

## *Proclamation*

### **Halifax Grammar School Week May 22 – 30, 2009**

WHEREAS The Halifax Grammar School was established in September 1958, and is celebrating its 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary this year. It has grown since 1958 from 53 students to a top North American IB World School on two campuses serving as many as 540 students in grades Pre Primary through Twelve.

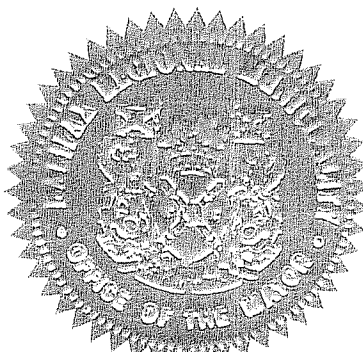
WHEREAS The national reputation of the Halifax Grammar School is that it provides a well-balanced education, based on a commitment to the highest academic standards in core subjects and recognition of the intrinsic role athletics, the arts and community service play in student development.

WHEREAS The principal goal of the Jubilee Year at the School is to establish an endowment fund for financial aid, reaffirming the commitment to make a Grammar School education as affordable and accessible as possible.

WHEREAS The signature events for the Jubilee Year will occur during the week of May 22 – 30, 2009 when the School hosts the National Junior High Debating Championships and celebrates with 500 guests at the Jubilee Gala Dinner and Dance, to be held on May 30, 2009 in support of the School's Jubilee Endowment Fund.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Mayor Peter Kelly, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim May 22 – 30, 2009 as Halifax Grammar School Week in the Halifax Regional Municipality, and offer our congratulations to all those associated with the Halifax Grammar School as they launch the next fifty years of excellence.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia  
this 22nd day of May, 2009.



Peter Kelly  
Mayor

A handwritten signature of Peter Kelly, Mayor, is written over the printed name and title.