

**St. John Fisher Elementary – Junior Campus
Governing Board Minutes – 2020/12/09
7:02 – 8:00 PM
Zoom Meeting**

Type of meeting: Governing Board – Regular 20-21 #4

Participants:

Parents: Christina Cory, Angela Kovalak, Phil Lambert, Nadia Lawand,
Naomi Proctor, Mathew Knox (alternate) Allison Gerhart (alternate),

Teachers: Nadine Emond, Michèle Larin, Martine Létourneau, Tania Nouvet

Support Staff: Sandi Hammock

Principal: Natasha Mentore

Commissioner: Judy Kelley

Community Rep: Andrew Gunther

Visitor(s): Evelyne Hornblower (SNAC), Rebecca Cherry (HandS),

Absent: None

Regrets: Christina Archambault (alternate), Judy Kelley

AGENDA TOPICS

4.1 Call to Order & Welcome

N. Lawand called the meeting to order at 7:02 PM. Quorum was established with five parent representatives (including the two alternate parent representative).

4.2 Land Acknowledgment

N. Lawand read out the Land Acknowledgment statement to the GB members.

4.3 Adoption of the Agenda

The following item was added to the agenda:

- 4.6.5 Winter safety

20-21-21 *N. Lawand then called for a motion to approve the agenda. It was moved by M. Létourneau that the agenda be approved with corrections. The motion was seconded by N. Emond and was unanimously resolved.*

4.4 Adoption of the November 4th, 2020 minutes

20-21-22 *Motion duly proposed by A. Kovalak and seconded by C. Cory to approve the November 4th, 2020 Minutes as presented with corrections. Motion carried unanimously.*

4.5 QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

No questions from the public at this time.

4.6 BUSINESS ARISING

4.6.1 Blood Drive

N. Mentore explained that the blood drive will be held Saturday January 16th, 2021. Hema-Quebec has strict safety guidelines that will be followed during the blood drive.

The school board will be responsible for cleaning and sanitizing the building following the blood drive.

4.6.2 GB Internal Rules of Management

The Parents' Committee discussed the GB internal Rules of management at their last meeting. Based on those discussions, N. Lawand will be reviewing the "St. John Fisher Junior Governing Board Partnership" document and any recommended changes will be presented to GB members later.

4.6.3 LBPSB Elections

N. Lawand mentioned that LBPSB elections have once again been postponed. The date for the elections has yet to be determined.

See attached document.

4.6.4 Governing Board Training

The Parents' Committee held an online training session that was attended by N. Lawand and P. Lambert. For those that are interested but were unable to attend, the meeting was recorded and an edited version will be made available later.

4.6.5 Winter safety

N. Mentore explained that parents should be more vigilant during drop off and pick up at the school, as there have been a few near accidents. Parents are reminded to follow and respect the street signs, as parking is not permitted everywhere.

From Belmont Avenue, parents should use the pathway on the right hand side (West) of the school or the pathway sidewalk and around bus stop area (East) of the school.

It is forbidden for parents and students to park or walk through the staff parking lot.

Both N. Lawand and N. Mentore will verify with P. Delage concerning a possible agreement between the school and the city concerning certain parking restrictions.

4.7 NEW BUSINESS

4.7.1 School Calendar Adjustments

N. Mentore explained that there have been some PED day changes for the 2021 fall session, which are as follows:

- January 25th, 2021 (changed from a school PED day to a school board PED day);
- January 18th, 2021 (proposed school PED day);
- Feb 8th, 2021 (school board PED day);
- April 23rd, 2021 proposed school PED day);

20-21-23 *Motion duly proposed by M. Létourneau and seconded by A. Kovalak to approve the PED days presented by N. Mentore. Motion carried unanimously.*

4.7.2 Daycare PED Day Hours

S. Hammock explained that PED day daycare operating hours have been reduced from 11 hours (7h00 to 18h00) to 8 hours (7h30 to 15h30).

A GB member mentioned that 15h30 might be too early for some families to pick up students.

