Throughout the month of December, teachers and other staff at Perkins School dressed according to a holiday theme each Tuesday and Thursday and paid $1 each for the privilege.

As of December 20th, $144 had been raised and will to be given to the local “Blessings In A Backpack” program that provides eligible students at Kelley, Perkins and Lincoln Schools food bags on Friday afternoons to ensure they won’t go hungry during the weekend.

The holiday-themed fundraiser was devised by the Perkins School Social Committee.

“We looked forward to each day to have some fun, spread cheer and help a local group that supports so many of our kids. ‘Thank you’ to all that participated,” said Katy Barker, math Academic Instructional Services (AIS) teacher, Instructional Coach and member of the Perkins Social Committee.