

Mercer Academy of Martial Arts

Martial Arts for St. Jude Event to Raise Funds for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital®

Amazing! WOW! What a Success!

Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

March 14, 2009 -A *Martial Arts for St. Jude* event kicked off on March 14 at 9:00 a.m. at **Mercer Academy of Martial Arts**. The event raised funds for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital®, the premier center for the research and treatment of childhood cancer and other deadly diseases.

**The Martial Arts Class/ The Board breaking Class / Karate Demonstration
\$3735 in Sponsor Envelopes**

The Bake Sale and Raffle

\$722

Total as of *now* - \$4457

Sponsor envelopes and money *are still* being turned in. We will give a grand total once all money has been collected and the donation envelope has been sent in. Please turn in all collected donations ASAP, so we can mail in our donation.

Thank you to all the Students who participated and raised funds!

Special thanks to **JoAnn Orlando** and **Karol Breese**
for their help with the registration, raffle, and bake sale.

Thanks to all those who baked, held boards for boardbreaking, or helped out in any way.

There are so many of you. You know who you are. Thank you!

Thanks to **Scott Somogyi** for the donation of the tree and for the
record break of 7 boards with his elbow.

Scott Somogyi raised an outstanding **\$1550**

Joshua Breese raised **\$560**

Kayla and Jared Gorski raised **\$300**

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital is internationally recognized for its pioneering work in finding cures and saving children with cancer and other catastrophic diseases. Founded by late entertainer Danny Thomas and based in Memphis, Tennessee, St. Jude freely shares its discoveries with scientific and medical communities around the world. No family ever pays for treatments not covered by insurance, and families without insurance are never asked to pay. St. Jude is financially supported by ALSAC, its fundraising organization, through events such as *Martial Arts for St. Jude*. For more information, please visit www.stjude.org.