

Street Elementary School
School Advisory Council Meeting
 6:00 p.m. Wednesday, December 6, 2023
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Angelina Cooke	SAC Co-Chair	Margie Farrell	Staff Rep
Matthew Hartlen	Principal (ex officio)	Becky Campbell	Vice Principal (ex officio)
Maryem Zia	Parent	Mariya Turchin	Parent
Mahbubur Rahman	Parent (Past co-chair)		

Meeting called to order at 6:05 p.m.

Item	Discussion	Action
<p>Welcome/ Minutes Approval</p> <p>Principal's Report</p>	<p>Minutes/Summary of November Meeting Approved</p> <p>Principal's Report: Presentations: Dalhousie Math Department did "Math Circles" with the Grades 4-5, 5-6, and 6 classes. Grade 4-5 had a Mi'kmaq culture presentation by NS Museum of Natural History - to kick off a writing project. Grades 2-3 F & H are going to the Nutcracker performance at the Rebecca Cohn on the 14 Dec. Professional Development: Lost the PD Day due to weather day cancellation – will try to make up the time missed with a Lunch & Learn Math Coach: Dwayne Slobodnick was again assigned to our school for a 6-week block of support to four teachers. Worked primarily on Fact Fluency (addition/subtraction P-3; multiplication/division 4-6). Water Bottles: PTO is purchasing ISES water bottles to reduce the number of paper drinking cups being supplied in the office. Will be sold online primarily for cost (\$5).</p>	<p>MH Post to School Website</p>
<p>Old Business</p>	<p>School Bus Stop has moved to Robie Street from Inglis Street. There are some issues with sign placement/no parking zone that will be rectified in the Spring.</p> <p>SAC Budget: Received the deposit of \$5309 (\$5k + \$1/student)</p>	<p>Information</p>
<p>New Business</p>	<p>"Thinking Classrooms" – Ms. Farrell & Mr. Slobodnick attended PD with teacher proponent of this approach, Peter Liljedahl. Wipe Boards (thin white board surface) is a tool used to facilitate this approach. We would like to provide 4-5 Wipe Boards to each classroom. Mr. Hartlen asked the SAC to allocate \$700.00 toward the purchase of these materials. Unanimous consensus for spending this amount on these materials.</p> <p><u>Meeting Dates:</u> January 10th, February 7th, March 6th, May 1st, June 12th</p>	<p>.</p>

Meeting Adjourned 6:50 p.m.

Next meeting: January 10th, 2023

Minutes taken by R.A. (Becky) Campbell