



December 2008

From the Principal's Desk:

First term report cards have now been distributed and parent-teacher interviews completed. Thank you to all of our outstanding teachers for their time and dedication in providing students and parents with informative accounts of the successes and goals for each of our students. We look forward to a second term filled with many opportunities to achieve new goals, enjoy new learning and realize many successes!

At this time of the year, we like to remember those who make Glenview a wonderful place to be. Immediately, we think of the many volunteers who devote so much of their time and share their special talents with us on a regular basis. We couldn't do what we do without the participation of the people who form the School Council, drive for field trips, help out in the classrooms, make materials, serve pizza and nutritional snack program and organize great fundraisers.

Thank you so much to the parents who organized our Silent and Live Auction. What a huge success! To be able to raise over \$12,000 in one evening for the benefit of our students is incredible. Thank you to all of the extremely generous donations from our wonderful Glenview families and community donors. Indeed, your financial support and your physical support (homework, studying, etc.) greatly support the teachers' efforts and are very much appreciated.

It was wonderful to see so many families at our Holiday Open House. It was a great opportunity to mix with one another. Thank you to all of our staff who assisted in making this evening such a success. Thank you also to Mrs. Haynes and Mrs. Wigle for organizing our caroling and "Home of Hope" presentation. Please stay tuned for more information in regard to the generous donations that we are receiving. We appreciate all of you and wish you the very best during this Holiday Season!

What a fantastic experience for all of our students from Gr. 1-6 to attend the live theatrical performance, "Beauty and the Beast". Glenview students were so well-behaved and thoroughly enjoyed every minute of the show. Thanks so much to our School Council for making this opportunity possible for our whole school to attend together. It was certainly a fantastic experience. A huge thank you to Mrs. Milosevic-Hill (drama teacher) who organized this memorable trip for everyone!

December is a special month. There is a sense of family, community and caring that seems to occur, no matter what our individual faiths may be. May each one of us carry these sentiments with us throughout the New Year!

Deborah Renton  
Principal

**Important Reminder!** Just a reminder that there will be a change in the time of our nutritional breaks on the last day of school, Friday, December 19th.

1st Break: 10:25-11:15 a.m.

2nd Break: 12:25-1:05 p.m.



The early dismissal time at Glenview is 2:15 p.m. Buses will arrive at that time to pick up students.

PLEASE SEE THE GLENVIEW JANUARY 2009 CALENDAR ON THE REVERSE.

