

## **JACOB Kit Campaign for Sandy Run K-8 Reducing Risks Associated with School Shootings**

### **Who is Jacob?**

Jacob Hall was a six-year-old boy that lived in Townsville, SC. Jacob was injured during a 2016 school shooting. He survived the wound but died three days later due to "massive blood loss."

### **What is a JACOB Kit?**

The JACOB Kit is a small trauma kit that is placed inside every classroom within an elementary school, as well as in the school's cafeteria, gym, auditoriums, and all other areas where large numbers of students may be gathered. The trauma kits are placed by the room's hallway door for easy access by teachers and staff, along with quick access for responding emergency crews as they make their way down the hallway and into classrooms.

### **What is contained in a Jacob's Kit?**

The JACOB Kit contains a CAT tourniquet, two chest seals, bandages, trauma shears and medical gloves.

### **Where can they be purchased?**

The kit is \$46.98 through North American Rescue (<https://www.narescue.com/> - Item Number: 85-1595).

Another alternative is assembling the kits using pencil boxes, backpacks or some other comparable containers and labeling each container JACOB Kit so that they will be well recognized for their content. The items contained in the kit can be purchased in bulk from Amazon or other online vendors.



### **How many JACOB Kits are needed?**

Sandy Run K-8 has an estimated 65 classroom spaces, not including other large spaces that students may gather. An exact space count is needed.

### **How can funds be raised for JACOB Kits?**

This is what the crime watch group should discuss if they vote to help with this initiative. The group can do a myriad of things to raise the money. For example, a well-thought-out JACOB Kit campaign can be implemented by partnering with the school, local churches and community clubs. Fund raisers can be done simultaneously through parent/teacher organizations, community club raffles, gofundme page, fire department, EMS, etc. The possibilities are endless.