
SPECIAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

Thursday, November 19, 2020
BOARDROOM/VIRTUAL

Google Meet Link: <https://meet.google.com/qmm-omus-tw?authuser=0>

6:30 P.M. – 9:00 P.M.

Chairperson: Arlene Godby

Vice-chairperson: Melissa Gillespie

TRUSTEES/MEMBERS WHO ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND THE MEETING ARE ASKED TO PLEASE NOTIFY ALEXA PURVES, (705) 748-4861 ext. 1213
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A. Call to Order:

1. Opening Prayer: Arlene Godby
2. Land Acknowledgment: Arlene Godby
As we continue to learn together in these exceptional circumstances, I (we) would like to acknowledge, as we do at school, that this land on which we live and learn daily, is the traditional territory of the Michi Saagig (Mississauga) Anishnaabe. All of PVNC Catholic District School Board lies within the Williams Treaty territory and we are all Treaty people. We offer our gratitude to the First Peoples of this land who continue to care for, and share their teachings about, our earth and our relations. May we honour those teachings.
3. Motion to Approve Agenda
4. Declarations of Conflicts of Interest
5. Motion for Excusal from Attendance
R.A. That, _____ be excused from attendance at the October 15, 2020 Special Education Advisory Committee meeting.
6. Motion for Approval of the Minutes of the Sept 17, 2020 and October 15, 2020 Meeting.
7. Business Arising from the Minutes:

B. Recommended Actions/Presentations:

1. Remarks: Chairperson (Arlene Godby)
2. Remarks: Superintendent of Learning (*Laurie Corrigan, Superintendent of Learning/ Special Education*)
3. Update from Trustees:

C. Discussion Items:

A. SEAC Meeting Presentations

1. Be Well Strategy Review, Jenifer Angelo and Mandy Hamu
2. Equity, Anti-Racism, Anti-discrimination with Steve O'Sullivan and Donna Goheen

From Presentations:

- i. What are the key learnings from the presentation?
- ii. What do parents need to know?
- iii. What options exist to get this information to parents?
- iv. How Can SEAC support parents in the process?
- v. What can your associations/organizations add specifically to the learning today if any?

B. Information Items:

1. Reports from SEAC Committee Members:
 - i. None were submitted this month

A. Old Business:

B. New Business:

G. Next Meeting:

1. 2020-2021 Meeting Dates:

Thursday, January 14, 2021 – Transitions Elementary to Secondary and Post-Secondary

Thursday, February 18, 2021 – School and Community Collaboration

Thursday, March 25, 2021 – Mental Health Strategies and Support for Students

Thursday, April 29, 2021 – Role of EA Facilitator and Itinerant EA's

Thursday, May 27, 2021 – Teacher of the Blind

Thursday, June 17, 2021 – Role of the Special Education Consultant

Budget & Spec. Ed. Staffing, and Special Education Plan Review

10th Meeting PD/TBD

Location: Board office and virtually

Time: 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Next Meeting Prayer:

H. Conclusion:

1. Closing Prayer: Melissa Gillespie

2. Adjournment

