



Chipman Elementary School
159 Bridge St, Chipman NB, E4A 1R8
Parent School Support Committee Minutes
 Date: Tuesday, Feb. 16, 2021 Time: 6pm
 Location: ONLINE TEAMS

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| <p>PSSC Members Present: Shawna Chambers, Chair Donna Urquhart, Teacher Rep.</p> <p>Others Raeann Chase Anna James Pam Hickey</p> <p>PSSC Members Regrets: Kelsey Higgins Tiffany Wasson Breanne Foss</p> | <p>School/DEC Representation Present: Liz Bailey, Principal</p> <p>School/DEC Representation Regrets: Faith Kennedy</p> |
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Call to Order: Liz Bailey

Approval of the Agenda: Anna James

Approval of the Minutes from Previous Meeting: Raeann Chase

Business Arising from the Minutes:

- **Library Books - PSSC budget** - The \$325.25 has been spent on books which have arrived and are being catalogued by Librarian Rose Thurott. Library is currently closed because of the Public Health Orange Phase of Covid.
- **Attendance** - Back to full capacity. Seemed to settle when covid level returned to Orange Phase.
- **School Intervention Worker** - Stacey Divine is fitting in well. She is working a lot with Margie Goodin (Child and Youth Team) to make plans for the children using their service. Stacey will continue to be in school and Margie will be meeting the children virtually.
- **Staff Appreciation Week** - Got lots of the treats and appreciation.
- **Bus Safety** - Reminders of safety have been added to morning announcements and teachers are also discussing it in the classrooms. Also have been reminding children of the extra caution due to snow banks, etc.
- **Child and Youth Team** - They've been working with children via virtual meetings while we are in the Orange Phase.
- **EYE-DA assessments** - prescreening is scheduled for next Thursday but if we are still in the Orange phase it will be postponed again.

New Business:

- **March Break 1-5** - Break will remain as scheduled
- **March 19 - PL day** - No school for students that Friday
- **Covid-19:**
 - **Virtually** - virtual communication will continue for the rest of the year. They are looking at what the year end will look like. Plans need to be decided about things like will there be anything for the year fives graduation from CES. For the foreseeable future there will be no 'in gym' events.
 - **Report Cards** - March 31st children will take them home.
 - **Parent/Teacher Phone/Teams** - Easter holiday is the weekend after report cards go out so meetings are planned for the following week, April 6-9th.
- **Principal Renewal** - Tuesday, February 23, at 2pm Liz has meeting in Oromocto for the renewal of her position as the Principle. We all wish her luck!

Correspondence:

- **"Community in Blooms" Banner Project** - Received another email from Laura Mae Slocum about Spring/ Summer Themed banners. All specifications were given and they are due on

March 8th, 2021. If taking them to the school for submission they need to be in by February 25th. Not all submissions will be made into banners, it is a competition. They hope to have banners hung in the village in May 2021.

Closing Comments:

Date of Next Meeting: April 20th, 2021

Adjournment:

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