



**Date: Wednesday, March 6, 2024**

**Time: 6:30 pm**

**Present:**

Michelle Bacon (Principal)  
Darlene Flett (Vice Principal)  
Brie Hirshberg (Co-Chair)  
Sarah Chan (Co-Chair)  
Amber Carriere (Treasurer)  
Lisa Hunt (Secretary)  
Cheryl Bayer (Member at Large)  
Jenelle Gagné (Member at Large)  
Angie Lafantaisie (Member at Large)  
Shauna Krawchuk (Mbr at Large)  
Karli Peters (Member at Large)  
Shawna Fagundes-(Mbr at Large)  
Kelly Pedrick (Member at Large)

**Absent:**

Laura Chatelain (Member at Large)  
Liz Montgomery (Member at Large)  
Michelle Adolph (Member at Large)  
Cheryl Gervais (Member at Large)

**Guests:**

Janine LeBlanc  
Rachelle Tam

<u>Item</u>	<u>Discussion</u>
<b>1. Call to Order</b>	
	Brie called the meeting to order at 6:40 pm
<b>2. Approval of Agenda</b>	
	Cheryl B. moved to approve the agenda. Angie seconded. -Jenelle going to talk about Sign up com -Reminder about wind up -Intentions for next year at the end
<b>3. Approval of the Previous Meeting Minutes (February 7, 2024)</b>	
	Angie moved to approve the previous meeting minutes. Shauna F. seconded.
<b>4. School Report (Michelle)</b>	
	<b>ENROLMENT</b> Our current enrolment is 444 students. Current class sizes are presented in the table below. Kindergarten AM 20, Kindergarten AM 19, Kindergarten PM 17, Grade 1 16, Grade 1 15, Grade 1 19 Grade 2/3 22, Grade 2/3 22, Grade 2/3 22, Grade 2/3 21, Grade 2/3 21, Grade 4 21, Grade 4 20, Grade 5/6 21, Grade 5/6 21, Grade 5/6 20, Grade 5/6 21, Grade 5/6 22, Grade 7/8 28, Grade 7/8 27, Grade 7/8 29

## **STAFFING UPDATE**

Darlene Flett has announced her retirement on June 30, 2024. Darlene has had many different roles in Education over the past 35 years. Her leadership helping school teams has positively impacted many students. Ecole Van Belleghem staff and students wish her well on her next chapter. Michelle is crying still!

Mme Charlotte Blahut is currently replacing Prof Holli until the spring break. Mme Chantal Boulet (our current teacher candidate) will be replacing as of April 1, 2024, until June 30, 2024.

Mme Monique Bourrier is replacing Mme Roxanne Lacroix until spring break. Mme Hailey Scott will be replacing as of April 1, 2024, until June 30, 2024.

We have hired Mme Hailey Betker (our current teacher candidate) to replace Mme Amy Vandal as of May 24, 2023.

## **WHAT IS HAPPENING?**

Grade 8 Parent Farewell committee are in planning stages. They will be fundraising at Portfolio Night with a Bake Sale. Grade 8 students are submitting their course selections for Grade 9 this week.

Kindergarten`s registration is coming in. Please encourage families to register at their home school.

Continuation of longitude study of Grade 1 students from the University of Manitoba will begin March 11 through April 5<sup>th</sup>.

Our school was selected for the Health Canada Student Alcohol and Drugs Survey (CSADS) for all Grade 7 and 8 students. The survey will be online on March 13, 2024.

We will be hosting a Canadian Citizenship Ceremony March 18, 2024 for International Francophonie Day. Our intermediate choir will be singing O`Canada, Elder Chickadee will be offering the blessing, Grade 7 and 8 students will be ambassadors and we are hoping to stream in all the classrooms.

Reports cards will be posted March 14 and Portfolio conferences will be on the evening of March 21, 2024.

