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TO: SARVIS Sec - ATT: CHRIS WILLIAMS

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March 22, 1999

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Re: W. J. Mouat Secondary School - Drag Racing Program

Please be advised that at its meeting on October 2, 1995, the Board of School Trustees indicated their support for the Drag Racing Program at W. J. Mouat Secondary School, and continue to support the program as a worthwhile extra-curricular activity for students.

Sincerely,

Robin Arden, Ed. D.
Superintendent of Schools

School District No. 34 (Abbotsford)
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Public Committee of the Whole Meeting Notes
2 October 1995

Notes of the Public Committee of the Whole Meeting of the Board of School Trustees held at the School District Administration Building on Monday, October 2, 1995.

TRUSTEES IN ATTENDANCE: J. R. Sutherland Chair
P. W. Chamberlain
G. H. Fandrich
C. E. Goodfellow
B. L. Harris
J. G. Smith
D. J. Szostak

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE: R. Arden Superintendent of Schools
P. Brinton Assistant Superintendent
H. J. Finlayson Secretary-Treasurer
D. Cooney Director of Operations: Fin. & Admin.
N.A. Muhtadi Deputy Superintendent
J. Taylor Assistant Superintendent
P. Taylor Recording Secretary
Members of the Press and Public

1. Call To Order

Chairman Sutherland called the meeting to order at 4:35 p.m.

2. Approval of Agenda

The agenda was amended by deferring Item 5 - School Name Committee - to the next Committee of the Whole meeting, and the amended agenda was approved.

3. Delegation: Mr. Jim Perry, Principal, W.J. Mouat - High School Drag Racing

Mr. Perry introduced Mr. Richard Johnson, Automotive Technology instructor. Mr. Johnson gave a brief history of the W.J. Mouat Drag Racing Team and showed a video of the team. Trustees posed several questions to Mr. Johnson, and to students in attendance. Trustees indicated their support of this worthwhile program.

4. Housing of French Immersion Programs

Trustee Goodfellow introduced members of the committee which met to determine a site to house a second secondary French Immersion program.

Mrs. Helene Warner read the minutes (appended) of the Second Secondary French Immersion Site Meeting held 28 September 1995. Trustee Smith requested further information with regard to projected enrollment figures. Trustees agreed to debate the committee's recommendations which are as follows:

Recommended Motions

THAT the Board of School Trustees approve the housing of the Secondary French Immersion Program at W.J. Mouat Secondary until such time as the program would enroll a minimum of two classes (50 students) at the Grade 8 level at each of the sites at W.J. Mouat and Robert Bateman Secondary Schools; and

THAT the enrollment could be sustained to support two programs; and

THAT the second site would be a Grade 8-12 setting to facilitate resources and staffing, and the preferred site would be Robert Bateman Secondary, as Margaret Stenersen and Sandy Hill Elementary Schools are the natural feeder schools, therefore providing the program at a neighbourhood secondary school; and

THAT Late Immersion boundaries would minimize site

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4. Administrative Officer Exchange Program

Carol Johnson, principal at Abbotsford/Philip Sheffield Elementary School introduced her guest, Mr. Ian Craig, Director of Educational Services for North and Northwest Kent, England. Mr. Craig explained the exchange program which takes place during the first two weeks of Summer Break for Canadian administrators travelling to England. The participants are responsible for their flight expenses, and then are hosted by their sponsors in England. This would be a reciprocal arrangement.

Recommended Motion

THAT the Board of School Trustees approve in principle the exchange program for administrators between School District No. 34 (Abbotsford) and Kent County Education Council.

5. Move to Private Committee Meeting

Trustees moved into the Private Committee Meeting at 5:50 p.m.



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February 8, 2000

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Re: Career Technical Centre - Drag Racing Program

Please be advised that, at its meeting on February 7, 2000, the Board of School Trustees indicated its support for the Drag Racing Program at Career Technical Centre as a worthwhile extra-curricular activity for students.

Sincerely,

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April 20, 2000

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Re: Robert Bateman Secondary - Drag Racing Program

Please be advised that, at its meeting on April 17, 2000, the Board of School Trustees indicated its support for the Drag Racing Program at Robert Bateman Secondary School as a worthwhile extra-curricular activity for students.

Sincerely,

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February 20, 2001

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Re: Abbotsford Senior Secondary - School Motorsports Program

Please be advised that the Abbotsford School District supports the School Motorsports Racing Program at Abbotsford Senior Secondary as a worthwhile extra-curricular activity for students.

Sincerely,

Robin Arden, Ed. D.
Superintendent of Schools

March 9, 2001

To Whom It May Concern:

Subject: Mr. Dave Currie and Mr. Paul Tarasenko

Please be advised that both Mr. Dave Currie and Mr. Paul Tarasenko are co-sponsors of the Yale Race Car Team and they along with the teacher-sponsor, Mr. Dave Swansborough, are in a supervisory position with regards to the Yale students who are participating in the race car program from our school.

Sincerely,



Tony de Wit
Principal

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April 5, 2001

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Re: Yale Secondary - School Motorsports Program

Please be advised that the Abbotsford School District supports the School Motorsports Racing Program at Yale Secondary as a worthwhile extra-curricular activity for students.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Robin Arden'.

Robin Arden, Ed. D.
Superintendent of Schools