



August 2007

New Executive Director appointed!

I am very pleased to announce that Mr. Peter Buisman will be joining the Edmonton Society for Christian Education as our new Executive Director!

Peter, a familiar face to many of you, will be coming to us from a long career at Edmonton Christian High School.

There, over the past 18 years, he fulfilled a variety of administrative, instructional, counselling and curriculum development roles.



Peter brings many gifts to us – strategic planning, diplomacy and a knack for organization being but a few. But first and foremost, Peter is passionate about Christian education. Under his able administration, I am confident that our society and our school will vigorously pursue our vision, to the glory of God.

Please join me in welcoming Peter!

Rob Sinclair
Chairman of the Board
Edmonton Society for Christian Education

13th Annual Golf Tournament **Saturday, September 8**

Sandpiper Golf & Country Club

Space still available!
Use enclosed form to register

\$140 gets you:

- 18 holes
- BBQ and refreshments
- Dinner
- 4 chances at a \$10,000 Hole-in-One
- \$50 tax receipt

Registration forms available at:
www.edmchristian.net
Or call 408-7933

Shop Now & Save

Rebate cheques mailed:

- 270 participating families received rebates totaling \$21,000
- Largest cheque: \$350.00
- \$10,500 raised for our School
- \$3,500 raised for a needy school in a poor country

Blessings Christian Marketplace joins Shop Now & Save:

With four locations in Edmonton, *Blessings* is a great addition. Cards are available in \$25 and \$50 denominations.

Cineplex Admit One tickets are no longer available due to lack of a satisfactory discount. Sorry for the inconvenience.

Entertainment Books become available on August 27. Pre-order now using the enclosed form. We earn 50% per book!

A *Shop Now & Save* order form is attached. Forms are also available at www.edmchristian.net

Magazine Subscriptions will return this fall. We earn 35%! See the attached information sheet. Order forms will be available in September.

NORTHEAST CAMPUS RELOCATION TARGETED FOR NOVEMBER

"Through many dangers, toils, and snares, I have already come..."

(John Newton, 1779)

Though this line from "Amazing Grace" is really talking about much weightier matters, I can't help but think of it when I think of the NE project. We've endured the winter that started early and refused to quit, a "surprise" road ban, and even a deluge! At points it's been a little disheartening watching the schedule slip.

Well, I'm glad to say that we are getting closer and closer to the end, and it's looking really good! As you can see from the pictures, although there is a ways to go, things are well on their way. We are still working towards a November completion, and are encouraged by our progress. In fact, I'm happy to report that I just received word that we have just completed our last concrete pour; this is a major relief, as the road ban was making bringing concrete trucks on site very difficult.

So take courage, everyone – the end is in sight, and it will be worth the wait! Remember the next line of the song, and thank the Lord for his blessings now and to come:

"... 'Tis Grace hath brought me safe thus far, and Grace will lead me home."

Rob Sinclair



FRONT VIEW FEATURING THE MAIN ENTRANCE



SECONDARY ENTRANCE AT AUDITORIUM



VIEW OF AUDITORIUM FROM THE MAIN FOYER



SOME CLASSROOMS ARE ALMOST READY



GYMNASIUM LOOKING EAST



WEST CLASSROOM WING