



**JOHN F. KENNEDY MIDDLE SCHOOL**

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Dear Mr. Pekoff:

I wanted to take the opportunity to thank you for donating the fence to John F. Kennedy Middle School for the creation of a beautiful garden in celebration of Earth Day 2008. The location we have selected for our garden is ideal and will be admired by all of my students and staff as well as the Bethpage community. You can be assured that Mary Padalino will take great care of your donation as well as the garden itself. She is a great member of my faculty and her love for the project certainly inspired our students. Your willingness to donate the fence is a true testament to your understanding of the importance of preserving the environment as well.

Once again on behalf of everyone at John F. Kennedy Middle School, thank you for your generosity.

Very truly yours,

*Kerri A. McCarthy*

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