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VERY IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING A POSSIBLE BUS STRIKE

Dear Parent(s) or Guardian(s),

You have received two emails from head office to keep you informed of the developments for the impending bus strike on May 15, which will take place unless there is a last minute negotiated settlement. Most SWLSB schools will be affected by the strike; nevertheless, we want to reassure you that McCaig will be open as usual on May 15th. However, we believe that it is important to be prepared for all possible scenarios as all schools could potentially be affected.

We have heard rumours that the CSN may try to disrupt service from other providers or there may be wildcat strikes by other service providers who are not in a legal strike position. This means we would not know in advance if they would disrupt services. There is also the scenario that they may transport students to school but not pick up students after school. There will be many unconfirmed rumours and countless scenarios. Please keep in mind that even if our school currently appears to be unaffected or our bus routes do not appear on the list, our school may still be affected by these wildcat strikes. **Please remain available to drive your children to and from school on May 15th, depending on the strike actions taken on that day.**

On May 15th, head office will be posting information as the day progresses on the:

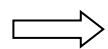
- SWLSB Facebook page
- Sir Wilfrid Laurier School Board mobile app
- SWLSB website

These are the best platforms to communicate important information to you quickly.

If you do drive your child (ren) to school, please do not drop them off without verifying that school is ready to receive them. You would see some visible signs that there is a problem: no cars in the parking lot, a picket line blocking entrance to the school etc. If you see that the school is closed or is being blocked, **do not drop off your child (ren)**. Keep them with you, as we will not be able to receive students under those circumstances or guarantee their safety.

If your child takes a bus to school, it is strongly suggested that you wait and confirm that the bus has picked up your child from the bus stop. This is a precautionary step to take in case of a last-minute disruption to the bus service.

If there are no disruptions at our school, we will be open as usual.



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Since our school has daycare services, we will be able to **accommodate the non-daycare user children** at no extra cost.

- Our daycare service opens at: 6:30 a.m.
- Our daycare service closes at: 6:00 p.m.

VERY IMPORTANT: On the morning of May 15th, you must come into the daycare (the front door of the school, closer to Rosemere, facing the bus parking lot) to officially sign in your child to ensure that we are aware your child is present at daycare.

We are working with head office to have the latest information available to you as we are made aware it.

We appreciate your cooperation and patience during this situation that is entirely out of our control.

Sincerely,

Richard Mason
Principal
McCaig Elementary