20-21-24 *Motion duly proposed by M. Létourneau and seconded by A. Kovalak to approve the proposed Daycare PED Day Hours as presented. Motion carried unanimously.*

4.7.3 Building Maintenance

N. Mentore explained that there is constant maintenance and inspection of the building throughout the school year. All personnel entering school property are aware of and following the safety measures that have been put in place by the school board.

The school will do their best to keep the noise level down and keep work areas clean and safe.

4.7.4 Covid Update

N. Mentore explained that she is proud of the staff and parents with their communications with the school on when and why students and staff will not be present.

N. Mentore also mentioned that students and staff are grasping the importance of the measures put in place and are being responsible by washing their hands often, sanitizing and wearing masks. N. Mentore Also noted that parents are wearing masks.

On the 17th and 18th of December there will approximately 1 hour of teaching online. The school will be sending out more information shortly.

4.7.5 Mandate for Home & School to Manage Annual Fundraising Campaigns

N. Lawand mentioned, as in previous years, that the task of managing the annual fundraising campaigns be delegated to the H&S.

20-21-25 *Motion duly proposed by N. Proctor and seconded by A. Kovalak to approve that the H&S manage the annual fundraising campaigns for the St. John Fisher Junior Campus. Motion carried unanimously.*

4.7.6 Field Trips

No fieldtrips requests presented.

4.7.7 Rental

At this time, the School Board is not permitting any rentals.

4.7 **REPORTS**

4.8.1 **Regional Parents' Committee**

Parents' Committee Meeting was held on December 3rd, 2020.

LBPSB Parents' Committee summary reports from the November 5th and December 3rd are attached,

4.8.2 **SNAC-AGM**

E. Hornblower explained that there was no formal meeting held this past month.

No report presented.

Please consult the following link to view SNAC meeting minutes:

<http://snac.lbpsb.qc.ca/eng/minutes/page.asp>

4.8.3 **H&S Liaison**

R. Cherry presented the Home and School report.

Home and School report attached.

Please consult the following link to view the HandS newsletters:

<http://stjohnfisher.lbpsb.qc.ca/hsdocs.htm#News> and the meeting minutes:

<http://stjohnfisher.lbpsb.qc.ca/hs.htm>

4.8.4 **Daycare**

S. Hammock presented the Daycare report.

Daycare report attached.

4.8.5 **Council of Commissioners' Minutes**

Council of Commissioners report attached.

Please consult the following link to view council of commissioners' meeting minutes: <http://www.lbpsb.qc.ca/eng/council/cminutes.asp>

4.8.6 **Teachers'**

N. Emond presented the teachers' report.

Teachers report attached.

4.8.7 Principal's

N. Mentore presented the principal's report.

Principal's report attached.

4.9 QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

No questions from the public at this time.

4.10 CORRESPONDENCE

None

4.11 VARIA

None

4.12 ADJOURNEMENT

20-21-26 *Motion duly proposed by N. Emond and seconded by M. Larin that the meeting be adjourned.*

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm.

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday February 3rd, 2021

Minutes submitted by Secretary, Philip Lambert

SECOND POSTPONEMENT OF SCHOOL ELECTIONS

SUSPENSION OF PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL ELECTIONS OF DECEMBER 20, 2020

PUBLIC NOTICE is given on November 26, 2020, that by virtue of Ministerial Order 2020-096, all polls and election proceedings are suspended for the Lester B. Pearson School Board until further notice.

The LBPSB Election Office will **not** open and the Board of Revisors will **not** proceed with the revision of the electoral list on November 29 and December 1, 2020.

In the meantime, members of the public who are not on the electoral list may complete and sign a Notice of Choice or Registration Form for Parents

- available at: <https://boardsite.lbpsb.qc.ca/school-board-election#General>
- and return it to: consultations@lbpsb.qc.ca

These forms will be treated in accordance with the Act Respecting School Elections by the Board of Revisors when the suspension on electoral proceedings is lifted.

BE ADVISED that:

- No advance poll will be held on December 13, 2020;
- No election poll will be held on December 20, 2020;
- Voting by Mail is cancelled.

