

## **Dorothy Dalgliesh School**

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## Message from the Principal



Happy June!

June is a bittersweet month for me. I look forward to summer break, but it is also a time of reflection as I ask myself, "How did the year go?"

It is an absolute honor and privilege to serve as DDS's principal, and I truly want to be the best leader possible for your children and for this school. In order to grow, sometimes I must look long and hard at my professional practice with a critical eye. Recently, at our Professional Development Day at DDS on May 21, my staff and I went deep into DDS's data. From Provincial Achievement Test results, Accountability Pillar results, a survey called *OurSchool Survey* (completed with grades 4-6 students), and a self-created survey I asked staff to fill in, we analyzed a ton of data. From this we want to reimagine and reconfigure our vision, purpose, and goals.

Your input is incredibly valuable as well. Please let me know of anything you'd like to see stay at the school, or see changed. The only way I can know how I'm doing, and know how to improve, is with your feedback. Come on by and we can have a conversation.

June is also bittersweet because I need to say goodbye to kids for the summer, and our grade six kids forever! It is always tough to let go of our oldest group, but this group has been such a fun bunch of kids – I will miss them lots! I look forward to seeing where they go in life and the wonderful adults they will become.

I know June is going to fly by with Provincial Achievement Tests, field trips – including a school-wide swimming trip to Henderson Pool, and year-end celebrations. It's going to be a fun – but busy – month.

Thanks to Mrs. Stauth for all the work she did to organize and prepare for Track Day. From ordering

ribbons, organizing teams, arranging grounds upkeep, organ orders, there is sooooo much that needed to be done to mak

A big thank you to **School Council** and the PSBSPB for mal inflatable maze – what a fantastic addition to Track Day!



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