

Parents comme partenaires

October 19, 2022 ÉRR School Library. 6PM

Staff from École Rivière-Rouge

Véronique Laprise (Principal)

Kristin Chartrand (Vice-Principal)

Parents

There were approximately 20 parents in attendance. So wonderful to see so much parent engagement.

Discussion:

Véronique and Kristin welcomed the families to our first PCP meeting for the 2022-2023 school year. They introduced themselves to the parents.

Parents also introduced themselves.

Admin shared some of the activities that have already taken place at the school so far this year: So wonderful to be back together as a community now that Covid restrictions have been lifted in our schools. Field trips to AKI Centre and collaboration between classes has resumed. We have had two whole school assemblies this year. A welcome assembly the second week of school and another assembly to recognize the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. Learn to skate program for grade ones has begun again this year. We also did a school-wide Terry Fox walk.

Respect in Schools is a new online training program that all parents wishing to volunteer in the school must complete the training and share their certificate numbers with admin upon completion.

Admin shared that there is a healthy opening budget this year. Due to the suspension of activities during Covid, there is a carry-over from previous years unspent funds.

Parents discussed ideas of how they would like to contribute to school life at École Rivière-Rouge as a parent partner committee.

They would like to bring back Hot Lunch. A sub committee was formed to organize the first Hot Lunch in November.

They also discussed putting on a community event at the end of the year and to think about contributing to the Grade 5 Legacy.

Finally, they asked about whether teachers had a wish list for how they would like to spend extra funds should the parent committee have any.

Parents volunteered to occupy the following roles:

Agnes McMurdo: President

RJ Padua: Vice President

Jennifer Corda: Treasurer

-----: Secretary (Mme Kristin Chartrand took notes for today).

Next meeting will be communicated to all families.

End of meeting: 7:05 PM.