REFERENCES:

https://cdn-contenu.quebec.ca/cdn-contenu/adm/min/sante-services-sociaux/publications-adm/lois-reglements/AM_2020-096.pdf?1606399126

https://cdn-contenu.quebec.ca/cdn-contenu/adm/min/sante-services-sociaux/publications-adm/lois-reglements/AM_2020-096-anglais.pdf?1606399126



Lester B Pearson School Board Parents' Committee

LBPSB Parents' Committee

November 5, 2020

Online Zoom Meeting

MEETING SUMMARY REPORT

ATTENDEES: Representatives from 40 of 48 member schools and SNAC were in attendance. Thomas Rhymes, LBPSB Assistant Director General, and Joanne Malowany, Coordinator of Community Services, representing the LBPSB Administration, and the newly elected Commissioner Representing the Parents of Special Needs, Susana Lazaro, were also in attendance.

Communications:

- Open houses to be done virtually - see board and school websites for details
- Communications Subcommittee meeting scheduled for November 23

General Updates:

- Encouraged support and turnout for upcoming Regional Standing Subcommittee meeting scheduled to take place on November 19
- Meeting will be combined with board-wide Governing Board training and open to all GB Meeting
- School elections have been postponed
- Next Bill 40 movement and update expected around April
- **Resolution passed** as a response to Consultation on Centre Deeds of Establishment stating that the Parent Committee recommends that the next school and/or centre to be established, be named after a Montrealer from a minority and disenfranchised community.
- **Breakout Discussions - Covid-19**
 - Two main points discussed:
 - 1. What is going well at your school?
 - 2. What are our continued challenges?
 - Overall feedback indicated consensus that while challenged with resourcing issues, most schools are doing well - primarily positive feedback
 - Major and ongoing challenges across the board was the lack of consistency in protocols as well as inconsistent management of communication from schools.

Varia:

- SNAC
 - Presentation on Sexuality Education & Teens with ASD set for November 25th; Presentation to be done by Isabelle Henault (open to all).



Lester B Pearson School Board Parents' Committee

Attendance Report		
Member School	Parent Rep Present	Alternate Rep Present
Allion	Annette Banton	
Beacon Hill	Jeremy Asch	
Beaconsfield	Ovidiu Burlec	
Beechwood	Orley Pinchuck	Diandra Yoselevitz
Beurling Academy	Jay Taube	Charline Downer
Birchwood	Derek Kenny	
Children's World	Susan Mintzberg	Mark Calla
*Christmas Park	Lisa Mancini	
Clearpoint		
Dorset		
Dorval	Patricia Ottoni	
Edgewater	Sherry-Lee Dawson	Melissa Nolet
*Evergreen	Melinda Paradis	
Forest Hill Jr		
Forest Hill Sr	Tanja Minisini	Richard Thorpe
John Rennie	Namta Gupta	Shane Ross
Kingsdale	Greg Piggins	Adam Feldstain
Lakeside Academy		Helene Charbonneau
Lasalle Community Comprehensive	Sonya Fiocco	
Lasalle Jr		
LasalleSr	France Henry	
Lindsay Place	Eric Schultz	
MacDonald	Kristoffer de Forest	
Maple Grove	Ashley McLellan	Sarah Fortin
Margaret Manson	Anthony Morello	Mark Michel
*Mount Pleasant		
Pierre Elliott Trudeau	Wendy Eeet	
Pierrefonds Comprehensive	Marcus Hamaker	Greg Piggins
Riverview	Linda Dalterio	
Sherbrooke Academy Jr.	David Anthony Barbiero	Deniese Peirera
Sherbrooke Academy Sr.	Miki Zarwanitze	
*Soulange		
Springdale		Steven Brodeur
St. Anthony	Shane Ross	
St. Charles		Steven Orenbach
St. Edmund		
St. John Fisher Jr	Christina Corey	Nadia Lawland
St. John Fisher Sr	Sarah Campeau	Christina Forest
St. Patrick	Doug Bently	Michael Barron
St. Thomas	Sharad Bhargava	Adam Davies
Sunshine Academy	Leah Lobaton	
Terry Fox	Lillian Jasinski	Brenda Tremellen
Verdun	Alicia Mancini	Mike Pomerleau
Westpark	Alaina Gross	
Westwood Jr	Tanja Minisini	
*Westwood Sr	Tanja Minisini	
Wilder Penfield	Onnig Kouyoumdjian	
SNAC	Lisa Mancini	
CRPC Designated by SNAC	Suzanna Lazaro	N/A

