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## Public School Fundraising Assists "Kids Help Phone"



Receiving the \$750.00 donation to "Kids Help Line" is (l to r) Shelly Levitz, Supervisor and Diane Kelk, Program Awareness Coordinator, "Kids Help Phone" from Grade 7 student Chris Rose and P.T.A. Fundraising Chairperson Barb Townsend.



On February 14, River Oaks P.T.A. organized a "Valentine Aerobathon" at River Oaks Public School to raise money for school activities and for the "Kids Help Phone". "Kids Help Phone" is a phone line that kids can anonymously call to ask questions or discuss a problem confidentially with a professional counselor.

Students from Kindergarten to Grade 8 collected pledges and each class had a 1/2 hour aerobic/dance workout. Mrs. Livingstone-Jeffries Grade 7 class raised the most money and they were treated to a pizza lunch by the P.T.A. Students raised a total of over \$3,000.00 during the "Valentine Aerobathon".

At an assembly held on April 3, officials from Kids Help Phone came to receive a \$750.00 cheque from P.T.A. Fundraising Chairperson Barb Townsend and Chris Rose from Mrs. Livingstone-Jeffries class. River Oaks Public School was presented with a poster from the new campaign of "Kids Help Phone", the first school in Canada to receive this poster.



### Kids Help Phone

1-800-668-6868

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