

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## LET'S SHOW NIAGARA THAT DSBN CARES!

Once again, staff and students from Westlane Secondary School are planning a 4km Walk to support the work of the Stephen Lewis Foundation.

As most of you know, at our PD Session last October, Stephen Lewis talked to a large number of staff and students about his work in Africa. During his talk, he stressed "*Education is the Key to the Future*". Education is the key to the future not only of children in Africa, but also children around the world, including Canada.

Our children are fortunate to have access to a school system that provides education services for all students. Children in Africa do not have the same opportunities to go to school or to envision a future like our children can.

This walk is a great opportunity for our students and staff to show they care for those less fortunate by participating in this walk. It also provides an excellent opportunity to promote healthier living and daily physical activity.

Who: Organized by students and staff from Westlane Secondary

School and open to all DSBN students and staff.

What: 4 km Walk

Where: From Niagara Falls City Hall to Table Rock

When: Friday, May 18, 2007 – beginning at 9:30 a.m.

Why: To Support the work of the Stephen Lewis Foundation

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