

*It is one of the beautiful compensations of this life that no one can sincerely try to help another without helping himself. - Charles Dudley Warner*

# Jerry Starr

## Sleepout 26

Sponsored by Ken-Ton School District and a group of staff known as Educators Totally Committed (E.T.C.)

February 1-2, 2013

8 PM Friday– 6 AM Saturday

Hoover Middle School Parking Lot

The purpose of the Sleepout is to help the needy in the Buffalo area by collecting donations of cash, food, clothing and small furniture items. Our goal is to obtain as many donations of food and clothing as possible. Monetary goal: \$10,000.

**Make checks payable to: Ken-Ton Schools E.T.C.**

*Send checks to:*

Kenmore West High School

33 Highland Parkway, Buffalo, New York 14223

Attn: E.T.C. SLEEPOUT

**Teachers and staff—we can use your help!**

It would be greatly appreciated if you would inform your students—K through 12—that they may participate in the Sleepout if they are **accompanied by their parent(s)**. Students must obtain pledges, and may obtain pledge sheets by calling 874-8401. Students and their parents may participate for whatever length of time they choose and may remain inside the building. This is time that parents and children can spend together in support of a good cause! (Students and parents should bring their own snacks/refreshments.)



**Donations of cash, food, clothing and small furniture items will be accepted on-site during the Sleepout.**

### ***What you as a Classroom Teacher can do . . .***

**Sleepout 26** will be facilitated by retired Ken-Ton teacher Steve Ash. Call Steve ANYTIME at 694-4492 with questions regarding the SLEEPOUT, or in the event that you want to:

- Be a sleeper
- Be a building contact person
- Ask a question
- Work on the support staff
- Offer a suggestion, thought, comment, or concern
- Get information on how to **involve your students**

Educators Totally Committed (E.T.C.) envisions the first Friday in February as a **“Worldwide School Day to Help People in Need,”** and is lobbying the United Nations for that designation. To find out how simple and easy it is to help in this cause, please call Steve Ash at 694-4492.