



# Oakridge Public School

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Dear Parents,

February 2, 2010

Carousel Players will be coming to Oakridge, to present the play "Danny, King of the Basement" on Thursday, February 11, 2010, for students in grades 4-8. You might have seen the feature article in the St. Catharines Standard on the weekend about it. We are fortunate to have them come to our school.

Danny Carter and his mom have lived in more places than most kids his age. The family of two is always on the move, but Danny still manages to make friends in an hour, best friends in a day. He also recognizes that his friends have newer things than him and certainly eat better, but they seem to have other problems. Together they discover that courage, creativity and imagination can help overcome life's challenges. "Danny, King of the Basement" illustrates the themes of homelessness, poverty, illiteracy, family problems and stresses, as well as the importance of friendship, imagination, and resourcefulness.

The cost for this performance will be \$3.00 per student. Please send in the form below with the money by Friday, February 5<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you,

Mrs. Klassen

My child \_\_\_\_\_ has permission to attend the Carousel Players performance of "Danny, King of the Basement".

I have enclosed \$3.00

Parent signature \_\_\_\_\_



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