



Roy Bickell Public School Council

Minutes

January 31, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. in Information Room

Call to Order

Meeting is called to order at 6:07p.m. In Attendance: Tracey Mark, Gerry-Lynn McCann, Andre Ouellette, Jared Cleland, Abbey Cleland, Corey Blom. In Attendance via zoom: Erin McNamar, Danielle Charlton, Aida Alayon

Welcome and Introductions

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Approval of Minutes of Last Meeting

1. Review minutes of previous meetings
2. Approval of December Minutes – To be approved at next meeting (March 13th, 2024)

Reports

Chair Report – Jared Cleland

- Board Meeting Highlights (handout provided): Information on GPPSD website relating to presentations on the topics on supporting students with ADHD & Anxiety
- Council of School Council Meeting: This month was cancelled due to not enough participants.
- Playground: Present Playground Options Forward Motion to pass plans for the playground

Trustee Report – Andre Ouellette

- Met with NMP President to go over where the focus on the school is and keeping in contact with local high schools and finding ways to keep students enrolled locally and trying to keep them in the community.
- AHS presentations on supporting students with ADHD & Anxiety-more info found on the GPPSD website.
- Kindergarten 2024/2025 advertising will be starting February 4th with pre-population of online forms on February 28th, online registration will open March 11, 2024.
- New website has been launched- exciting new feature on the language tab you can select from multiple languages, it will then translate the website into preferred language.
- Jan 23rd the Board approved the draft for the 2024/2025 school calendar
- Jan 25th was the school assurance meeting where the board met with principals & vice principals of 6 schools at a time to discuss what each school was doing and what their goals were, 12/18 schools have been met with the other 6 to be completed in February. 11
- Municipal Elections for 2025 reached out to school boards asking for information regarding Trustees political affiliations, a letter was sent to MLA in the area as well as the Education Minister stating that it was not agreed upon that this information is relevant.

Principal Report – Tracey Mark

- See Attached

Business

Unfinished Business for Decisions and Action

New Business

Next Meeting Date, Adjournment

1. Meeting is adjourned at 6:48pm
2. Next Meeting Date is March 13, 2024 6:00pm

Thank you