loved the slow whoa work sheet. It was great for me to see all the hard work that is put into it and for it to actually reach my house was exciting.

Sincerely,

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