This year`s Spring Concerts will take place on April 16th, 17th, and 18th, 2024. Students in the following classes will be performing on:

	<p>April 16th : M. Donald Sorin, Mme Lizanne Hombach et Mme Chantal Boulet (Concerts at 10:00 am and 6:30 pm)</p> <p>April 17th : Mme Carol Suggitt (PM class), Mme Roxanne Lacroix/Mme Hailey Scott, Mme Amy Vandal, Mme Dominique Poirier, Mme Kylie Marana, Mme Courtney Mazurkiewich, Mme Evelyn Tugby, Mme Karen McColm, Mme Louise Saurette (Concerts at 1:30 pm and 6:30 pm)</p> <p>April 18th : Mme Carol Suggitt (AM class), Keegan Collett (AM class), Mme Danika Bourrier, Mme Geneviève Latouche, Mme Christine Solomon, Mme Djahida Tir, Mme Janet Young, Mme Joanne Girouard, Mme Bromlei Daley (Concerts at 10:00 am and 6:30 pm)</p> <p>A successful Basketball season has ended for all Grade 7 and 8 students. Badminton will be next.</p> <p>Folk Dance in the Park will be on Friday May 31 with a rain date of June 4.</p>
<b>5</b>	<b>Treasurer Report (Amber)</b>
	<p><b>Bank Account as of March 5, 2024</b>                      <b>\$21,472.80</b></p> <p>   <b>\$19,147.43</b> after Mr. Perogie/Colibri and Munch a Lunch have been paid</p> <p>All Annual Expenses haven't been paid yet so there is still an anticipated \$5,568.31 that will be needed by the end of the year.</p>
<b>6</b>	<b>Spring Concert Raffle (Laura)</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Laura has organized the raffle for best seats in the house for the Spring Concert</li> <li>-Tickets will be \$1.00 each</li> <li>-3 raffles, one for each night</li> <li>-They will be made available to purchase from PAC, the office and the portfolio night</li> <li>-Laura has applied for a raffle license and made a poster to advertise.</li> <li>-Thank you Laura for doing all of this!</li> </ul>
<b>7</b>	<b>Active Bingo (Shawna F.)</b>
	<p>-Shawna created in full detail the pros and cons of having the active bingo as a fundraiser. It was determined after that it would not be a huge money maker and would be more work than it is worth and the idea of just having it as a community event was well received by the PAC. Amber suggested as an idea to sell the bingo cards for \$20 to whomever would like to participate. Once lines or cards are completed than it can be handed in and the child can have their name put into a draw to win a gift card.</p> <p>The idea was tabled to May or June to determine how much fundraising money is needed after the plant sale and others.</p> <p>-Glenlea Spring Plant Fundraiser is live. You can place orders online. There is already \$628 in 5 orders. We will receive 25% in profit if there is over 3,000 in orders.</p>

8	<p><b>Climbing Wall Update (Brie and Sarah)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Canada 150 Grant is a no go</li> <li>-Canada Post Grant has been applied for but we will not find out if we will receive it until summer.</li> <li>-Climbing Wall has gone up in price \$900 in addition</li> <li>-50% deposit to hold the cost</li> </ul> <p><b>JEM Insurance</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-They will advertise for our climbing wall in their southdale office</li> <li>-Will accept monetary donations from our school community</li> <li>-Whatever they collect they will match the amount. He was also going to reach out to another business to see if they would also match.</li> <li>-Michelle to add to the weekly update and a poster will be made to notify families</li> </ul>
9	<p><b>Sign Up. Com (Jenelle)</b></p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-User friendly</li> <li>-Not a lot of updates or emails that are sent</li> <li>-Jenelle created a separate email that will be sent out to the entire PAC if anyone needs to update or require volunteers for an event</li> <li>-Lots of new families came to the pancake breakfast to volunteer</li> </ul> <p><b>Munch a Lunch Dates:</b>  April 19-Dominoes  May 24-Freshii  June 18-Frozen Yogurt Day  June 21-Hotdog Day</p>
8	<p><b>Adjournment:</b></p>
	<p><b>Meeting Adjourned at 7:50 pm</b>  <b>Next meeting: Wednesday April 3, 2024 @ 6:30 in EVB Library</b></p>
	<p>These minutes were recorded by Lisa Hunt. Please report errors or omissions immediately.</p>



