

Saddlewood Elementary

Ernest J. Casile Principal

June 24, 2003

Dear Ruth,

The kindergarten graduation at Saddlewood School is a very special day each year for the children and their parents. Each year, a lot of planning and preparation goes into the celebration. The day of the program, several hundred people come to school to see and hear the kids. The performance usually includes songs, decorations and treats afterwards.

This year, you worked with our sixty-four children in anticipation of the graduation. You showed them how to make rain sticks on their own, and you taught them several of the songs you composed. The morning flew by, but the kids had accomplished a great deal working with you.

At the performance you continued the celebration in song with the kids, and you welcomed and included the audience. You even made a grand finale song just for the kindergarten children at Saddlewood. The graduation was videotaped, and it shows the kids having so much fun with you.

We want to thank you for your outstanding effort at Saddlewood School. We highly recommend you to other schools. You have a way of making each person feel that the songs are for them. At the same time, you have a way of making sure we know the songs are about all of us together. It was a very special experience for everyone to have you at our school sharing your talent, music, messages, and warmth.

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Ms. Ruth Pelham Music Mobile, Inc. P.O. Box 6024 Albany, NY 12206-0024

Dear Ruth:

Thank you for coming to our school on November 5 and providing us with a wonderful kick-off concert for our Parents As Literacy Supporters (PALS) program.

The evening was enjoyed by parents and children alike. The energy and enthusiasm you bring to your music is contagious. You really made it easy for all in attendance to join you in singing, signing and doing the motions for the songs. We also appreciate the way you wove our reading theme into the lyrics.

Thanks again, Ruth, for a very enjoyable and uplifting evening of music and song.

Sincerely,

Barbara Goldstein, Principal on behalf of the students at GWS

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