

Fredericton High School Parent School Support Committee

MINUTES

Tuesday, April 14, 2020 – Via teleconference

Present:

Shane Thomas, Principal
Tracey Burkhardt, Chair
Pamela Kitchen, Vice-Chair
Kim Kelly

Karen Flinn
Karen Tamlyn
Hayley Morgan
Ginger Nicholson

Regrets:

Wendy Wright-Gardner
Joey Bernard
Pam Shanks
Andrew Rutledge - Teacher
Representative
Student Representatives

1. Update on Education issues given COVID-19 and State of Emergency

Shane Thomas provided an update.

- Parents and students should have received emails about the virtual learning plan.
- Period one teachers will have time set aside to calls and questions on Mondays, Period Two on Tuesdays, etc. This is for essential courses at this time. Discussion ongoing about non-essential courses.
- No marks will be assigned.
- Mr. Thomas explained difference between “credit earned and “enrolled”.
- When teachers are back in the last week of August, plan will be for them to review the various courses and identify the key elements to be successful in the next year and cover this information in the first few weeks of the course.
- Summer school has not been cancelled yet.
- Graduation – nothing decided yet. Still going ahead with awards.
- Refunds on all class fees are being processed.

2. Carry Forward Business

- a) PSSC email account. Karen Flinn checked the gmail account for PSSC and confirmed nothing to address at this time.
- b) Budget – PSSC budget and other accounts put on hold due to Pandemic. Mr. Thomas will allocate funds towards a speaker for the next school year at end of the school year.
- c) Communication centres – TV’s were installed prior to school closure.
- d) Accessibility survey – no results yet

3. Next meeting

Planned to have another teleconference on May 11, 2020 at 5:30 pm.