Other distinguished attendees:
 Barbara Schnider (Minute R)
 Thomas Rhymes (Administration)

Chris Eustace (public)
 Joanne Malowany (Administration)
40/48 Member Schools + SNAC Represented



Lester B Pearson School Board Parents' Committee

LBPSB Parents' Committee

December 3, 2020

Online Zoom Meeting

MEETING SUMMARY REPORT

ATTENDEES: Representatives from 41 of 47 member schools and SNAC were in attendance. Thomas Rhymes, LBPSB Assistant Director General, and Joanne Malowany, Coordinator of Community Services, representing the LBPSB Administration, and the Commissioner Representing the Parents of Special Needs, Susana Lazaro, and members of the Council of Commissioners, Jason Doan, Judy Kelley and Allison Sanders, were also in attendance.

Communications:

- First meeting on Monday November 7th, 2020
- Main objectives set: Promote Parents' Committee; What is Going on; How to communicate with parent community

General Updates:

- **LBPSB Covid Update**
 - Christmas "cancelled" – early release/delayed return dates to remain
 - HEPA Filter systems being installed
- **Internal Rules Review** - Changes complete; main adjustments were to language concerning racism/bias - approved
- **Budget for 2020-21 approved.**
 - Any expenses incurred for PC parents to attend meetings within boundaries of the internal rules should be sent to PC Treasurer for approval (Westpark_pr@lbpearson.ca)
- **Environmental subcommittee - Resolution Passed** - LBPSB Parents' Committee to ask the LBPSB to determine its carbon footprint by March 31, 2021 (or suggest an alternative timeline if the proposed timeline is problematic), and come up with a 5 year plan to reduce its GHG emissions by May 30, 2021, with the goal of going to net-zero carbon emissions by 2050
- **EPCA** requested the PC distribute a survey for English parents regarding school closings on Dec 17-18. Survey ended Sunday, Dec. 6
- **Breakout Discussion - Covid-19 & Anxiety**
 - Two questions discussed:
 - How has the Covid-19 situation affected your mental health and the mental health of your children and immediate family members?
 - What types of initiatives has your school implemented in the face of these rising mental health challenges?



Lester B Pearson School Board Parents' Committee

Varia:

- **LBPSB Task Force on Equity and Inclusivity**
 - Addressing racism cases and equity matters within board
 - Collecting stories from parents and students (more info on Board's website)
 - Final report including actionable recommendations on findings to be submitted to the LBPSB on June 30th, 2021



Lester B Pearson School Board Parents' Committee

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MacDonald	Kristoffer de Forest	
Maple Grove	Ashley McLellan	
Margaret Manson	Anthony Morello	Mark Michel
Mount Pleasant	Unknown	
Pierre Elliott Trudeau	Wendy Eeet	
Pierrefonds Community		Greg Piggins
Riverview	Linda Dalterio	Sara Levis
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Sherbrooke Academy Sr.	Miki Zarwanitze	
Soulange	Unknown	
Springdale	Unknown	Steven Brodeur
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St. Charles		
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CRPC Designated by SNAC	Suzanna Lazaro	

Other distinguished attendees:
 Barbara Schnider (Minute Recorder)
 Thomas Rhymes (Administration)

Blue shaded field indicates member schools presence @ meeting

Chris Eustace (public)
 Joanne Malowany (Administration)

