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Riverview Elementary to hold memorial service to honour Chad Harbour-Dewitt

Dorval QC., April 16, 2010 – Riverview Elementary School and the South West Mission United Church of Verdun are inviting members of the Verdun community to attend a memorial service to honour the memory of seven year-old Chad Harbour-Dewitt, his mother and two family friends. The four perished in a fire on March 28st, 2010. The service will include music, interfaith prayers and tributes to the four victims.

Chad, a student at Riverview was described by classmates and school staff as someone with a very large personality and was well-known throughout the school. The school and the Verdun community have been devastated by the loss.

The memorial service will take place on Monday, April 19th from 6:30pm to 7:30pm at the Dawson Community Centre, located at 666 Woodland Avenue in Verdun.

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