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GEORGES P. VANIER STUDENT GIVES UP HIS LOCKS FOR CANADIAN CANCER SOCIETY FUNDRAISER

Dustyn Tremblay, a Grade 3 student at Georges P. Vanier Catholic School is donating his hair to "Locks of Love," an organization that uses donated human hair to make wigs for cancer recovery patients.

"We're very excited about this event," says Cyndi Vink-Broadfoot, Principal of Georges P. Vanier Catholic School. "Dustyn is very committed to helping the Canadian Cancer Society and has been growing his hair since September just for this purpose!"

Dustyn has been collecting sponsorship donations from his neighbourhood and the wider community. The school has also been involved in supporting this venture.

"Dustyn recently told us his hair has grown over 10 inches and with warmer weather on the way he's really ready for it to be cut," says Mrs. Vink-Broadfoot.

Kerry Doran, a representative of the Canadian Cancer Society will be on hand, along with all of Dustyn's school mates at the school's *Good News Assembly* on Friday, when he'll finally have more than a little taken off the top!

The event will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, March 30, 2012 in the gymnasium at Georges P. Vanier Catholic School, 20 Cecile Avenue, Chatham.

Members of the media are welcome.