



January 14, 2019

Gateway Middle School  
Ms. Kathy Johnston  
4450 Old William Penn Highway  
Monroeville, PA 15146

Dear Kathy:

Thank you for your recent donation in the amount of \$156.00 in support of the 2018-2019 Caring Team Campaign. This brings your school's total to \$156.00 for the 2018-2019 Competition. Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield has matched your gift dollar for dollar, giving us the opportunity to help even more children.

We appreciate your support of the Caring Team and how much you value the needs of children. One out of twenty children will lose a parent before they graduate from high school. This figure does not include the loss of a brother, sister, friend, grandparent, or neighbor. We know that without intervention these children feel alone and often wonder how life will go on without their loved one.

By supporting the Highmark Caring Place, you help grieving children realize that they are not alone and that grief is normal. Recently, a mother of two young children whose father died said, *"I absolutely treasure the Caring Foundation. The services and program they have provided us are the main reason for my children's ability to get through their mourning"*.

On behalf of the children and families that are being helped by your school's contribution to the Caring Team, thank you. Please contact me at 412-544-2109 or [laura.frencho@highmark.com](mailto:laura.frencho@highmark.com) if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Laura Frencho  
School Services Coordinator

**CARING TEAM for Grieving Children**

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