

WOLFFVILLE IS A WE SCHOOL

In 2011, Wolfville School teamed up with Free The Children to become a **WE SCHOOL**. Signing up for this endeavour meant that we pledged to work on one local and one global issue. Students decided the 2 initiatives they wanted to support were the local food bank and the construction of a well for a country in Africa. The support for both of these causes has been tremendous. Since 2011, we have collected over 2100 lbs of food to line the shelves of our local food bank. In addition, every December Wolfville students collect cans or packages of turkey gravy for the food bank to put in the Christmas Hampers for local families who might otherwise not have a turkey dinner. Our October 2013 Drive Away Hunger Campaign was the most successful thus far. Our goal was to raise 1500 pounds of food and we "blew that goal out of the water" as we collected 2053 pounds. We have been told that is the most weight ever collected by a school in the province of Nova Scotia!



*Photos taken
October 2013*



Our second cause has been equally successful as we have raised \$3700 in 2 years for the well; \$1300 more and we will have raised enough money to build our first well! Most of the money collected has been the result of our annual water walk and the Vow of Silence Day.



Photo taken January 2013

In September 14, 2013 students travelled with staff and a parent for the launch of WE Day Atlantic. It was an inspiring event with Craig Kielburger himself speaking and a guest appearance by Canadian pop artist Tyler Shaw.



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