

Rockton Elementary School

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Re: Terry Fox Run 2025

Dear Families,

On Tuesday, September 23rd, Rockton Elementary students will take part in our annual Terry Fox Celebration Run. This event will be held during Block 1, from 9:30 to 10:55 a.m., on the walking path at the Beverly Community Centre. Students will walk, jog, or run as we mark the 44th anniversary of Terry Fox's inspiring Marathon of Hope.

With your permission, students are encouraged to collect pledges in support of the Terry Fox Foundation and its mission to fund innovative cancer research. Over the past six years, Rockton students have demonstrated tremendous perseverance and compassion—qualities that Terry himself embodied—by proudly raising funds for this important cause.

This year, our school fundraising goal is \$1,000. While participation in the run does not require fundraising, we welcome and appreciate any contributions students are able to collect. Donations can be submitted in two ways:

- In person: Bring cash or cheques (made payable to *The Terry Fox Foundation*) to your child's teacher by Tuesday, September 23rd.
- Online: Donate directly through our school's page on the Terry Fox Foundation website: https://schools.terryfox.ca/104450

Let's continue to honour Terry's legacy by coming together as a school community to support cancer research and celebrate hope.

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely, R. Nichols and D. Schulze

