

FMHS PSSC Meeting

March 10, 2020 Minutes

Attendance: Holy Hannan, Sadie Gagner, Rob Macdougall, Shannon Keefe, Darlene Thompson, Donna Domers (Chair) , Patrick McDade (Principal), Jennifer Smith

Regrets: Shane Borthwick, Lisa Giesbreight, Darlene Thompson, Cush Thompson (Teacher Representative), Lindsay Thompson, Shawn Draper, Krista Kernighan, Mary Chevarie, Josie Chevarie (Student Representative)

1. Welcome
2. Approval of Minutes from February 11, 2020 Meeting. Motion to approve. Moved by Darlene Thompson, Seconded by Holly Hannan. Motion granted.

Action Items:

1. Risky Behaviour Presentation-Rob updated that he has tried to contact Crown Prosecutor but has had no reply back. United Way has also been contacted to come and speak. Discussed Glen and his Grand Manan contact to come and be a guest speaker.

Donna mentioned FMHS SWAT team possibility to come and speak with parents and students on Vaping. Rob to contact Sarah about having group do a presentation for public. Looking to have this done by late April.

Donna mentioned reaching out to Parents group that seeks out speakers. "It takes a Village"

2. Parking lot- Patrick skill waiting to hear back

3. Table School Improvement Plan until next Meeting.

4. Home and School Member Tobi Taylor to join PSSC as member. To attend Next meeting.

School Update: Covid 19 school update- If someone has been away from house hold then whole household must stay home and quartine for 14 days. School was short 3 teachers, 5 teachers on Friday. Principals are being consistent with Memos being sent out. Possibility of more memos to come. This policy in effect possible until June.

Middle and High School: Atheltic Committee-to determine fees. Patrick mentioned in the past has had fees pre-determined so parents would know prior to signing up. This was with 1 tournament included. Right now, teams are picked then fee will be determined afterwards. Some parents are not receiving emails to notify that payment is required. Aim is to have sports fees on website with set amounts. Tayna French takes care of website, Donna to send minutes and contact information to Tayna to have put on website.

Middle School Items New: Donna brought up concern of Teachers needing help as incentives for kids as reinforcement. Example given was speaking French, attendance for Middle Level students. Idea to have more parents involved as a positive reinforcement for students. Patrick to look at making teir of things that can be given as prizes and what behaviour will be rewarded.

Next Meeting: April 7th 2020 at 6pm