McAdam Elementary School

Parent School Support Committee Agenda Date: Feb. 9th, 2022 Time: 4:30pm

Location: McAdam Elementary School

Call to Order: 4:33

Approval of the Agenda:

Approval of the Minutes from Previous Meeting:

Attendance: Diane MacKay (Chair), Sarah Faulkner, Erica Scott (MES Teacher Rep), Shirley

Baisley-Moffatt and Sherry Norton

Absent: Cheryl Copp

Business Arising from the Minutes:

New Business:

- Principal Updates:
 - o Academic Support from the district
 - o More Technology (6 iPads and 2 laptops)
 - o Spirit Week week before March Break
 - o New focus on Social Emotional Learning showing videos, WITS (bi-weekly)
 - New focus on Problem Solving & Resilience (problem solving games)
 - o Random Acts of Kindness kids noticing each other's acts of kindness
 - o Donna Currie is retiring
 - COVID Dashboard on ASD-W website
 - o Breakfast Funding from Department
 - Playground Upgrades we are 1 of 5 schools that are having funds met by the district to create a more natural playground
 - Enrollment is dropping (started with 70 and now we are down to 60)
 - PSSC Funds still \$221 dollars to spend (has been spent on coloured paper in the past for monthly calendar that goes home – all in favour)
 - o \$750 in new books Shirlu has been buying new material for the library
 - Wellness Room updates Scott has purchased an air hockey table. Thoughts on a
 punching bag to help manage their frustrations? There are puzzles, yoga mats, lego
 table, a wii and a grow tower in the wellness room at the moment.

Correspondence:

Closing Comments:

Date of Next Meeting: April 6, 2022

Adjournment: 5:10

Signatures:

Diane MacKay (Chair)

Scott Cousins (Principal)