



## SAC Meeting Minutes November 7th, 2022

- 1) Welcome & Introductions – Cari Duggan-MacNeil, Shauna Ferrar, Debbra Walsh-Poirier, Kelly O’Sullivan, Tara Sampson, Diana Dibblee, Natasha Jessome, Isabella Donnelly, Erin MacAskill, Laura MacKenzie, Rhonda Johnson, Keri Butler, Marilyn MacGibbon.
- 2) Approval of the Agenda
- 3) Approval to post Previous SAC Meeting Summary- Adjustment to be made to the item around Graduation year t-shirt distribution, attendance added and then approved to post.
- 4) **\*\*UPDATED\*\*** 2022-23 SAC Schedule: Meetings to be held on the following dates:
  - a) October 3, 2022
  - b) November 7, 2022
  - c) December 5, 2022
  - d) January 9, 2022
  - e) February 6, 2022
  - f) March 6, 2022
  - g) **May 1, 2022 (April meeting falls on short week/Easter Monday)**
  - h) June 5, 2022

New schedule approved by Committee as formal schedule for 2022-23
- 5) Principal’s Report & Student Success Plan Update (SSP)- [Marilyn MacGibbon]
  - a) Building is now almost fully completed and retractable wall has been installed. Training on monitor broadcasting system completed as well. Field fencing has been installed. Mounting of extra cameras still outstanding. Need for a scoreboard is still being worked with potential leads for sponsorship. Issue with ovens not working and electrical set up to be investigated to determine cause.
  - b) Sports update: Football, baseball, soccer and cross-country have concluded for the season. Concerns about the numbers required to safely field a football program leading into next year is in ongoing discussion. Volleyball playoffs are beginning this week. Female teams are doing well, numbers with the boys’ teams are being monitored. Male and Female hockey are in full swing and the female program is growing- the male program had low tryout numbers due to competing teams available to play on and the restriction that only one checking team can be played by a player at a time.

We want to acknowledge the teachers on staff contributing to our athletic programs so far this year:

Football-Chris Walker (Teacher Liaison)  
Cross-Country-Tonya Brennan (Coach)

Baseball- Chuck Langille and Brandon MacKay (co-coaches)  
Boy's Soccer-Kristi Walker (Coach) Lindsay MacLellan-MacPhee (Teacher Liaison)  
Girl's Soccer-Ele Gatti (Coach)  
Girl's Volleyball-Jasmine Smith (Teacher Liaison)  
Girl's JV Volleyball-Juli Gillard (Teacher Liaison)  
Boy's Hockey-Dave Algee (Coach) and Neil Burbridge (Teacher Liaison)  
Girl's Hockey-Nicole Chisholm (Teacher Liaison)  
Girl's Basketball-Keri Butler (Teacher liaison)  
Boy's Basketball-Chrystal McNeil (Teacher Liaison)

6) Programming:

Academic Awards – Academic Awards ceremony for last year's grade 10 and 11 students with certificates and pins will be held.

Edu Portalis being used to communicate results of Nova Scotia assessments.

Equity- Otis Day our HRCE Equity consultant came in and met with our group of students to go over some ideas for student led activities.

Remembrance Day Ceremony will be held this Thursday. On Friday our band students will play in the community ceremony. Inquiry raised on possible JLI t-shirts for band students- is there interest in the band having t-shirts made /would band members be interested in purchasing?

Job Junction: snack and /chat our job junction liaison Patricia Arenburg-Brooks has been very busy. She recently coordinated a snack and chat with members of different trades union and trades people.

YHC- This week we are pleased to welcome a part time YHC coordinator for ½ days. Diane to check with Public Health on needs for full time YHC Coordinator and provide update to SAC

Musical May 26<sup>th</sup> – We Will Rock You

Food Insecurity- Tish Sock-Sachetti has been preparing hot lunches two days per week. She is feeding close to 300 students at lunch depending on the meal. Mac and cheese Mondays and then chili last week. We have requested more funding.

Attendance Line- We are considering the attendance line that is similar to the junior high and elementary schools. Feedback provided by committee on experience with this program.

Parent Teacher-parent teacher is next Thursday afternoon and evening. Online booking system.

- 7) Student Council's Feedback provided by Isabella Donnelly & Erin MacAskill- recommendation to include additional items on our online store- such as canvas bags, belt bags, toques, jackets and blankets. Recommendation provided to Headline for follow up and action.
- 8) Review of Outstanding Business Items- [All Members]
  - a) Follow up on outstanding building items- noted above in Principal's Report
  - b) Follow up on Locker assignment- all students that requested a locker has received one
  - c) Clarification on Principal's report (re: T-shirts)- noted that only Grade 9 and Grade 12 students have received Grad year t-shirts. Grade 10 and 11 have not yet received.
  - d) Check in on communication (standing item)
  - e) New administration for 2022-23 -updates provided
- 9) New SAC Business Items- [All Members]
  - a) Cari to organize a Holiday Teacher Appreciation in December from the SAC
  - a) Cari to attend Chebucto Connections meetings as a liaison to keep a connection between school and community in 2023- Laura to provide further details/dates.
- 2) J.L. Ilsley Fundraising Committee Update- [Cari Duggan-MacNeil]
  - a) Update on J.L. Ilsley 50/50 Fundraiser proceeds
  - b) Update on J.L. Online Store Fundraiser proceeds
  - c) Implementation of Spring Craft Fair 2023 and 2023/24 Fall Craft Fair approved
- 3) Next Meeting- Monday December 5<sup>th</sup> @ 6:00pm
- 4) Adjourned at 7:20pm