

FATHER MICHAEL TROY SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL

Regular Bi-Monthly Meeting

November 30, 2020 - 6:30PM

Online

Attendees: Dana Letto, Tracie Gray, Melissa Bonnell, Jeff Fillion, Kara Pelech, Barbara Bradley, Nina Ackah, Ashley & Duane Simpson, Christina Rodriguez, Alison Mackay, Cindy & Tony Furlong, Cheryl Bray, Karen Lupul

AGENDA

1.0 Call to Order 18:36 hrs

2.0 Prayer – Jeff Fillion

3.0 Elections- Nominations 2020-2021 (motion-Melissa, second-Kara)

3.1 Chair- Melissa (motion-Kara, second-Tracy)

3.2 Vice Chair- Tracy

3.3 Secretary- Dana

3.4 Treasurer- Debbie

3.0 Adoption of Agenda

Motion- Barbara, second Christina

4.0 Welcome and Introductions

4.1 Everyone introduce themselves and gave one positive about our current covid situation. The group shared common themes of embracing the time they have with their children.

5.0 Adoption of Minutes from September 21st, 2020

Motion- Kara, second Cindy

Action: June 2020 Minutes to be brought forward to the next meeting.

6.0 Correspondence

None

7.0 Reports

7.1 Administration - Jeff Fillion

Thursday- interviews, new format, everyone should have been emailed today. Good luck and farewell, Mr. Stawnichy is moving to downtown, Welcome new hire, Mr. Norman Ramos.

Covid 19 updates- No cases at FMT despite rise in school cases in the region. Commendations to the teachers for a great job!

New learning shift to online- Maintaining the schedule. Students are expected to engage remotely, be present virtually and on time. Attendance will be taken through the lessons. Parents may get calls from the automated system reporting absences. Microsoft teams is the platform for communication. Learning coaches will help the students with motivation and getting assignments and homework completed. Parents are encouraged to let the school know if they are finding their child has too many assignments or tests in the one day. The school will accommodate and change schedules accordingly.

The learning pathways selected by parents in November is the learning stream the child will stay in when in person/online starts again January 8, 2020.

Technology- Contact the school if your child does not have a device or needs technical support.

Options- In person learning will be maintained for options. They may look a little different due to covid restrictions.

Reviewing the data: no PATS, no regression analysis.

Accountability pillar- citizenship and school improvement 71.3%, provincial avg 80%, parent survey response was low at 11%. These two areas will be the focus of improvement.

ESL students- Dropout rate 0%

Parent satisfaction results- in the yellow. -4.8% statistical difference identified-student discipline. The teachers will review code of conduct policy.

Student information- critical thinking and inquiry- will be an area for growth.

95% of students responded.

7.2 Chair - Melissa Bonnell

No new updates

7.3 Vice Chair – (new)Tracie Gray

7.4 Secretary – (new) Dana Letto

7.5 Treasurer - Debbie Greenwood

8.0 Old Business

None

9.0 New Business

9.1 Elections - Vice Chair, Secretary – complete early in the meeting.

10.1 Next Meeting – January 18th, 2021 630pm – Microsoft Teams

Motion to adjourn: 19:20 hrs (motion-Alison, second-Dana)

Minutes prepared by: Dana Letto

FATHER MICHAEL TROY SCHOOL PARENT ASSOCIATION

Regular Bi-Monthly Meeting

November 30, 2020 - 7:30PM

FMT Learning Commons

AGENDA

1.0 Call to Order: 1921 hrs

2.0 Adoption of Agenda

(Motion: Barbara, second: Cindy and Tony)

3.0 Adoption of Minutes from September 21st, 2020

Action: Changed the Learning Commons to Online in previous minutes.

Motion: Alison, second: Kara

4.0 Reports

4.1 Treasurer - Debbie Greenwood

Casino- approx.. \$43,000

5.0 Old Business – none

6.0 New Business – none

7.0 Next Meeting – January 18th, 2020

Motion to carry over the order of the slate: motion-Melissa, second-Kara

8.0 Motion to Adjourn: 1929 hours (motion-Barbara, second-Cindy)

Following meeting

Q & A – Jeff and Karen