# What we heard at the Wye Elementary Replacement School Information Session–June 20, 2017

#### **Feedback**

- Will skating rink be moved on other side?(x2)
- Who made the decision of where the school will be?
- School should go in Foxboro.
- What is the cost difference to build the school on the north versus south side? (x2)
- Update website, re: playground, rink and ball diamond.
- Do not touch the south side of Heritage Drive, keep the trees!
- Build the school on the south side of Heritage Hills. (x6)
- Don't want to lose the green space. Beautiful mature subdivision, why here?
- Trees on the south side are just a shelter for parties. Lots of beer cans, etc. Take the trees out and the problem goes away and the school can be built there.
- This proposed site is too small for 650 students.
- Leave the amenities on site. (x6)
- Don't want a school in Heritage Hills.
- 27 years! Build the schools at the same time as the houses.
- Hillside Crescent is "low" land. Walkway was for water flow. If a school is built there, it will disturb grade for the 50-year rainfall.
- Will there be a new playground? Don't want to hear the bells going off.
- Concerns that Hillside Crescent will be a drop off or pick up zone. (x2)
- Clover Bar Road and Highland Drive lights need to be reprogrammed.
- Thrilled to have a new school in our neighborhood. (x3)
- Why was a decision made on a location without consultation?
- Politicians and common sense. Do they come together?
- What happened to the Park Plan of zolo on Strathcona County website?
- Ensure that the property is well kept and litter is managed.
- I am very upset that the ball diamond and hockey rink are going to be taken out. What a waste of taxpayers money and a loss for the children/residents of our community. Those amenities are used constantly. I don't understand why the south side of Heritage Drive was not considered.
- On builders subdivision plan for Foxboro/ridge school was identified to residents as a plus. Heritage Hills builders did not identify this as a future school site.

### Refer to Wye Elementary Replacement school FAQ's -Wye Elementary FAQ's

#### Ideas

- Balance "pretty" with functional. Maximize efficient use of space.
- Student garden.
- Mostly healthy food choices in vending machines.
- Open spaces for students.(x2)

- Design that allows repurpose when student's levels require students move to yet a newer school.
- Lots of natural light and windows.
- Water bottle refill stations.

## **School Features**

- Keep sand in the playground, kids play in it.
- Can parking be on south to keep green spaces for soccer? (x2)
- Keep all parking lots on the north side, same side as school, to avoid accidents when kids are crossing.
- Pull parent traffic off the road onto the school site. (x2)
- Places for buses that is off the road.
- Waste containers that hold the garbage so it does not blow onto the road.
- Nice entrance that looks good from the street.