**Administration Report – March 2019**

**Divisional Updates**

* Budget Meetings in February with a new budget passed
* Draft of Vision and Mission Statement
* New positions in Administration in schools based on retirements – stay tuned

**School Based Update (Twitter - @wpcLRSD)**

* **After Spring Break, all report cards will be on-line – we are going paperless!**
* Indigenous Youth Leadership Feast at Board Office, March 20th
* Registrations completed for 2019-2020
* Social Justice Group delivered donated books to Children’s Hospital Foundation through our local Fire Hall
* Ultimate Frisbee and Rugby are starting up as Spring sports; as well as Badminton
* Winter Wellness has its last session on Thursday, March 21st – great support from staff
* Thanks to PAC for a great Staff Appreciation – the treats were delicious
* Hip Hop Dance Session hosted on Take Care Tuesday this month
* Frontenac School hosted their Invitational Basketball Tournament here early March
* Planning underway for transition activities for Gr. 7 & 8s in early June
* New Staff Member to welcome – Jenni Stevenson is our new Library Technician replacing Marie Kopp who is now with Marion School and LRSD Indigenous Group
* Hosted Provincial Grade 9 Basketball Finals in our gym – our Gr. 9 Boys received a spot as the host team – Sports Council and Safe Grad students are helping out at the door and canteen

**Grade-Based or Program-Based Updates**

* Safe Grad Parents trying to fundraise for Safe Grad Party – would love lots of help!
* Grad Photos occurred and retakes on April 1st, 2nd
* Our Band & Guitar Programs are heading out in early May to Edmonton and Jasper for concerts and clinics
* Our PE students completed circuit training to show their physical literacy in teams and individually
* Our Grade 9s are working on an Astronomy Inquiry Project
* Our Grade 10s Career Symposium Field Trip to cap off their IKEA PBL
* Our Grade 12s visited the Manitoba Law Courts this week
* Our Co-Op students participated in a water simulation challenge at the Bistro; what it would be like to live on First Nations Reserves without access to clean or running water
* Our MCEP students are working on their next practicum at Pan Am Clinic
* Our CIP students attended the State of City Address with Mayor Bowman at a luncheon & have been involved in our Junior Achievement project of “Stand By Me” – a shelf that holds a variety of personal material and all proceeds go to Habitat for Humanity of Manitoba