



Mayor

# DAVID MILLER

## A Message from the Mayor

On behalf of Toronto City Council and as part of Brush-a-Mania, I have proclaimed Friday, April 3, 2009 as “*Oral Health Day*” in Toronto. For the 9<sup>th</sup> consecutive year, school children across the city, from Junior Kindergarten to Grade 6, will be brushing their teeth simultaneously, with 60,000 students taking part in this fun and healthy group activity.

Children must be motivated to embrace good oral hygiene, a set of techniques, habits, measures or procedures taken at home and at the dentist office to ensure optimal oral health and to avoid medical or dental problems. By making brushing their teeth a fun activity, children adopt a good regimen of oral care and can inspire other children to be aware of the importance of practicing good oral health.

I applaud the outstanding team of Brush-a-Mania, in particular, the Toronto Academy of Dentistry, the Rotary Club of Toronto-Don Mills, sponsors and hundreds of teachers and volunteers. Good luck and much success in your efforts.

On Friday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, please join with others in our community and help our children adopt good dental hygiene for the rest of their lives.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David Miller". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Mayor David Miller

