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District's service learning to be celebrated

The 2010 Learn and Serve Demonstration and Celebration will take place from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Monday, May 24 at the EFA cafeteria.

Seventeen area schools including all 13 of the Elmira City School District's schools will showcase examples of service learning that took place in their buildings this year, from crafting blankets for seniors to planting trees for the community. Through the New York State Learn and Serve America Grant, schools partnered with organizations such as the Susan Komen Foundation, the Chemung County Humane Society and SPCA and the Chemung County AIDS Task Force.

A special guest at this year's celebration will be Richard Rose, the new New York State Learn & Serve Coordinator.

The event also will include informal presentations, student demonstrations and refreshments. Guests should feel free to stop by any time during the evening to see the numerous examples of ways that students have helped their community this past year.

The media is invited to attend.

Elementary Schools

Beecher
735-3500

Broadway
735-3600

Coburn
735-3650

Diven
735-3700

Hendy
735-3750

Fassett
735-3900

Pine City
735-3800

Riverside
735-3850

Middle Schools

Broadway
735-3300

Ernie Davis
735-3400

High Schools

Alternative High School
735-3350

Elmira Free Academy
735-3100

Southside
735-3200

Administration
735-3000