Physical education quality varies in schools

Several reasons for the schools get no specialists disparity were discussed so a regular classroom but it was concluded a teacher has to handle his lack of adequate or her own class in the facilities, such as gym- gym or outdoors, in most nasia, proper sports cases. equipment and even "Ideally, it would be useable playing fields, is nice to have one specialist keeping elementary for pys. ed., one for pupils from getting the science, one for music, well-rounded phys. ed. until you have one in each

instruction they need. program area of the The review committee, school and there are more which worked with specialists than there are Superintendent of School regular classroom Operations Walter teachers," said Mr. Willms, was composed Willms. "That's one of the of: Master Teacher Dave arguments I use in favor Kennett, Miss Sandra of larger schools - in a Strachan, Ed Griffith small school it's just not (principal of Baythorn possible to have those P.S.), Cliff Nuttall (phys. kinds of resources ed, teacher at Bayview because it has to live Secondary), Charles within a set of priorities. Seath (principal of Don A bigger school can allow Head S.S.) and John for more variance in Laughlin (principal of program and hence more Ballantrae P.S.).

While each member The committee will had a chance to speak to hear a final staff report the committee about his on phys. ed. programs the or her own section of the first week in July. It will review, Mr. Nuttall's likely go the full board at comments left little doubt the August meeting. facilities for phys. ed.

something we look at in poor ones. Mr. Nuttall our five-year capital claimed there is an expenditure forecast," abundance of excellent said Mr. Willms in an phys. ed. programs (sets interview afterwards.

board's priorities this Education documents like year was to review all our the Formative Years and phys. ed. programs with the Intermediate an emphasis on Guidelines. upgrading them where The York Board new schools where they ed across the Region. are needed."

said you could take any the courses, there are too program you want, at few with the space or the either the elementary or equipment to make them secondary level and once effective. The disparity you start comparing them lies in what they have within different schools, available to do and where you're bound to get dif- they can do it," said Mr. fering opinions.

In committee, Mr. All the secondary

room for specialists."

schools get The committee heard preferential treatment some elementary schools when it comes to have gyms with the same equipment, teachers and quality as high school gyms and others have "Any lack of facilities is either no facilities or very of course of study) as "It's true that one of the outlined in Ministry of

necessary. However, in currently has several the last couple of years task forces at work, inthere has been a lack of cluding a response to money for new facilities Ministry guidelines in and we have been con- general and a review of centrating on obtaining safety standards in phys.

Nuttall.

A lengthy presentation Nuttall explained there school gyms are in good Ministry did a review of examining seven broad

to the Program Com- are a minimum of four shape with the exception senior division phys. ed. categories of phys. ed. mittee shows the quality specialist teachers who of Newmarket High programs in 11 randomly activity, team and inof physical education are trained to teach such School, according to the selected schools across dividual activities get too programs offered to programs at all the high committee's findings. It the province. It found that much course time and York's elementary and schools in York Region. also reported equipment the health education parts outdoor education for all secondary students Because of staffing and budgets for these of phys. ed. programs are students and dance for restrictions, elementary schools are excellent. generally under-emph-males, receive too little dations and 17 per cent Last January, the asized. It also found, after instruction time.

However, it concluded that 77 per cent of the sampled programs follow most or all of the Ministry guideline's recommenfollow some of them.

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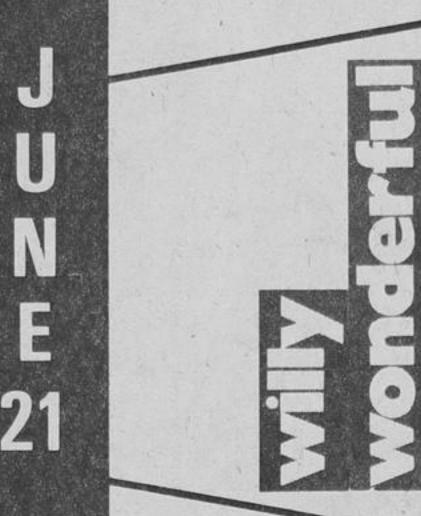
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