



**SCHOOL NAME: Liverpool Street Elementary**

**Address: 50 Liverpool St**

**Parent School Support Committee**

**Minutes**

**Date: Nov 17, 2022 Time: 6:15pm**

**Location: Microsoft TEAMS**

<p><b>PSSC Members Present:</b></p> <p>Colin Curry, Chair  Keri O’Leary, Teacher Rep.  Bronwyn Mulherin-Murphy  Asha Noel-Hart  Erica Fanjoy  Erin Wilson, Vice Chair  Sabina Thapa  Amin Choroomi  Fiona Watters  Kristy Short</p> <p><b>PSSC Members Regrets:</b>  Siddaiah Madadevaswamy</p>	<p><b>School/DEC Representation Present:</b>  Kelly Parks, Principal  Vanessa Moore- Vice Principal</p> <p><b>School/DEC Representation Regrets:</b>  <b>Dec Rep-</b> Mr. Amgad Hanafy</p>
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**Call to Order: by Colin Curry at 6:16pm**

**Approval of the Agenda:**

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1. Welcome- DEC Representative- Mr. Amgad Hanafy – not present at today’s meeting

2. Old Business-

- Items that the school would like to work towards
  - projectors for Smartboards-160, 112, 122, 120
  - Chairs- 150, 152, 156, 158, 120
  - Tables/Desks- all
  - Teacher Desks- all

Colin questioned where money would come from for these items. Do we have funds at the school presently for this. He also mentioned the fundraising for playground equipment versus fundraising for school items like these. Should we not ask the Dept of Ed or the District for funds for school items instead? Mme. Parks said that unfortunately it is the school that must

put out the funds for these items. Erin inquired if Home & School would be better to ask for funds or to fundraise for these items. Mme. Parks said that our own school fundraising through movie night, Halloween Howl, sock fundraisers should help us get enough funds for 2 projectors but not likely anymore. It's hard to fundraise where we try to keep in mind the other surrounding schools that we share students with and the amount we are asking families to give.

- Lock has been put on for medical student
- Sink in Gym washroom- ordered

### 3. New Business

### 4. Principal Report

#### November 17, 2022

1. New ELA Tutor- Mme Gomes has started this week with our students. Ms. Madill has decided to supply teach only.

2. Mrs. Moore and I did a learning session on our new school website. New websites will go live in the new year.

#### 3. Professional Learning for Teachers:

-All French Immersion Teachers had a PL on oral communication and new tools to use in their classrooms. The French Immersion Lead, Nikki Turcotte, shared this on Nov. 9.

-A kit was left for the school. We have 7 F.I. Classes. We are looking at the budget to see how/when we could purchase a second kit so teachers can sign out the kit as needed.

- English Prime Teachers- Nov 23, Literacy Leads will be at Liverpool to answer questions on the Building Blocks of Reading for Grade 2 teachers and how to proceed in grade 3, 4, and 5.

-Nov. 18- School based Professional Learning.- Mrs. Moore and I are preparing a session for our teachers and EAs to share what is going well, what are challenges and barriers in our Math Running Record implementation. Math Leads have done a weekly check-in with our school to help teachers.

We also would like to give a building blocks of reading synopsis to the whole staff, so everyone is aware of the changes in K-2. A reading kit was purchased from the USA for the decodable books needed to follow this new program. All grade K- 2 teachers are asked to start in the new year if they have not already.

4. Teacher and student surveys have opened. Students will be participating in a survey about their school life, academics, friendships, wellness. Teachers have one as well to fill out. Results will be out in the spring and will be shared with PSSC.

5. Movie Night- coming up on Nov. 25.

6. In Phys ED- Badminton is underway. Mr. Brown is putting together a badminton jamboree at Liverpool on Nov. 30 from lunch to 1:30pm.

7. Recognition assembly Nov. 29.

8. Report Cards go home on December 1st. Parent-teacher interviews are Dec. 8 in the evening and Dec 9th in the morning.

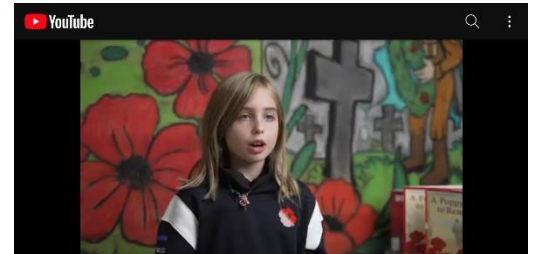
10. Christmas Store – Dec 12, 13, 14

11. Christmas Concert- Dec 15 at FHS

12. First Day back in the New Year is January 9, 2023

13. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BXNe8apnTqg>

Operation Remembrance – Liverpool students were part of Operation Remembrance. 11 schools from across Canada took part.



Operation Remembrance 2022 - Day 11 - In Flanders Fields

Next meeting: January 19, 2023

Tentative dates for meetings:

Feb 23, 2023

March 16, 2023

May 25, 2023

### **Business from Previous Meeting:**

Librarian – is there one? Yes, a new librarian was just hired and will start on Monday

Colin reminded the committee about the PSSC budget (~\$800) and that we should be giving thought of ways we can use that money. Should we have broader engagement with school community parents? Let's plan on something in the spring but we will discuss further in our meeting in January/February.

### **Business Arising from the Minutes:**

Erin asked if our school has chosen a Social Emotional Learning Program yet. Apparently Forest Hill has chosen a program. Kelly said Forest Hill have been given a grant to pilot this program. At Liverpool we have a focus on Zones of Regulations with Miss Bass going into classrooms to help deliver these lessons. We focus on friendship (Sept), safety (Oct), self regulation if feeling anxious (Nov). These are themes by month that are given, nothing purchased through a program.

**Correspondence:** none

**Closing Comments:** Thank you for your continued support.

**Date of Next Meeting:** January 19, 2023

**Adjournment:** 6:58pm

**Motioned by** Colin Curry, **seconded by** Erin Wilson