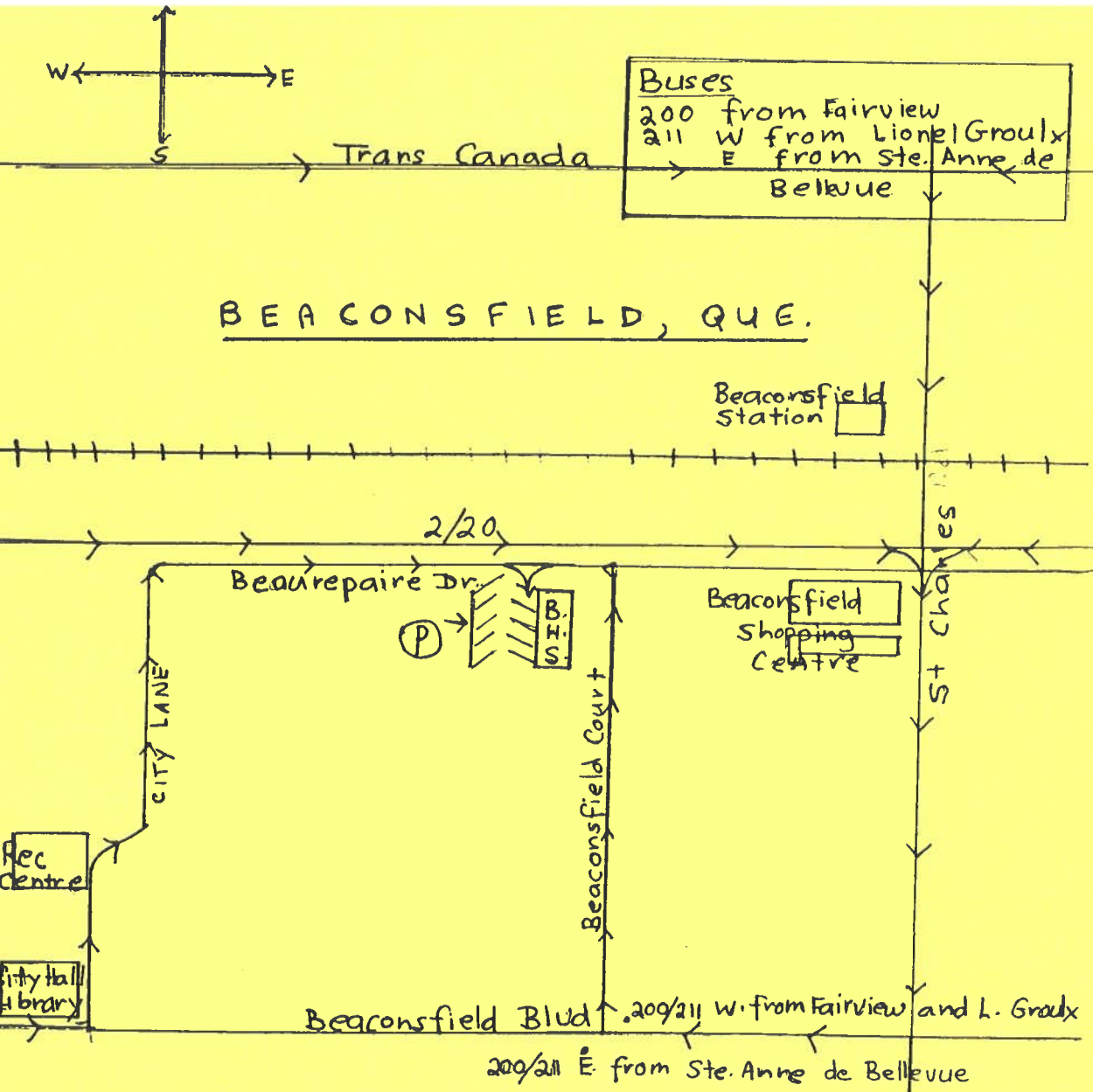


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 211 W from Lionel Groulx
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BEACONSFIELD, QUE.

Beaconsfield Station

Beaurepaire Dr.

(P)

B.H.S.

Beaconsfield Shopping Centre

St Charles Rd

Beaconsfield Court

Beaconsfield Blvd

200/211 W. from Fairview and L. Groulx
 200/211 E from Ste. Anne de Bellevue

exit from Trans Can. + 2/20 via St. Charles
 Take Beaconsfield Blvd. W. to Beaconsfield Court
 N. to Beaurepaire Dr.
 or
 Beaconsfield Blvd. to City Lane; N. to Beaurepaire Dr.

Directions to Beaconsfield High School (B.H.S.)

QUEBEC FEDERATION OF HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

Putting the Pieces Together



Home - School - Community A Partnership

*** 1989 FALL CONFERENCE ***

Saturday, October 21st, 1989

from 8:15 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

at

Beaconsfield High School
 84 Beaconsfield Court
 Beaconsfield

We encourage you to invite all interested parents in your school, as well as School Committee members, teachers, administrators, school board members and community leaders to attend our Fall Conference.