41/47 Member Schools + SNAC Represented



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HOME AND SCHOOL
ASSOCIATION



H&S Report to GB

December 2020

- H&S meeting took place on November 18th
- Members approved organizing *Coffee Hour* for the staff at each campus to show our appreciation.
 - First *Coffee Hour* to take place on Wednesday, December 9th
 - Prepared Coffee, snacks and treats to be delivered to the schools
- Fall fundraiser finished (\$1788,58)
- Classroom allowances were delivered at the end of November
- The Coffee Fundraiser with Cafe Gourmet is going well- it will continue until the end of the school year.
 - Money raised through this fundraiser will go toward the staff *Coffee Hours*
- H&S is organizing a Book Bingo for students at each campus
 - H&S will promote this on our website, facebook and instagram accounts.
 - Parents can access the Bingo Form online
 - Completed forms will be sent to H&S through a google form- **no forms will be sent into the schools**
 - Students who participate will have their name entered in a draw for a chance to win 1 of 4 prizes (4 prizes at each campus)
- Fundraiser will Clio bookstore took place last week (\$238.20)
 - Money from this fundraiser will fund student prizes for the book bingo

Next Meeting Wednesday, January 20th at 7pm

Daycare

The daycare Change Makers ran a campaign to collect toothbrushes and toothpaste for Chez Doris.

They collected over 600 items and the shelter was very thankful.

The last project of the year will be sending greeting cards to the senior residence. Providing the Covid restrictions allow.

The daycare has enjoyed taking part in the young entrepreneur program and look forward to participating again next year.

Daycare will cover the cost of a holiday lunch for daycare and lunch staff from Cote St Luc BBQ on Dec. 15th.

PED DAYS

The bubbles are very difficult to maintain during ped day.

Emergency daycares will run on the 17th, and 18th registration begins tomorrow. Notices will be sent home to parents today. Our school/Daycare will be closed. New bubbles will be created on these days.

The four LBPSB schools running the emergency daycares will be PETES, Beaconhill, Terry Fox, and Lasalle SR.

PED DAY HOURS

- Our new hours for Ped day days starting in the New Year will be **7:30 to 3:30**. This is to help reduce staff burnout, better management of bubbles, and to ensure safety
- Staff is not as exhausted; therefore, they can manage and have a better control keeping the students in their respective bubbles.
- All services, i.e. grocery store, malls, government service (SAAQ) have modified hours due to Covid-19

3 Added Ped days: Natasha Mentore

Service will be free but can charge an activity fee.

February 15th we will be closed for PD no daycare services.

No budget news. Finance has taken over and we hope for the New Year!

Happy Holidays everyone! All the best in the New Year!

Sandi Hammock

Daycare Technician

- First and foremost, I would like to extend gratitude and appreciation to all employees of the Board who are working through extraordinarily challenging times for the very best educational services possible for our students. Bravo. Thank you. Try to rest when you have a chance. We need you and appreciate you so very much.
- Task Force on Equality and Inclusivity: Dr. Myrna Lashley delivered a verbal report to the Council explaining, with transparency and passion, the work completed to date and the time-line of work ahead. The Task Force's work is thorough and detailed with several sub-committees established to research various topics related to the mandate. To read further, please see the Task Force page under the Commissioner's heading on the LBPSB website. Testimonials of relevance are still being accepted by the Task Force.

<https://boardsite.lbpsb.qc.ca/council-of-commissioners/task-force-on-equity-and-inclusivity>

- Appointments: Anne-Marie Lavoie was appointed Assistant Director of Human Resources of the Lester B. Pearson School Board, effective January 18, 2021 (Probationary Status).
- Financial Statements: The audited statements were received by the Council: THAT acceptance be given to the Lester B. Pearson School Board 2019-2020 Financial Statements dated October 16, 2020, for submission to the Comité de gestion de la taxe scolaire de l'île de Montréal and the Ministry of Education showing revenues of \$302,347,547 and expenses of \$310,304,999, for a deficit of \$ 7,957,451. The deficit is due to the extraordinary measures that have been taken since March 2020. Most large school boards/service centres are in this situation and are significantly impacted by the reduction in revenues in vocational education among other reasons.
- Student Commissioners: Finn Poirier and Sophia Clarisse Pasia presented a verbal report. They are thoughtful and articulate and are very impressive. Among the topics the Central Students Committee is exploring are the Task Force work, sharing their mandate with their peers, blended learning and wellness. Their question of the month is: *"How would you rate your stress level on a scale from 1-10 (1=lowest, 10=highest)? How are you living/coping with this stress and anxiety?"* We are proud to have our student commissioners sit at the Council table.
- SNAC: The November SNAC meeting was replaced by a special Zoom presentation on Sexuality and Autism Spectrum Disorder given by Dr. Isabelle Henault. Up to 500 parents were able to access this presentation. It was an extremely informative, interesting and thorough presentation on a topic that is often ignored or set aside. Her forthright

presentation not only examined the issue but provided solutions and materials that teachers and educators can use immediately. She is a fountain of knowledge and it was a true learning experience. (Commissioner Olivenstein's report) I also attended this presentation and once again, learned so much.

