

OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL

Millburn West School

Administrative Report

January 14th, 2011

To: Board of Education Members

From: Jake Jorgenson

The Millburn West bands and choir have all performed their Winter Concerts. These students have been working very hard on learning and perfecting their music and were able to show off their skills late in December and early in January. I know the parents are very proud of their kid's performance. Thank you Heidi Anderson and Rebecca Gundlach for your combined efforts with the choir and band students.

The Millburn West Spelling Bee for grades 4-8 will be on the 28th. Homerooms run trials in the month leading up to this and the top two finalists for each room are able to participate in the Spelling Bee. The winner of the Spelling Bee on January 28th qualifies to compete in a regional Spelling Bee at a later date. Many of these kids have a true gift of spelling. We wish all of them the best luck on the 28th and at the regional competition. Thank you Nancy Stream from our Gifted Department for your time and effort organizing and hosting this event.

Girls Basketball, Wrestling and Scholastic Bowl have started practice. Later this month they will start games. Also looking ahead, the student council has planned a Spirit Week for January 24th to 28th.

Earlier this week we finished quarter 2 and moved into quarter 3. Report cards for quarter 2 will go out on Thursday the 20th. It is amazing that we are already half way through the school year!