Inglis Street Elementary School School Advisory Council Meeting 6:00 p.m. Wednesday, November 8th, 2023 Inglis Street Elementary School Library

| Angelina Cooke | SAC Co-Chair | Margie Farrell | Staff Rep |
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| Matthew Hartlen | Principal (ex officio) | Becky Campbell | Vice Principal (ex officio) |
| Maryem Zia | Parent | Mariya Turchin | Parent |

Meeting called to order at 6:10 p.m.

| Item | Discussion | Action |
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| Welcome/ | Minutes of October Meeting Approved | MH Post to |
| Minutes | | School |
| Approval | Principal's Report: | Website |
| Principal's Report | Grade 3 Assessment (current Grade 4) – area in Math (measurement/likely COVID closures related) No surprises in results (students have been discussed) Literacy – one student declined to participate in the assessment one day That was only surprise – some EAL students wrote Family Fun Night PTO Event: \$2 200 realized after expenses; pleased with turnout, the dispersing some things/events to classrooms/staff room helped with congestion in the gym Events: Oct 10 Youth Project visit was well received (LGBT2+) Nov 1 Symphony NS trip to Rebecca Cohen was a huge success. Students were well-behaved and liked the inclusivity of the performance. Nov 7 Halifax Theater For Young People - Newcomer Performance was a perfect fit. Breakfast budget \$13000 up from ~\$7500 | |
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| Old | Building Issues: Heat/Steam Leak; Windows | |
| Business | Very responsive Operations Supervisor, Dawn Huntley, who ALWAYS answers her phone and does what she can to help resolve our ongoing issues. | Information |
| New Business | <u>Clubhouse Proposal Halifax Rugby:</u> HRM Approval in principle given for the construction of a change room/washroom/licensed bar in the vicinity of the Rugby field adjacent the old wading pool. Query from a neighbourhood member who expressed concern about a licensed bar being so close to a school. There may be further opportunities for community consultation regarding this project. <u>Photocopier Issue/Electrical:</u> Recent photocopier woes have revealed an issue with the "flow" of current through the outlet to which the photocopier is plugged. | |
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| | <u>Meeting Dates</u> : November 8 th , December 6 th , January 10 th , February 7 th , March 6 th , May 1 st , June 12 th | BC to email summary to SAC members; once errors/omissions addressed MH to post on school website. |

Meeting Adjourned 6:50 p.m.

Next meeting: December 6th, 2023

Minutes taken by R.A. (Becky) Campbell