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The Samuels Mills Sprole School
Public School 32: An Empowerment School

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Dear P.S. 32 Community,

The library renovation is nearing completion. The grand reopening will be Wednesday, February 29th @ 6pm. Please save the date. Starting in March the library will be open M-F starting at 7:30am. We will soon post the after-school and Saturday hours.

The library blog has been moved to the school website. Please visit it. The first 12 families that post a comment on the blog get a general admission voucher to the American Museum of Natural History (admits 4 people to the museum and the space show or a special exhibit). The vouchers are courtesy of Adrianna Mitchell, the Children's Librarian at the Brooklyn Public Library Carroll Gardens branch.

Each child that applied for a Brooklyn Public Library card has received theirs. The password for using the card is your child's 4-digit year of birth.

Do you have or know someone who has an infant, toddler, or preschooler? Please spread the word that we will be offering a once a week family literacy story time program to make sure that all students start school off with every advantage possible. The program is called "Diapers to Dormitories" and will include read alouds, puppet shows, music, dance, and art for the kids. Family literacy support will be available for all parents and caregivers as well. New, free books will be made available to all participants through Dolly Parton's Imagination Library, from First Book Marketplace and through grants. There will also be food and refreshments. Look for announcements coming in the spring. Participants **do not** have to have a child currently in our school.

If you would like to volunteer to help build this project or help the library in any way, please contact me.

The main funding for the renovation came from a grant from Brooklyn Borough President Marty Markowitz. Please take a minute to thank him (let me know if you do). Here is his email, address, and phone number:

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Thank you,

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