

## What We Do:

**The responsibilities of the Society are different than those of other school parent boards:**

### **Budgeting for:**

- ❖ Staffing (determines class size)
- ❖ Space Allocation
  - eg: Science & Computer rooms,  
Resource Centre (Library)
- ❖ Facility
  - eg: Roof repairs, electrical upgrades,  
kindergarten room, new modular classrooms.
- ❖ Technology
  - eg: Laptops, SmartBoards.
- ❖ Curriculum Materials Purchasing
  - eg: New math, language, morale, religion texts and materials.
- ❖ Curriculum Enrichment
  - ie: music education, author/artist visits, special events, guided reading.
- ❖ Bussing
  - Door-to-door city-wide bus service.
- ❖ Library materials
  
- ❖ School Community Activities and Events
  - Pancake Breakfast, Halloween Dance, Play Day, Special Lunch Program...
- ❖ And much, much more...

### **Some recent Society decisions:**

- ✓ Shorter bus rides.
- ✓ SmartBoards for every classroom.
- ✓ Laptops for every teacher.
- ✓ New computer lab.
- ✓ New curriculum materials.
- ✓ Fire alarm system upgrading.
- ✓ Modular classroom purchase.
- ✓ New Resource Center.
- ✓ Risers for performances.

**Parent participation matters!**