

May 14, 2015

Dear Parents,

As you know, an addition is planned for our school to construct 17 classrooms, plus 3 “half-size” special education spaces, to replace the 18 portables currently on the site. The addition will also include a new double gymnasium, library and administration offices. A new main entrance will be located off a new internal roadway running from Crossen Drive to St. Paschal Court. This roadway will remove bus loading and parent drop-off from the streets surrounding the school. Following completion of the addition, the portables will be removed and the playground will be redeveloped with additional trees and naturalized play areas.

The TCDSB is required by the City of Toronto to obtain Site Plan Approval. Site Plan Approval deals with such things as landscaping, location of buildings, location of garbage and garbage removal.

City Councillor for Ward 23, John Filion, has invited our immediate neighbours to a Community Consultation Meeting and as parents, you are invited to attend as well. The meeting will take place **Monday, May 25 at 7:00 p.m. in the Gymnasium at St. Paschal Baylon School.**

The project architect will be on hand to present the design and to answer questions, along with Toronto Catholic District School Board Facilities and Transportation staff and City Planning staff.

For more information you can also contact Catherine LeBlanc-Miller in the Councillor’s office at 416-395-0346 or cleblan3@toronto.ca

Yours truly,

Sally Rivers, Principal

Cc: John Shain, Superintendent of Learning, Student Achievement and Well-Being
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