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Breakfast for Learning Volunteer Award Recipients

Mr. Forbes: — Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. I rise today, I'd like to take this opportunity to congratulate Saskatoon Centre constituent Dorothy Ross and her colleague Sylvia Woodward who received the National 2011 Breakfast for Learning Volunteer Award for inspiration and leadership. This annual award recognizes a person that is making an outstanding impact in the area of child nutrition by helping to ensure all children are well-nourished and ready to learn.

Dorothy and Sylvia were featured in April's edition of Canadian Living, where it was written, and I quote:

As much as the kids at Pleasant Hill Community School in Saskatoon love having Cream of Wheat and oatmeal for breakfast, it was the weekly treat of pancake Wednesday that left them looking for seconds. Dorothy Ross and Sylvia Woodward were responsible for providing a healthy start to the day for 50 of the school's 150 students who may otherwise have gone without their morning meals.

Dorothy Ross has managed the breakfast program at Pleasant Hill Community School for the past 28 years, and Sylvia recently retired from her role as a nutrition worker after 17 years of dedicated service. Their longstanding commitment to the nutrition program saw them serving several generations of families at the school's breakfast and lunch programs.

Mr. Speaker, I ask all members to join me in congratulating Dorothy Ross and Sylvia Woodward for receiving the National Breakfast for Learning Volunteer Award for inspiration and leadership.

Thank you.