



# OAKVILLE SCHOOL



June 2011

'Together We Achieve'

Newsletter #10

## Principal's Message

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So this is it...

After a fantastic ten months, school is winding down and summer is nearly upon us. June is such a frantic month at home and in school that I sometimes forget to reflect on the year we have enjoyed together. I'm sure we don't say it enough, but the staff at OVS are grateful every day for the wonderful community that we are blessed to work in. As educators we feel respected and valued by students and parents and feel that we are true partners with the families in our community.

It's always a bittersweet moment when we send away our Grade 8 class to high school. I'm sad to see such caring students move on, but proud of their maturity and excited about their prospects for the future. This class was never large in numbers but they had a unique relationship with one another that made them special.

But as they say, with every ending there is a new beginning and so we will welcome a new kindergarten class next year. We are expecting 19 students to arrive and embark on their educational journey with us in September. They will be joined by a new teacher as our beloved Mrs. Stubbington has stepped aside from her position after 14 years. We will miss her smile and her caring ways but are pleased to welcome Ms. Tara Cormier to the position. Ms. Cormier comes to us from BC and Alberta where she spent three years teaching kindergarten.

We are also bidding a fond farewell to Mr. Skinner who plans on seeing the world next year. We are lucky to have found Ms. Alicia Hill to take his place. Ms. Hill is a new graduate and a former OVS staff member! Welcome back! She will be teaching math to the Grade 2 and 4 classes in the mornings next year.

As for our classes, we will have three splits next year as Mrs. Sawchuk takes on Grade 1/2, Ms. Thiessen takes on Grade 2/3 and Ms. Fletcher teaches Grade 4/5.

Have a great summer!

Graham Shindle

		Important Dates
JUNE 29	Wed.	AWARDS CEREMONY 9:30 A.M. (students may go home with parents after Awards)
Sept. 8	Thurs.	First day back for Students for the 2011-2012 School Year
Oct. 13	Thurs.	PICTURE DAY

### STAFF LIST

Principal—Mr. G. Shindle

K—Mrs. T. Cormier

Gr. 1/2—Mrs. T. Sawchuk

Gr. 2/3—Miss C. Thiessen

Gr. 4/5—Miss S. Fletcher

Gr. 6—Mrs. N. Harrison

Gr. 7—Mr. G. Burnett

Gr. 8—Mr. D. Patterson

Gr. 2 & Gr. 4 Math—Mrs. A. Hill

Phys. Ed.—Mr. K. McDonald

Resource—Mr. D. Reichert

Reading Recovery—Ms. M. Metzloff

Music—Ms. M. Metzloff

Band Club — Mrs. N. Harrison

Admin. Assist.—Mrs. S. Kirton

### E.A.'s

Mrs. B. Reimche

Mrs. G. Ross

Mrs. M. Draycott

Mrs. A. Nicholls

Mrs. D. McLeod

Mrs. T. Dyck

Mrs. C. Comte

### PRAIRIE FIRE SUMMER VOLLEYBALL CAMPS

August 29th—Sept. 2nd

Boys & Girls - Grades 4-12 (as of Sept., 2011)

Brochures can be picked up at Oakville Sch.

For more info email:

rgamache@plpsd.mb.ca

### Youth 'SUMMER HEAT' BASKETBALL CAMP

Aug. 8—12, 2011 Portage la Prairie

AM session—ages 5 to 9;

PM session— ages 10 to 14

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Good bye to the Phantoms of the hallway!!!