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## PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

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### **Update on Delayed School Openings – Avalon North**

#### **St. Peter's Elementary, Upper Island Cove**

Parents are advised of the following arrangements for students of St. Peter's Elementary:

**Grades K-4** will be relocated to the Splash Centre (former St. Paul's Elementary), Harbour Grace as soon as the lower level renovations are completed (estimated time of one to two weeks)

**Grade 5** students will attend Harbour Grace Primary beginning on Wednesday, September 5, 2007.

**Grades 6-9** will attend Holy Redeemer Elementary, Spaniard's Bay beginning on Thursday, September 6, 2007.

*All students will attend the Splash Centre once all renovations are completed.*

#### **Cabot Academy, Western Bay**

Parents are advised of the following arrangements for students of Cabot Academy.

**Grades K-3** will attend classes at the Salvation Army Citadel, Lower Island Cove as soon as renovations are completed (estimated time of two weeks).

**Grades 4-6** will attend Tricon Elementary, Bay de Verde beginning on Thursday, September 6, 2007.

**Grades 7-9** will attend Persalvic Elementary, Victoria beginning on Thursday, September 6, 2007.

#### **NOTE:**

Bus schedules will be posted on the Eastern School District website: [www.esdnl.ca](http://www.esdnl.ca)

Details on lunch arrangements and bus schedules will also be provided by the schools' administration.

#### **Other Related Delayed Openings**

Parents are advised that Tricon Elementary, Persalvic Elementary and Holy Redeemer Elementary will have a one-day delayed opening. These schools will reopen on Thursday, September 6, 2007. This delay is necessary to prepare the receiving schools for the additional students. The Eastern School Board thanks all school council members, parents, students and staff for their cooperation and understanding during this difficult period.

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