

PARENT INVOLVEMENT COMMITTEE NOTES

November 23, 2022 Virtual: Microsoft Teams

ATTENDANCE

Members

DJ Laprise, Christ the King Catholic School
Felicia Ceccacci-Smids, Georges P Vanier Catholic School
Jacqueline Rowe, Holy Family Catholic School
Krystal Jacques, Holy Trinity Catholic School
Amanda Fernette, Monsignor Uyen Catholic School
Jordan Lane, Sacred Heart Catholic School, Port Lambton
Jenn Stewart, Sacred Heart Catholic School, Sarnia
Daniel Belanger, St. Angela Merici Catholic School
Christine Thompson, St. Elizabeth Catholic School
Jane Pilkey, St. Matthew Catholic School
Dezarae Kemp, St. Michael Catholic School, Ridgetown
Karen Theriault, St. Peter Canisius Catholic School
Laurel Pickel, St. Philip Catholic School
Sabrina Treftlin, St. Patrick's Catholic High School
Tressa Brown, St. Patrick's Catholic High School

Trustees, Administration & Staff

Chris Kehoe Daniela Mezzatesta Michael Giroux Ken Ross Robert Walicki Chris St. Amand Payton Jacklin David Argenti

Chair: Tressa Brown

Recording Secretary: Josselynne Segeren

1. Welcome

Chris called the meeting to order. He welcomed everyone and thanked the parents for joining our virtual PIC meeting.

2. Land Acknowledgement & Opening Prayer

Chris Kehoe led the Land Acknowledgement and Michael Giroux led the opening prayer.

3. Approval of Meeting Notes - Tressa Brown

Motion: (DJ Laprise, Karen Theriault) That the meeting notes for the Parent Involvement Committee meeting of Wednesday, October 20, 2022, be approved.





4. Approval of Meeting Agenda - Tressa Brown

Motion: (Jordan Lane, Christine Thompson) That the meeting agenda for the Parent Involvement Committee meeting of Wednesday, November 23, 2022, be approved.

5. Travel for Credit

Robert Walicki presented the travel for credit courses that are available for high school students to register for this coming summer 2023. He discussed the process of information sessions, how to register, and the format of the courses. He shared the website with families to get more information.

6. Outdoor Education and Experiential Learning

Chris St. Amand shared his role and involvement with Experiential Learning and Outdoor Education. He shared the various experiences that have been taking place K-12 starting the spring of 2022 and including planned experiences this year. He presented photos and videos of our students participating in experiences. He also shared their feedback. Chris described how experiences took place virtually in the winter/spring due to local restrictions, and have transitioned to in-person experiences that have been taking place this fall. He shared the many community partners that have been participating in delivering opportunities for our students.

7. eLearning

Payton Jacklin discussed how PPM 167 from the Ministry of Education affects all our students. He explained that students currently in Grade 11 or 12 are required to take one e-learning course to graduate. All other students who are grade 10 and younger, they are required to take two e-learning credits. Payton shared the courses that are offered by our teachers through our board, and also shared how students can participate in e-learning across the province through the Ontario e-Learning Consortium.

8. Thought Exchange

Ken Ross presented a new Thought Exchange to parents. The question in the exchange is related to the SCCDSB website.

9. Closing Prayer

Daniela Mezzatesta led the closing prayer.

10.Adjournment

Chris Kehoe adjourned the meeting at 8:03 p.m.