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Sir Robert Borden

School Advisory Council Meeting Minutes

Monday January 15th 2024

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# Attendees

Don Reardon, *Acting* *Principal*

Adrianne Power, *Vice Principal*

Sarah Hill, *Teacher*

Melissa Wamboldt, *Teacher*

Sam Bachmann, *Parent & SAC Chair*

Tara Tanton, *Parent*

Anabel Kimemenihian, *Parent*

Madison Clarke, *Student*

Mohammed Al Mahbir, *Student*

David Tanton, *Student*

## Meeting called to order - 5:30pm

Approval of Agenda

Introduction of members

# Business Arising from the Minutes

* School has started with orders on Healthy Hunger. Dominoes currently is available to pre-order with a Monday delivery date. Will be looking into adding more restaurants in the future.

# Vice Principal’s Report

* Basketball Season has officially started with both Girls’ and Boys’ teams playing home games this week.
* Fun student activities took place before the Holiday Break. Spirit Week, Pizza Lunch, as well as afternoon dance with cookies and hot chocolate.
* RBC volunteers assisted with our Breakfast Program in December to make parfaits. They will also be providing a donation to our school.

# Principal’s Report

* Update on Grade 8 Math Data - currently 6 students not meeting. Focus has been on small group instruction. Math Support Teacher has just completed her block but will be returning in a few weeks.
* The open staffing position was filled in November by Manmeet Oberoi. As there were no qualified French Immersion candidates - this position will be taught in English.
* Student Groups. Guys’ Work & Girls’ Group have been started for the grade 9s. This is coming from last year’s training from Moe Green. Students attend every second week and it has been very well received. Madison spoke highly of her experiences and would like the opportunity to share this with younger grades.
* Equity Work. The Equity team will be holding workshops with our grade 7 and 8 students around “The Big 4” in the Code of Conduct. Will also be addressing how to respond to Attack on Identity and creating common language for dealing with these issues. The grade 9s will be receiving a refresher presentation as they have had this previously in Grade 7. The Grade 7s and 8s will participate in half day workshops and targeted instruction.

**Upcoming Dates**

* Monday February 19th - No Classes

# New Business for Next Meeting

* SAC members to bring ideas to the next meeting on how to spend SAC money

**Next Meeting**

Monday February 12th 5:30pm