

# Coventry Board of Education

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Over a two-week period in March 2011, members of the Coventry High School Contemporary Issues class initiated a school fundraiser to help the victims of the earthquake in Japan. Over this period, students were able to raise \$1,008, which was sent to the American Red Cross Headquarters in Farmington.

Special recognition and thanks should go out to the following senior students pictured here who stood outside in the cold in front of local stores or took time out of their lunch or study halls to collect funds: Ian Tyska, Hunter McCormick, Joshua Sparveri, Steven Blanchard, Tyler Welskopp, Nicholas Merisotis, Amy Dziewaltowski, and Ashli Levesque. Also pictured with the students is their Contemporary Issues teacher, Gabriel Kendall.



For further information, or if you have any questions, please call Gabe Kendall at Coventry High School at 860-742-7346, Ext. 576.