

# Governor Mifflin School District

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## **GOVERNOR MIFFLIN LIFE SKILLS CLASS COMBINES EDUCATION WITH CHARITY FOR AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY**

SHILLINGTON, PA, DECEMBER 2010 - The Governor Mifflin High School Life Skills class is teaming up with the Mustang boys basketball team to help support the fight against cancer. Tracey Miller's Life Skills students will sell t-shirts featuring the slogan "Mifflin Hoops - Tough Enough to Wear Pink," to faculty, staff and students. All proceeds will benefit the local Berks chapter of the American Cancer Society. Students will sell shirts during lunch periods on Monday, December 13 through Thursday, December 16 as well as every Tuesday and Thursday throughout the remainder of the basketball season.

Head boys basketball coach Tim Yanuskiewicz approached Miller about getting her class involved in the sale. Miller said that, not only is this project a great community outreach effort, but it will also teach her students vocational skills. "Participating in these t-shirt sales allows my students an opportunity to practice social skills as they interact with other students and staff, develop vocational skills and improve money skills while selling these shirts throughout the basketball season," she said.

The media is welcome to report on the American Cancer Society fundraiser happening at Governor Mifflin this season. For questions, please contact Keri Morton at 610-775-1312 or [kmorton@gmsd.k12.pa.us](mailto:kmorton@gmsd.k12.pa.us).

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