***2012 Peninsula Heritage Walking For Water Club (November-December)***

Peninsula Heritage School has teamed up with “Team Blue”

Our walking club will provide students the opportunity to be an important change in the world. We will allow each child to discover the action, no matter how small that they can make a difference. The theme of our walking club is ***“Water Is Life..Pass It On!”***

1. **Each child will receive a walking club card**
2. **Walking club is open before school/recess/after school**
3. **Every lap completed, a punch will be given on their card (1 lap per punch)**
4. **After 12 punches (equals 1 mile) children will turn in their card for another card**
5. **Talk with your child on how many miles they would like to complete until December 14th**
6. **Pledge an amount per lap or flat donation (this will bring enthusiasm to your child)**

**$30-provides 1 person with lifetime access to safe water**

**$60-can buy a well cover to keep water clean**

**$100-provides 2 kilometers of water pipe for a village**

**$250 buys a latrine for 1 family**

**$400 creates a shallow hand dug well to serve 20 families**

1. **Mrs. Nygaard & Mrs. Cailler will pledge 10 cents per mile per child at Peninsula Heritage School**
2. **Come before or after school and walk with your child. You can even have your own card.**
3. **Join the faculty on the track and cheer them on. Program Starts Nov. 1st ends on Dec. 7th**

Meet the Blue Planet Network. They are a San Francisco based non-profit funding safe drinking water projects and making a genuine difference to some of the poorest communities around the world.

Unsafe drinking water is the world’s leading cause of sickness and disease, but this crisis is solvable. For only $30, you can give someone a lifetime of safe drinking water.

Working with its 82 expert water group partners around the world in its unique online network, Blue Planet Network is able to deliver sustainable safe drinking water projects for less than traditionally possible. Since 2002, Blue Planet Network has enabled 214 projects in 18 countries, bringing safe drinking water to well over 200,000 people. To learn more about their work, please visit [www.blueplanetnetwork.org](http://www.blueplanetrun.org/) today.

Walking for Water Kick-Off will be: **Thursday November 1, 2012 at Lunch Recess**

**More info to come..Introduction at the Halloween Assembly!**

Please check out the above link and help “PHS Team Blue” raise fitness awareness along with raising money for other parts of our world*. Water Is Life..Let’s Pass It On!*

***Kim Nygaard…***

***This is OPTIONAL!! All children are encouraged to walk (with or without pledges)***