

SAC Meeting		April 20, 2023
Members in Attendance:		
Joanna Flemming	Jarrett Feeney	Sara Bonin
Rhonda McLean	Natasha Fletcher	Trisha Estabrooks
Wassim Mohamed	Natalia Diaz	Jill MacLean
Susan MacKay		
Meeting Commenced: 11:45am		
Topic	Information	Follow-up
Student Council	<p>Student Wellness Day- April 27. Students will participate in a variety of wellness activities throughout the day.</p> <p>Grade 9 Grad, Harbour Queen Boat Cruise instead of dance.</p> <p>Bayside day for Grade 9's.</p> <p>Spring Fundraiser ideas: Dodgeball tournament \$2 to play, pie the teachers in the face. Looking into it as a service project.</p> <p>Things have been getting better with regard to behaviour around the school. The comments are typically put down, some take it as a joke but it can be hurtful.</p>	More information to follow.
Principals Report	<p>We won the banner for boys basketball for the first time since 2010 ending a perfect season.</p> <p>Student of the Month: David Johnston was selected for the month of March.</p> <p>HRM Citizenship Award: Madeline Campbell</p> <p>Hold and Secure: Correspondence from the community received some feedback to improve future practice. Recommendation to</p>	N/A

	<p>time stamp any messages from a hold and secure.</p> <p>Math data: Continuing to do grade 8 math achievement. In February there were 22 students not meeting expectations, it is now down to 19 (3 ANS students).</p> <p>We received a grant for 30 days of math support which was picked up by Paul Carreiro.</p> <p>Enrolment: 343 current, projection for next year is 360 which will allow for an extra grade 7 classroom.</p> <p>Breakfast Program: We have received additional funding from a PD for this. We have started more grab and go options and will be receiving a conveyor toaster.</p> <p>Reclaiming the walls: Two new murals, one designed by ANS students and another by Indigenous students.</p> <p>April 13: 704 viewed a story of Newcomers in Canada at Pier 21.</p> <p>Service Projects: Explored community needs in grade 8, bake sales etc. Allowed students to complete service learning.</p> <p>Guys work: Concluded at the end of March. It was provided to grade 7 students that we felt had need, which has helped reduce the number of disruptions.</p> <p>Techsploration: Students attended CFB Shearwater and</p>	
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	<p>learned more about avionics, aerospace, etc.</p> <p>Y Mind: 7 week mental health program to help support students with mild to moderate anxiety. 12 students are participating between grade 8 and grade 9.</p> <p>Student Success Survey: Currently being completed, results will be available in the fall.</p> <p>RWM8: ELA May 24 and 25, Math June 1 and 2.</p>	
Parents Night Out	<p>Parents night out is taking place on Saturday April 22. There are approximately 70 tickets sold. There are also approximately (35-40) of auction items that will be available to bid on. Wendy MacIsaac and Brennan MacDonald will be performing as a donation of their time.</p>	Hope to see everyone out there!
Finances	<p>Sports fees: used to pay for facility rentals, referees, etc.</p> <p>A discussion of different possible fundraises, rafflebox, walk-a-thon, dance-a-thon etc.</p>	Future fundraisers should be brainstormed.
Grade 9 Closing	<p>Grad Ceremony: Wednesday June 28 AM</p> <p>Boat Cruise: Thursday June 29, 6-8PM Harbour Queen</p> <p>Bayside:</p>	More details to follow: Theme, etc.
Grade 6 and Grade 9 Orientation	More information to follow (dates).	Dates will be provided as they are made available.
Incident Follow-up	There are confidentiality issues surrounding communication, typically we address it with those directly impacted.	N/A

	We try to be as transparent as we can with the students, but often times the students know as much or more than we do.	
CYCP	We now have a 100% Child and Youth Care Practitioner which is a new position this year. We have 3 Schools Plus staff, two of which are shared and one is full time.	
Safety on Mumford	We haven't had much of an update; we are still waiting on Shawn Cleary since the meeting. There now flashing lights on the crosswalks by the rotary.	Natalia is going to reach out to Shawn Cleary to obtain an update.
Next Meeting	Thursday June 8, 11:45am	
Meeting Adjourned: 12:38pm		