School Building Safety: As you know, the LBPSB took the initiative to add to their ventilation systems to enhance air quality in our schools and centres. An enumerated reminder regarding risk mitigation for Covid-19 viral spread (according to the INSPQ and Public Health) is:

1. Stay at home if you are sick
2. Wear a mask
3. Physically distance
4. Wash your hands
5. Ventilate – increase the flow of fresh air into schools to dilute the concentration of infectious particles
6. Filter to remove infectious particles

The first four strategies are the most effective ways of preventing the virus from spreading. The next method to reduce the spread is through diluting particles with fresh air. All buildings which can, should have their windows open as much as possible. Although mechanically ventilated buildings can continue to bring fresh air into the building year round through intake dampers, we are encouraging employees to keep windows open. The LBPSB recognizes that this will be more difficult during inclement weather with cold temperatures which is why we have installed the HEPA air purifiers in naturally ventilated buildings. Please see the Board website for further information.

https://boardsite.lbpsb.qc.ca/Modules/FileManagement/files/Root/covid19/Dec/COVID_risk_reduction_strategies_v2.pdf

Transition Committee: (LPHS-St. Thomas): The committee met on December 2nd. Regional Director, Colleen Galley, presented a recommendation report to the committee based on previous discussions and meetings. These recommendations will move forward to the governing boards for their information.

Please feel free send me questions and concerns any time.

Warmly, Judy Kelley



All the best for a peaceful holiday season.

Teachers report December 2020

Colloque virtuel AÉPO C. Stibor, T. Nouvet, K. Mohamed

Conférence: Les défis de l'Éducation préscolaire N. Emond

Soutenir le développement global de l'enfant de 4 à 6 ans à l'éducation préscolaire

La numératie au préscolaire

Plaidoyer pour une approche positive auprès des enfants du préscolaire

Profiter de la littérature jeunesse pour soutenir la compréhension du monde des

émotions et de la pensée de l'enfant d'âge préscolaire: quelques conseils

simples à exploiter au quotidien

Engaging K-Cycle 1 Learners Online - LEARN Qc. Nov. 25th

Dec 4th, 2020

Managing the unmanageable for all staff

M. Valela & E. Francis

Targeted Intervention Continuum for Managing Behaviour

presentation by E. de Grosztonyi, M. Demers & C. Korah

NET Session presentation by Dr. Mahitab Seddik

Principal's Report

Home and School Admin Report - Junior School

December 9, 2020

School Improvement Plan

Applying for Measure 50531

Lines and games for the playground, garden Box, new play structure

Small committee of staff is leading this plan with some support from the administration. If it is approved the project maximum is \$90 000. Many schools have applied for this grant and we are still in conversation as to whether or not we will be in the running to make an accepted plan. It was suggested that we fundraise \$40, 000 in order for the project to go through. This option is currently being explored.

December 17 & 18th plan

Teachers will be sending parents a modified online schedule for the 17th and 18th of January. There will be one hour of online teaching/activities on both days.

Parent communications:

Forthcoming, I will let parents know about the changes to our calendar, upcoming activities, etc. for December and for the ped days that have been added.

Parking Lot:

Asking parents not to park in the staff lot. In addition, parents should not be walking through the lot with their children either. Moving cars, snow, and lower visibility have made it difficult for drivers to see our students. There have been a few near misses.

Air Filters

Filters were changed and the system was maintained last week. There is a strict schedule that they follow to ensure that the air is filtered properly, ensuring the safety of students and staff. A regulation was shared with us by the school nurse from the CSSS. They stated that the windows need to stay open from 15-20 minutes three times a day. This ensures that our students and staff are not getting sick.