

BBE Awarded Grant from Prairie Lakes Coop



Friday, April 10, 2009– Elrosa, Minn. – Belgrade-Brooten- Elrosa’s first grade teacher, Mrs. Jaeger, recently received a \$500 grant from Prairie Lakes Coop as part of the company’s Community Pride School Inspiration Grant.

The Community Pride Committee selected Mrs. Jaeger to receive \$500 towards her objective reading materials and the associated technology. Mrs. Sheila Jaeger, Belgrade-Brooten- Elrosa first grade teacher, states in her application, “This grant has two purposes. One relates to education and is for purchasing groups of books so children have adequate reading materials to meet their specific reading level. My second request is for technology. We need two DVD/ Tape players.



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We have learned that emergent readers excel when they are able to access reading materials that they are able to read with success and understanding.”

Applying schools and their organizations have to indicate their plans for the grant money, supply general information about the schools/organizations, project, and purpose of the request, along with specific financial needs and projected outcomes. Applications can be found online at www.prairielakescoop.com.

“Having the materials and tools to provide quality education is important. The grants were created to assist in providing tools that make that make quality education happen,” says Tim Harvey Prairie Lakes Coop Board Member.

Prairie Lakes Coop awarded a \$500 grant to the Belgrade-Brooten- Elrosa’s first grade class and Mrs. Jaeger on behalf of its local member owners. Prairie Lakes Coop (prairielakescoop.com), a division of CHS, provides products and services in the agronomy, energy, and grain markets to meet the needs of its patrons. Prairie Lakes Coop has locations in the communities of Cyrus, Hoffman, Elrosa, Lowry, Long Prairie, Park Rapids, Glenwood, and Starbuck that create relationships with customers in agronomy inputs, fuels, and grain marketing.