As it is necessary to provide adequate space for workshops and the luncheon, PLEASE REGISTER EARLY.

For additional information, please call the QFHSA office (514) 481-5619 or write QFHSA, 3285 Cavendish Blvd., #562, Montreal, H4B 2L9.

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1989

FALL CONFERENCE

PROGRAM

Saturday
October 21

8:15 - 9:00 REGISTRATION (coffee available)

9:00 - 9:15 OPENING REMARKS
Helen Koeppe, President, Quebec Federation of Home & School Assns.

9:15 - 12:00 PLENARY (timetable - see opposite page)
Literacy in the Information Age
Our Children - Their World - Their Future

There are two broad areas of concern for those of us who are committed to the well-being of children and youth.

- 1) Although we are living in the Information Age most of us have yet to come to terms with the realities it is imposing on society. The potential impact of this new technology is comparable to the revolution effected by the printing press five hundred years ago; the implications are far-reaching and profound. Already, in response, the meaning of the term 'literacy' is changing, becoming something beyond reading and writing that includes an understanding of science and technology - the engine of the modern age.
- 2) These changing technologies are placing severe strains upon society and its institutions. Of all who are affected, families and children are most vulnerable; the depressing increase in the incidence of child poverty in an age of technological advancement is cause for great concern.

What is the world our children will inherit?

MEMBERS OF THE PANEL

Chairman Sylvia Adams, Health professional, and Past President, Canadian Home & School and Parent-Teacher Federation (CHSPTF)

Panelists * M. Michel Décary, Business, Director-General, Canadian Federation of Independent Business (Québec sector)

* Dr. Norman Henchey, Educator, Administration and Policy Studies in Education, McGill University

* Dr. Gordon MacLachlin, Scientist, Dean, Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research, McGill University

* M. Pierre Belanger, Media researcher, Centre for Youth & Media Studies, University of Montreal

9:15 - 10:00 PLENARY - PART I
The Information Age and the New Technologies

The panel will focus on a recognition of what constitutes basic literacy today, in a world dominated by technology and the computer, concentrating on the social, economic, educational and cultural requirements in the information society.

10:30 - 11:00 NUTRITION BREAK - visit the displays.

10:30 - 11:00 PLENARY - PART II
Social Change and the Information Society

Considering the major transformations that are taking place in our structures, institutions and lifestyles as a result of the new information and communication technologies, how can communities create a 'literate' environment for children and youth? The social and economic costs are already mounting.

11:00 - 12:00 QUESTION PERIOD - audience participation.

12:00 - 1:30 LUNCH (included in registration fee) and DISPLAYS visit.

1:30 - 3:30 WORKSHOPS - Building Skills

- 1) Home & School: What's it all about?
Hone your leadership skills. Sell Home & School. Know the history, aims and goals. Share tips on recruiting an executive, planning activities, organizing meetings, establishing roles and responsibilities. Get ready for ACTION.
 - * Nancy Hope, President, Ecole Primaire Harwood Home & School Assn.
 - * Betty Shotton, President, Sunnyside Park H&S; Co-president, LRC
- 2) Volunteers are like Hallmark cards - they care enough to give the very best. Organizing volunteer activities means recruiting that 'special' person(s) for that 'special' task(s). HOW TO tap the talent in your school and your community for positive ACTION.
 - * Mary Jane de Koos, Library Co-ordinator, Valois Park Elementary School
 - * Judy Owen, President, Dunrae Gardens Home & School Assn.
- 3) The Big M's: Minutes and Money
Secretaries record MOTIONS for ACTION and Treasurers keep account of where the money is to help those actions HAPPEN. Learn creative ways to get those important jobs done - easily, efficiently and effectively!
 - * Gail Cooke, Secretary, Courtland Park [Dorval] Home & School Assn.
 - * Ingrid Vollmer, Treasurer, Willingdon Home & School
- 4) Promoting Parent Potential
HOW TO programs and activities to create a 'literate' environment with the home, the school and the community WORKING TOGETHER for children. A follow up to the morning plenary.
 - * Heather McBride, QFHSA Literacy Director - CHSPTF Literacy Project

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FALL CONFERENCE - SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1989

REGISTRATION FORM

Registration Fee: \$6.00 per delegate (includes lunch and breaks)

Registration DEADLINE: Monday, October 16th.

Please make your cheque payable to Quebec Federation of Home & School Associations, 3285 Cavendish Blvd., Suite 562, Montreal, H4B 2L9. Enclose cheque with registration form.

School Name (if applicable): _____

<u>Delegate's Name</u>	<u>Please indicate position held</u>
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Number of delegates planning to attend each workshop:

- 9:00 - 12:00 PLENARY SESSION
12:00 - 1:30 LUNCH (please indicate number staying)
1:30 - 3:30 WORKSHOPS
1) Home & School: What's it all about?
2) Volunteers
3) The Big M's: Minutes and Money
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