**Park Street School**

**Parent School Support Committee**

Minutes - Wednesday, January 12, 2022, at 5:30pm

In attendance: Anthea Plummer, Rien Meesters, Matthew Stainford, Sonya Ward, Tessa Walsh, Justin Wies, Catherine Haines

1. **Call to Order: 5:35pm**
2. **Review and Approval of the Agenda**

So moved by M. Stainford, all in favour, none opposed.

1. **Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting**

So moved by S. Ward, all in favour, none opposed.

1. **Business Arising from Minutes**

None

1. **Reports**
   1. **School Improvement Plan:**

R. Meesters reported that prior to the holiday break, teaching and support staff started a process to review the indicators of progress of the School Improvement Plan of what items are on track and what isn’t. This process is half complete and will be completed at a later time once operations permit. That exercise will be used to determine alignment with the SIP at the end of this school year and beginning of next. Important to note that the SIP was developed 4 years ago in the non-COVID context. In light of COVID situation, numeracy and literacy will be the targets given limited learning opportunities in the COVID situation.

* 1. **Home and School Committee:**

S. Ward reported that H&S activities are effectively on hold pending resumption of in school learning.

* 1. **Principal’s (Rien Meesters):**

R Meesters provided a report. K-2 at PSS are participating in virtual lessons at a level higher than what is required by the District due to teacher initiative. 3-5 are also providing virtual learning at or above requirements. Student participation in virtual lessons is higher than previous at home learning period.

1. **New Business** 
   1. **At home learning:**

Brief discussion among the group.

* 1. **DEC (District Education Council) rep (who is Janet Frances/Dean):**

A.Plummer advised that she had a conversation with the DEC rep who advised she would like to attend the February meeting and asked if we would be able to send her any questions or topics in advance so that she can target information preparation for the Committee.

1. **Next Meeting – Setting of meeting dates**

Feb 23, per previous email.

1. **Adjournment : 6:15pm**