

# Neil Campbell School 1956 - 1957

Built in 1956 at a cost of \$130,000.00

Opened on Monday November 19, 1956

Eight Rooms, containing grades 1-6 with a total of 246 students

Neil Campbell School Principal Marion Anderson's salary in 1956-1957 was \$4,265.00 per year; she was also the Grade Six teacher.

Original Neil Campbell Teachers in 1956-1957

Kathryn Harper, Grade One, 24 students, her salary was \$2,100.00 per year and the class began the year at Prince Edward School.

Elizabeth Loeffler, Grade One, 30 students, her salary was \$2,740.00 per year and the class began the year at Lord Wolseley School.

Nancy Wells, Grade Two, 32 students, her salary was \$2,440.00 per year and the class began the year at Prince Edward School.

Ada Allen, Grade Two, 33 students, her salary was \$3,725.00 per year and the class began the year at Prince Edward School.

Marion Schick, Grade Three, 35 students, her salary was \$2,820.00 per year and the class began the year at Lord Wolseley School.

Blanche Erickson, Grade Four, 24 students, her salary was \$2,440.00 per year and the class began the year at Lord Wolseley School.

Laura Asselstine, Grade Five, 37 students, her salary was \$3,665.00 per year and the class began the year at Prince Edward School.

Marion Anderson, Grade Six Teacher as well as Neil Campbell's Principal, 31 students, her salary for doing both jobs was \$4,265.00 per year and the class began at Lord Wolseley School

Four Classes began the school year with their teachers at Lord Wolseley School and moved to Neil Campbell on November 19, 1956. Four classes of students began the school year at Prince Edward School with their teachers and moved to Neil Campbell on November 19 as well. Due to overcrowding at both Lord Wolseley and Prince Edward, there were staggered hours in effect at these 2 schools until Neil Campbell opened. Lord Wolseley had more than 750 students prior to November 19 and Prince Edward in excess of 700 students.

The original catchment area was the 500 and 600 blocks from Neil Avenue north to the Rossmere Golf and Country Club. Students in Grades 1-4 living in the 400 block of Hazel dell, Linden, Greene and Roberta went to Lord Wolseley School for the entire school year. Grade 1-4 students living in the 400 block of Oakview, Dunrobin, Helmsdale and Melrose (Kimberly) went to Miles Mac for the entire school year. All grade 5 and 6 students living in the 400, 500 and 600 blocks from Neil Avenue north to Chelsea Avenue went to Neil Campbell School. All grade 5 and 6 students living in the 400, 500 and 600 blocks from Melrose (Kimberly) to Roberta went to Lord Wolseley School.