

## **RRM Email Blast June 5, 2019**

1. We want to congratulate our Grade 3/4 Long-term Occasional Teacher, Jen Grandis, who was married this past weekend. Her new name is Jen Pandullo. She and her partner are expecting a baby this year as well so we will them happiness as a new family.
2. Staffing News:
  - Dawn Donovan is no longer 'temporary' Vice-Principal at Elora. We congratulate her as she continues in Administration as Vice-Principal at Elora. She will be greatly missed at R.R. M. We thank Sarah Chambers for filling in as Long-term Occasional for most of this year, who has done an outstanding job.
  - Kaitlyn Smith (our permanent Grade 3/4 teacher who is currently off on Maternity Leave until next March) is no longer 0.1 surplus. She was pulled back 0.1 to our school and so will continue to be 0.8 (four days per week).
  - As a result of both of these changes, we had a 0.9 Kindergarten Position open (4.5 days per week). Staffing has granted teacher Breanne Hart-Ruhl an increase in time for this position and we welcome her to school family.
3. A reminder that our school Track and Field Day is going to be held tomorrow. Happily, Mother Nature is granting us a perfect summer day. Please send your child with running shoes, sunscreen, a hat and plenty of water.
4. Calling our Library Books! All students who return their books by Thursday, June 13 will earn a Jumbo Freezie. Overdue slips were sent out this past week by teachers but students may also have some books signed out that are not yet overdue. Thanks for finding all of these books.
5. We are also looking for all Grade 1 – 4 Reading Folders (duo-tangs and levelled books). We'd appreciate these being returned as soon as possible.
6. A reminder that we do have some extra slices in the freezer that we will be selling EVERY day until they run out. \$1.00 per slice.
7. Friday is a Professional Activity Day so no school for students. Staff will be in meetings supporting students for transitions to new grades in the fall and working on assessment and evaluation in preparation for end of the year report cards.