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Mr. Luis Santiago, Vice President  
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Dear Mr. Santiago,

On behalf of the faculty, staff, students, parents and community of Flamingo Elementary School, we would like to take this opportunity to express our deepest gratitude to you, Ms. Jill Jayne, MS, RD, and East Side Entrees for your dynamic Nutrition Education presentation held on Friday, December 11, 2009. Moreover we are very appreciative that you took time out your busy schedule to participate as a distinguished guest during the presentation.

We would also like to thank you and your staff for your continued professionalism, cooperation, enthusiasm and spirit of collaboration. Our students, faculty, staff, parents and community were honored by your presence and involvement as it ensured the success of the presentation.

We commend you, East Side Entrees and Ms. Jayne for your commitment to excellence and the pursuit of high standards and expectations in our quest to continue to motivate students to develop lifelong exercise and nutrition habits. Our students greatly enjoyed the interaction with Ms. Jayne as the messages were infused in a creative manner through music.

Ms. Margaret Mead said it best when she said, "*Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it's the only thing that ever has.*" Once again, we thank you for your sponsorship and unwavering commitment as we strive to enhance the teaching and learning of nutrition education.

We truly wish you, Ms. Jayne and the East Side Entrees family a joyous holiday and all the blessings of the coming New Year!

Sincerely,

Claudia Hessing  
Principal

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cc: Ms. Carol Chung

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