



Walter and Gladys Hill School Council

Tuesday, April 27th, 2021

Meeting Minutes

Present: Freya Fourny (Chair), Tiffany Lavechia (Secretary), Shannon Smith (Parent Council Advisor), Janet Pardy (Director at Large), Kriscinda Maki (Director at Large), Elena Gould (Director at Large), Mr. Toner (Principal), Mr. Skulsky (Vice Principal), Ms. Giroux (Vice Principal) Sepi Samimi, Andrea Hall

Freya “I want to acknowledge that we are meeting on Treaty 8 territory and we honour and acknowledge all of the First Nations, Métis and Inuit peoples who have lived, traveled and gathered on these lands for thousands of years”

1. Meeting called to order at 6:35pm by Freya
2. Review Agenda
3. Motion to approve March 30th minutes by Freya second by Janet
4. **Principal Report:**
 - Grades k-7 were announced to move to online learning on Sunday, April 25th, 2021
 - The week prior to this announcement, covid cases started to roll into the school
 - The first grade that moved to online learning began with ECDP, followed by Grade 4 and then Grade 5/6
 - Administration at Walter Gladys School put forward a request to the District on Friday, April 23rd, 2021 to have the school move to online learning for a 2-week period
 - Sunday, April 25th, 2021 The Health Minister and Premier announced all FMPSD and FMCS D would be moving to online learning beginning Monday, April 26th, 2021 to Friday, May 7th, 2021-with students returning to in class on Monday, May 10th, 2021

- Parents have requested to be advised if the return date changes, with more notice than what was given with this past school closure
- There were 132 pieces of technology sent out to students to accommodate online learning
- School photos were originally scheduled for May 13th. They will be rescheduled with a date to be announced at a later time
- FMPSD has concluded they will not be adopting the new test curriculum for the 2021/2022 school year

5. Inclusive Playground:

- The RMWB Parks has exceeded its years budget, leaving the option for the inclusive playground to be tabled until 2022

6. Student Graduation (Kindergarten and Grade 6):

- Graduation for both will likely be similar to last year
- A drive by graduation with chairs and a slideshow

7. ASCA:

- ASCA was held as a day conference to which Freya attended for over 9 hours
- Freya attended long enough to make sure our votes were carried for the Resolution Package

8. Meeting adjourned at 7:13pm by Freya

Meeting Minutes Completed by: Tiffany Lavechia

Minutes approved by: Freya Fourny
