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Fire Marshall of Ontario Congratulates Grade 4 Class at Prince of Wales

Prince of Wales Public School on Facer Street in St. Catharines, will receive a special visit from the Fire Marshall of Ontario on March 9th at 1:00 p.m.

The Ontario Fire Marshall's Office recently held a contest inviting students and teachers to participate in creating a Home Fire Escape Plan. Grade four students at Prince of Wales Public School in St. Catharines were the winners of this years' contest. This is the second year's in a row that they have won this honour.

On Friday March 9, 2007, the Ontario Fire Marshall, along with the Mayor of St. Catharines, the Honorable Brian McMullen will be presenting the class with a Fire Safety certificate along with a one hundred dollar pizza party.

In addition, the students also won a trip to the Children's Safety Village in Welland. "This is a very exciting achievement for my students", said Allison Toews-Peplinski, teacher. She goes on to say, "We know how important fire safety is and we want to make sure that the children bring this message home to their families."

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