

P.S.S.C MEETING LEWISVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL

FEBRUARY 26, 2018

Attended: April MacAleese-Jay, Carrie Hold, Colleen Ross, Dan Hill, Darla Cove, Gally Felter-Gonern, Janelle Finnegan Lori Beach, Lynn Adams, Patrice Hawkes, Sherrilyn Lackie,. Kerry Firth - Recorder

Staff: Heather Morgan, Sarah Lewis, Brittany Balsler-Whitehouse

Regrets: Shelley Williamson

Minutes of the Last Meeting: (November 20 2017) motion to accept minutes were made by Gally and seconded by Lori.

Our School Survey was presented by the grade 8 student leadership group. Ms. Lewis oversaw the student school survey. Several questions were asked of the students regarding their opinion of the school atmosphere and teaching, learning environment.

Provincial Assessment data:

- Grade 6 - Improvement was made in Reading, Math & Science from the last two years. There is room for more improvement, but the numbers are going in the right direction.
- The teachers had a half a day session on how to interrupt the data, which will help them work with each child to see how they can meet the targets.
- Provincial assessment results can be found on line (New Brunswick Gov't website)

Parent Concerns:

- A parent went to the CBC News complaining the front doors of the schools are not locked and anyone can come into the school during school hours. A buzzer system quote will be done and once approved by the District, it will be installed.
- Morning traffic is also a concern for many parents as children are being dropped off or picked up on both sides of the street requiring them to walk across traffic. A talk mail will be sent out to remind all parents that there is a drop off zone on the same side as the school. The talk mail will also remind parents that the bus zone is for busses only no matter the time of day as there are busses that come in at different times.

Staff Changes:

- Mr. Seeley & Madame Roy will be retiring this year.
- Krista Royama will be the guidance councillor from January – June
- Jill Young Grade 8 English – will be working 50% - Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday to noon
- Jill Smith will be working the other rest of the week

Coding program will start on Wednesday thru the Moncton Boys & Girls Club

Drama group will preform for their parents on March 19th

Meeting Adjourned at 730pm

Next meeting April 23rd, 2018 at 6:30PM