

**Intro slide** – Alex’s Lemonade Stand by: Mrs. Kennedy’s class

Pic of banner from website

Kids holding banner – “We’re from Mrs. Kennedy’s Class”

**Speaker 1:**

Alex Scott was diagnosed with neuroblastoma, a form of cancer in 1996, right before her first birthday. At the age of 4 she decided that she wanted to hold a lemonade stand at her house to help raise money for all children who have cancer. She raised \$2000 at her first lemonade stand.

**Speaker 2:**

People around the country heard about Alex and wanted to help out too. Since then, people have been holding their own lemonade stands and donating the money to Alex and her cause.

**Speaker 3:**

In 2004, Alex passed away at the age of 8. At the time of her death, she had raised over one million dollars to help find a cure for cancer.

Slide with pictures of Alex

Slide with statistics about childhood cancer

**Speaker 4:** All funds raised go directly to Alex’s Lemonade Stand Foundation for Childhood Cancer Research. This money helps doctors and scientists research cures for cancer.

**A few kids** “We want to raise money for cancer too”

**Speaker 5:** In class, we have been writing persuasive letters to local businesses, churches, and restaurants.

**Speaker 6:** We are asking people in the community to help too!

Slide – show pics of letters

**EVERYONE:** We need your help (and point)

**Speaker 7:** This week and next week, we are asking all students at AES to donate money for cancer research. For every dollar that you donate, your teacher will give you a yellow link to write your name on. Your teacher can join these links together to create a “lemonade chain.”

**Speaker 8:** Next Friday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, will be the last day to donate money. The class who raises the most money will receive a donut and lemonade party.

**Speaker 9:** We will have table set up at Pantherfest and will be selling lemonade for donations. We hope that you and your parents will come out and purchase a delicious glass of lemonade from us!

Slide of pics of lemonade stands held all over country

**Speaker 10:** Last year we were able to raise \$1,800 dollars. This year we would like to raise \$2,000 dollars or more.

**Mrs. Kennedy and class:** Alex Scott was an inspiration to us. We are very excited about supporting this great cause. We hope that you will support this cause too!

**EVERYBODY:** “Let’s cure cancer”