

## Collecting Frames

Weekly Report 3/18/19 to 3/24/19

Coming into the week, the goal was to check up on all the elementary schools and make sure that everything is running smoothly. Knowing that the drive is two weeks in, with only one week left, it is essential to make sure that all aspects of the eyeglasses drive are going well. Additionally this week, it was necessary to attempt to schedule a Mentor Visit and gain more details regarding the visit to Watauga with the McKinney Noon Lions Club.

When checking up on the elementary schools, some schools informed me that the students have been bringing tons of glasses and even parents are coming in with donations. On the other hand, a few schools noted that not many frames have been collected, but they will continue to advertise and advocate for the drive. Also this week, I emailed Nurse Olson to give her a short summary about who I am and what my project is, for the Boals Elementary weekly newsletters.

In addition to getting feedback from the schools participating in the drive, I also received additional information regarding the visit to Watauga. This includes meeting up with the group, carpooling, and potentially eating out with the people I volunteer with. This event will be exciting because my mentor and I will be able to screen and package the glasses that were donated from the drive. It will be nice to see how everything is put together and how the glasses are prepared for shipping to people in need around the world.

In regards to my mentor, this week I scheduled a Mentor Visit for next week. This visit would include updating her on my Final Product, the visit to Watauga, and details about going to each of the schools that are participating in the drive. Also, this visit would include Dr. Brooks giving me a tour of all the equipment and teaching me how everything works and functions when working with patients.

Lastly, as part of my Final Product, I contacted Kelly Walker to help with the article portion of my project. Kelly Walker is an author at Lifestyle Frisco and also Blakley Pate's mentor. Ms. Walker is helping me with getting approval on writing an editorial piece in Lifestyle Frisco, regarding how the drive went, what schools participated, how many glasses were collected, and how various elementary school students across FISD came together to make a change outside of the Frisco community.

Going into next week I will need to send out emails to all the schools participating, to schedule donation box pickup times and dates. This week a Mentor Visit will also need to be accomplished, along with any additional planning for next week. Next week there is districts

for tennis, so I will be missing a lot of school and will need to adjust accordingly. This obstacle will be tough throughout the week because I am also missing next Friday, due to an out of town wedding.