



*“The direction in which education starts a man will determine his future life.”*  
*- Plato (427 BC – 327 BC) -*

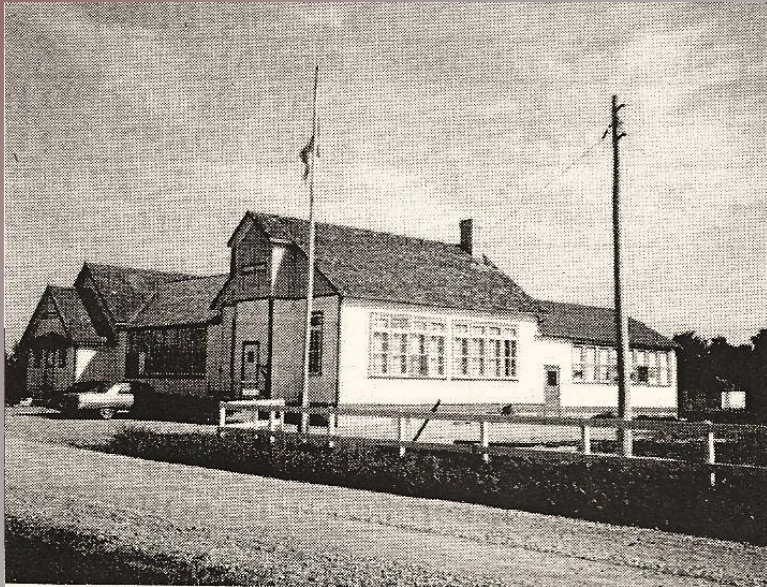
# Lockport School

LOCKPORT SCHOOL



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# *The Old Lockport School*

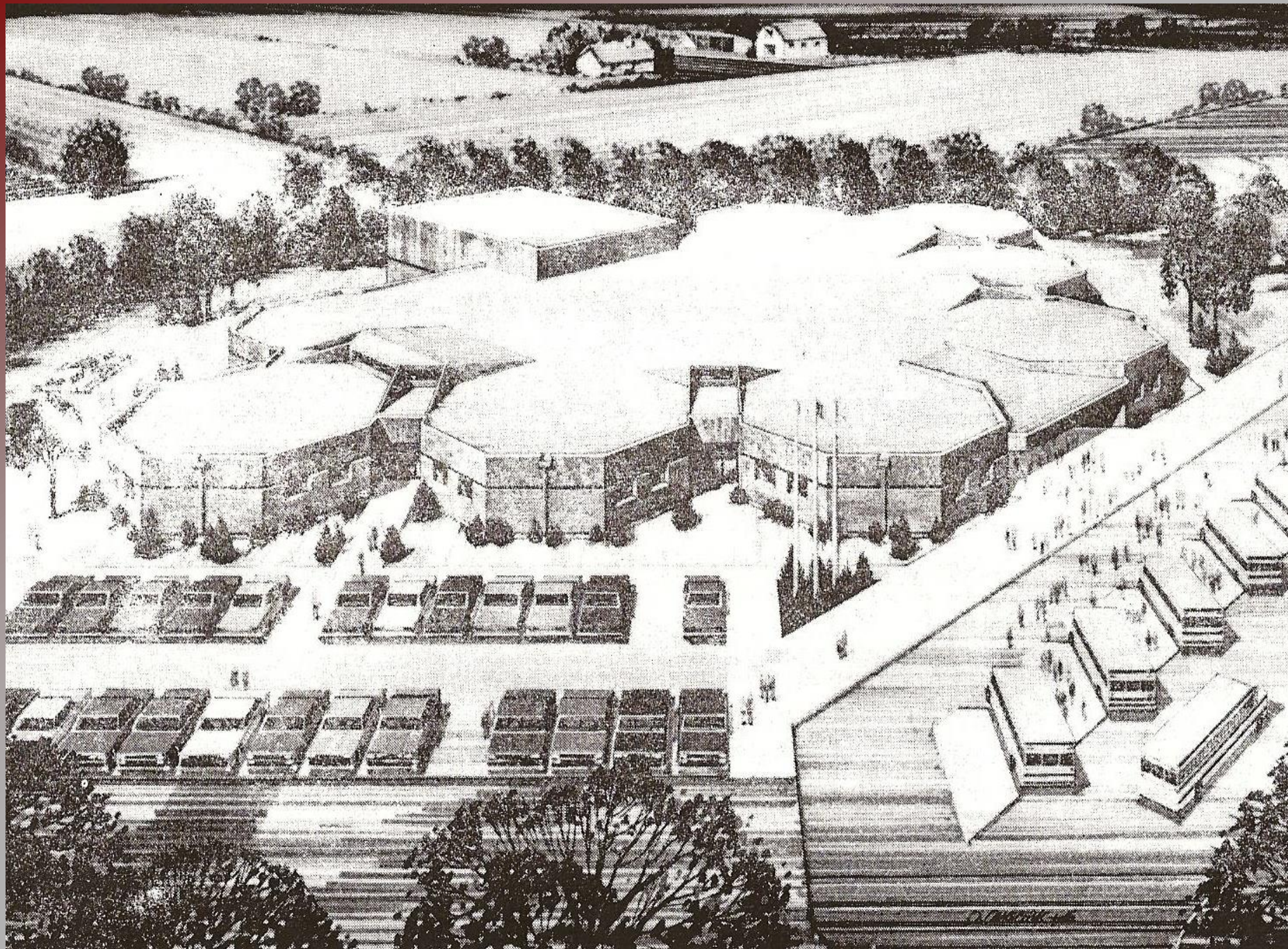


- Lockport School was originally an elementary.
- After being open for 60 years, the building was left vacant.
- There were only four teachers and one janitor.
- After the school closed, students were distributed to Mapleton and St. Andrews.
- Recently the building was adapted as a personal home.

# *The New Lockport School*

- A new junior high was built on a new lot.
- This new school was split into three houses called Fort Gary, Red River, and Lord Selkirk.
- 460 kids currently attend the Lockport Junior High which is for kids grade seven to nine.





# TAG

- Teacher Advisor Groups (TAG) were created to get people from all grades to know each other.
- TAGs consist of people from grades 7, 8, and 9.
- TAG groups meet for morning announcements and lunch.



# Sports

- Lockport school offers many sports teams to join such as:
  - Volleyball
  - Basketball
  - Badminton
  - Track and Field
  - Intramural sports at lunch



# Clubs

➤ Lockport offers a variety of clubs for students to join.

Some clubs are:

➤ Canoe Club

➤ Jazz Band

➤ Yearbook

➤ Art Club

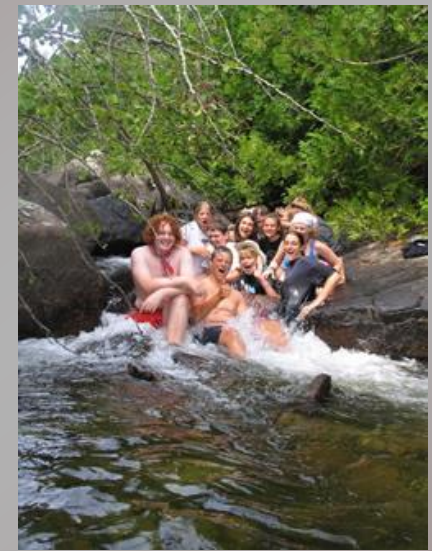
➤ Ski Club

➤ Travel Club

➤ And Drama Club that is currently working on a play to help raise money for War Child Canada







## *Canoe Club*

Mr. Blieske has been running these canoe trips for 30 years now. To date there has been over 200 students complete the program. The students and teachers help construct the cedar chip canoes that are used. Each student going on the trip is required to design and build a hardwood paddle or a laminated bench shaft. There are many lessons and training activities these adventurers have to go through to make sure they are ready for the big trip.

# Canoe Club Teachers

Mrs. Dyck



Mr. Blieske



Mr. Hamilton (right)



Ms. Inniss



# ***School Mission Statement***

“To provide a safe environment where students grow in self-discipline, knowledge, responsibility, and have fun learning, to their full potential.”

