

Sudbury West Schools

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George Vanier
Public School



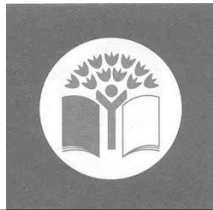
Copper Cliff
Public School



Jessie Hamilton
Public School



R.H. Murray
Public School



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The Option for an
Environmentally Freindly, new "Green" School
has the potential to be a great idea for our community.

Should we look at planning
this option further and better?

YES !!!!!

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Some Parents feel that the options presented before us are not acceptable.

I Agree,
but suggest a slightly different approach.



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A "Green School" would be a Brilliant option.

Providing it is built with not only the Children, but also the Community
in mind.

Build a New School.

BUT!!!!

Build it with the resources and educational
tools necessary to elevate Student Learning
within it.

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Build it large enough to house "ALL" Students
in both French Immersion
and English Programs.

If you have a child in French Immersion.
And another child in the English Program.
Would you want your children attending
separate schools?

I Highly Doubt It.
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Choose a Location in which all students
attending this "New" School can
have minimal travel time to and
from school.

Beaver Lake is too far for a child to travel
from to attend a school in Lively/Mikkola area.

Would you be willing to get up at 5 am
or earlier to get your child ready for school?

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In Addition,
Why should we be separating students
within the same age group
simply because of the path of education
their parents have
set for them?

Sending a Bad Message.....

Doesn't separating French speaking from English Speaking
resemble a cultural battle our Government
has been fighting to avoid?

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Here's something to think about...

George Vanier has a 72% enrollment rate
and is expected to drop to 71% within 10yrs.
The cost to renew the school is \$4,401,023.

Jessie Hamilton has a 112% enrolment rate
and the expected to rise to 113% in 10 years.
The cost to renew the school is \$3,123,076.

\$7,524,099

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Here's something to think about...

Copper Cliff Public School has an enrolment rate of 68% with a projected rate of 49% in 10 years.

The cost of Renewal is \$3,100,000.

Total Cost of Repairs: \$10,624,099

LDSS has a 47% enrolment rate with a projected rate of 37% within 10 years.

The school has a capacity of 860 students and a cost of \$6,787,251 for renewal.

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Here's something to think about...

In Summary. Three schools with a combined total of 896 students (currently) will have a higher cost for repairs than LDSS alone.

And you wonder where I'm going with this?

Option # 1

Close Copper Cliff, Jessie, and Vanier combining
"All" students into the current LDSS.

Build a "New Green School" for a new High School.

Keep R.H. Murray open as it has a low renewal cost
as well as low operation costs.

This would create minimal bussing with maximum
utilization of facilities with lowest possible
costs for operation.

Also giving "ALL" students new opportunities
to learn with newer and more available resources.

Option # 2

Close Copper Cliff, Jessie, and Vanier combining
"All" students into the "New Green School" with both French Immersion
and English program students.

Keep R.H. Murray open as it has a low renewal cost
as well as low operation costs.

I believe this would cost more and be less efficient
for future growth or decline in student
enrolment.

In closing, I hope this input gives some light as to other options,
and offers suggestion as to how some feel that the option given by the
Accomodations review board.

Although long hours and hard work have been put into this by the members.

I feel we all need to stop and think about the impact
a decision like this will have on our community.

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