

## **Welcome Parents,**

As another school year starts I wanted to introduce myself and the other members of the School council. I'm Rhonda Cleveland, President, Bobbi Lausen is our secretary, Jenn Alce is our treasurer, Jenn Cook is our fundraising coordinator, Jayne Yates is our hot lunch representative, Mrs. Samantha Adkins is our teacher representative.

At the Carseland School Council we try to be proactive and inclusive in school activities and school planning. We want to foster commitment and creativity to generate a strong community spirit. Parent involvement supports the learning and development of your child and keeps you up-to-date on school activities. We recognize you as a valued and honoured member of the school community and we look forward to working closely with you.

There are two council meetings in the fall (September and November) and three meetings in the spring semester (January, March and May). Meetings are held in the school and occur on Monday evenings. They are usually only one hour in length as I know everyone has busy schedules.

As an extra incentive we are entering parent's names in a draw every time they come to our meetings. One prize will be for one of your child's school fees to be paid for and one prize of one of your child's school supplies to be paid for. So every time you come to a meeting you will increase your chances of winning.

We would love to have everyone join us on **September 19, 2011 @ 7:00pm** to see how you can be more involved in your child's formative years at school.

**Have a great school year!!**