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To Whom it May Concern,

I am writing this letter in support of the Learn to Swim Pilot Program operating out of the Pam McConnell Aquatic Centre this past summer, and also this fall.

Through this pilot program, the students of Lord Dufferin School are being provided with the opportunity to learn to swim. For many of the students, this has been their first introduction to swimming lessons.

I have been able to witness firsthand the progress made over the course of the program. We have at our school students who are 12 and 13 years of age, who have never had the opportunity to overcome their fear of water. To be able to watch as they put their face in the water for the first time or to take their first swimming strokes, has been an experience I will treasure for years to come.

I hope that we are able to continue this partnership and continue to provide for the students of Lord Dufferin Public School, this equity of opportunity that has already been made available to their peers in other communities around the city.

Thank you,

Emma Nichols
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