

SPHDS Shoe Drive Coming Soon!



As part of their unit on recycling, and as an extension of their study of Tu BeShevat, the Kindergarten class has teamed up with two organizations that reuse and recycle worn-out shoes for good causes!

1. **From Our Feet:** A Palo Alto based non-profit that collects, facilitates and distributes previously worn shoes to impoverished people, worldwide. All shoes except for high heels are appreciated. Children's sized shoes are in particularly high demand and are usually sent straight to orphanages. You may be done wearing a certain pair of shoes, but somebody else will be very happy to have them!
2. **Nike's ReUse-A-Shoe program:** Used athletic shoes (any size, any brand, any condition) will be sent to Nike headquarters, where they will be processed and recycled into 'Nike grind'. This material is then used to make sports surfaces and playgrounds for those who live in underprivileged neighborhoods around the globe.

To contribute, drop off your old shoes in one of the bins in front of Kindergarten during the shoe drive, which will run from February 1st - 17th. Please tie pairs of lace-ups together.