



Dear Wilkinson Families,

On behalf of the entire school, I want to thank the parent community for providing the students with the Junglesport experience. It was a truly exceptional two weeks. The Junglesport staff (Zach and Marvin) made it fun, safe, challenging and inclusive for all students.

The benefits of the program from a physical standpoint are obvious, targeting strength, balance, coordination, and agility. Participants need to be focused and learn to problem solve on the fly. Additionally, I would suggest that students benefit greatly from a social/emotional point of view. We saw so many kids (from Kindergarten all the way up to grade six) overcome psychological hurdles - fear of failing, fear of embarrassment, of getting hurt - and develop their confidence and self-esteem. Many did fall, and then they got back up and tried it again. It was amazing.

Some students have tried these activities in the past (e.g. rock climbing, zip lining, etc) but many have not. Junglesport gave us an opportunity to include every student and to help them grow physically, socially and emotionally. You can't put a price on that.

However, we do understand and appreciate the financial commitment you made. If we are fortunate enough to invite Junglesport back to Wilkinson PS in the future, know it will be money well spent.

Thank you,

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