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Secondary School Friday Field Trip (Day, Date)

(Venue)

We are inviting you to bring your students Missions Fest School Field Trip “*(Theme)*”, our Missions Fest theme for (Year). Hear first-hand accounts from people who will share what God is doing around the world.

Overview of the Day

- 9:00 – 9:30:** **Registration** (location). You will receive room assignments for each group of students. After registration proceed directly to the seminars of your choice.
- 9:40 – 10:40:** First Round of **Seminars**
- 10:40 – 10:55:** Break
- 10:55 – 11:55:** Second Round of **Seminars** (Repeat of first seminar to a new group of students)

***PLEASE DIVIDE your students evenly between the following four seminar options - two seminars for each student.**

Missions Fest is proud to present the following seminar speakers:

[Examples]

- 1) **Russell Stendal** (Room 1) – “*Operating Behind Enemy Lines*” In order to evangelize Marxist guerrillas in Colombia we had to learn how to operate in their territory. If you are going to stand for the Lord amidst this corrupt and ungodly world, you must learn how to operate as a Christian in enemy territory. Your life can make a difference!
Bio: Raised on the mission field in Colombia, he was nineteen when he became a jungle pilot. He was kidnapped by Marxist rebels and held hostage for five months. Deep in the jungle, Russell began to write his book, *Rescue the Captors*. Upon his release God led him into radio ministry. He recorded the entire Spanish Bible on a microchip unit, resulting in thousands of war-zone Colombians hearing the saving message of Jesus Christ.

- 2) **Karen Henriksen** (Room 8) – “*Sexuality and HIV in Angola*” Sexuality or madness! Sex or I die! Sex, not love! What do you believe? Cultural and spiritual factors that impact the sexuality of youth in Angola, Africa. What will it take to slow HIV transmission down? What can you and I do?
Bio: Karen is a Canadian doctor living in Lubango, Angola. She works among the Ovamuila people and is the director of the Rio de Huila Hospital. She works with a team of health workers who diagnose and treat HIV/AIDS, malaria, and tuberculosis patients. She is a dedicated and compassionate worker, often called “Mom,” and “Elder Sister” by those around her.

- 3) **Darryl Wright**(Room 11) Darryl Wright “*Youth Winning Their World For God*” Darryl will relate stories of young people winning their families, villages and tribes for Christ despite hardship and suffering.
Bio: Serves as VP of Latin American Ministries for WorldServe. Previously served as a church planter and missionary in Canada, Peru, Cuba and in more than 25 countries around the globe. Darryl lives with his wife and family in Abbotsford and oversees projects throughout Latin America.

- 4) **Gregory Young** (Room 19) “*Vocation: Choosing a Career that’s More than Just a Job*” – Panel Building God’s Kingdom requires service from people of all skills, experience and interests. We will explore how choosing your career path can impact not only your life but that of many, many

others for the Kingdom. You will be working for many years, why not make it exciting as well as fulfilling? Panel participants will explain their vocations and take questions.

Bio: Greg has a BA in Geography and an M. Arch in Architecture. He practiced architecture for 14 years but is now applying his skills and experience to full time missionary work. Today, as a project leader with Engineering Ministries International Canada, Greg leads teams of volunteer design professionals on short term trips to serve ministries throughout the developing world. He will lead a panel of people representing several different careers.

11:55 to 12:40 pm: Lunch break & Visit Mission Agencies

Lunch time (bring a bag lunch) in (room number) and visit over 200 mission agencies in Hall B.

12:40 – 2:00: Mission Rally will be held in (room name).

Music by the Watoto Children's Choir

Guest speaker **George Verwer**- "*Missions: A Sprint or Long Distance?*"

Bio: George was saved at the age of 16 at a Billy Graham crusade. In 1957 his conviction to share the Word of God led him and two friends to travel to Mexico to distribute the Gospel of John. He was kicked out of the Ukraine in the early sixties for distribution of Christian literature. Operation Mobilization was born from George's desire to impact the world, mobilizing and partnering with the church to do the task. He and his wife live in England. He travels around the world sharing his passion for vital, revolutionary Christianity.

2:00 pm: Dismissal

Participants in the field trip are invited to **contribute \$4.00** each toward the expenses of the conference. This should be submitted in the form of a cheque for the whole group and can be mailed to the Missions Fest office in advance or brought to the registration desk on (Date). Please make separate cheques for elementary and secondary schools.

At the beginning of (month), you will be sent more detailed information about the drop-off procedure, parking, registration and assigned room numbers.

School Resources and Features on Missions Fest weekend

- **Mission Books** designed for youth will be on display at (book seller). Great for your school library.
- **CD's and DVD's** can be ordered for your library featuring many great speakers.
- **Youth Programs** include **Youth Rallies** on Friday night, Saturday morning, afternoon and Saturday night, with special speakers and worship bands. Saturday afternoon there are youth **seminars**. On Sunday morning there is a **worship service** for youth and young adults.

Missions Fest (City) (address)

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