

## *Dear Alumni, Parents, and Friends of Calvin Hill,*

This is an exciting new chapter for the Calvin Hill Day Care Center and Kitty Lustman-Findling Kindergarten!

As many of you know, last year marked Carla Horwitz's retirement after 40 extraordinary years as the Director of Calvin Hill. We were thrilled to welcome Susan Taddei as the new Director, building upon her own 28 years of service to Calvin Hill. Through Susan's deep commitment to our children, the Center has enjoyed a smooth and happy transition.

**At this pivotal moment, your donation to the Calvin Hill Annual Fund ensures that we can sustain our commitment to providing exceptional, inclusive, and affordable childcare for years to come.**

**Your donation also enables us to sustain Calvin Hill's commitment to training students and the next generation of gifted teachers through our newly renamed Carla Horwitz Fellowship in Child Development and Early Childhood Education.**

In honoring Carla last spring, your generous contributions and a transformational gift from the Lustman Memorial Fund helped support this one-year Fellowship, now in its 20th year. The program offers emerging professionals the unique opportunity to learn from highly experienced teachers in our classrooms while also engaging in related coursework at the Yale Child Study Center. To date, 43 fellows have completed the Fellowship, becoming integral members of the Calvin Hill community and wonderful mentors to our children.

As a two-time Calvin Hill parent and board member, I especially appreciate the dedication of our teachers and staff, and the extent to which your continued support helps make this unique educational experience affordable to families in need of tuition assistance.

Your gift—of any amount—is essential to preserving Calvin Hill's legacy and it sustains the Carla Horwitz Fellowship. Please join me in supporting Calvin Hill, its children, and its future.

With great appreciation,



**Ted Wittenstein** MEMBER, BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND PARENT, 2013—PRESENT