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October 13, 2015

Dear Parents/Guardians and Community Members:

I am writing to invite you to attend a public meeting to discuss potential changes to grade ranges, pathways and program delivery that could affect schools in our area including:

- Sir John A Macdonald Cl
- L'Amoreaux Cl
- Pleasant View JHS
- Brian PS

- Cherokee PS
- Ernest PS
- Muirhead PS

We will be offering this meeting on:

• Monday, October 26, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. at Pleasant View JHS (175 Brian Dr., North York).

As you may be aware, this area has seen both significant over-enrolment and underenrolment in several schools. As well, the current program pathways for some students can be challenging and can lead to schools outside our community. A Local Feasibility Team (LFT) consisting of administrators from area schools, our local Trustee, and various central departments such as Planning, French Language, and Special Education has met regularly between January and March 2015 to discuss possible changes to help deal with these issues.

For your information, school closures are <u>not</u> being considered.

A Program Area Review Team (PART) with parent and TDSB representatives has been created to look at proposed solutions. This process is considering possible options and will provide opportunities for parents/guardians and community members to provide feedback and ask questions at the public meeting.

If you require an interpreter or childcare at the meeting, please call 416-394-7275 by Monday, October 19, 2015.

The information provided at this community meeting will be available on TDSB's website: <u>http://www.tdsb.on.ca/aboutus/strategyplanning/communityinvolvement.aspx</u> -- from the drop-down menu, select: Program Area Reviews -> Sir John A Macdonald CI Cluster PART. The meeting date and time could change. Please visit the website for the latest information or contact your school office.

Regards,

Beth Veale

Beth Veale Superintendent of Education ER18

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Ken Lister Trustee Ward 17

cc: Manna Wong, Trustee Ward 20

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French	Le présent document contient des renseignements importants. Veuillez le montrer à une personne qui comprend l'anglais écrit ouau bureau de votre école qui prendra les dispositions requises pour engager un interprète ou un traducteur.
Arabic	يتضمن هذا المستند معلومات هامة. برجاء الذهاب بها لشخص يمكنه قراءة اللغة الإنجليزية أو إلى مكتب إدارة المدرسة/ الكلية حتى يمكنه اتخاذ الترتيبات الخاصة بتوفير مترجم.
Greek	Το παρόν έγγραφο περιέχει σημαντικές πληροφορίες. Δώστε το σε κάποιον που διαβάζει και κατανοεί αγγλικά ή αποταθείτε στο γραφείο Διεύθυνσης του Σχολείου σας, το οποίο θα φροντίσει να σάς προσφέρει υπηρεσίες διερμηνείας ή μετάφρασης.
Mandarin (Simplified)	此文件含有重要资讯。请找一能阅读英文的人替你翻译或将文件带到你的学校办事 处以便他们能替你安排一口译员或翻译员。

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