



# Kingswood Elementary

## School Advisory Council

Minutes for: 15 October 2019 5:30 pm

**Present:** Andrea Briand (Principal), Rachael Webster (Vice Principal)

Rhonda Izzard (Staff), Sherri MacKenzie (Staff), Laurie Slaunwhite (Staff), Joanne Treen (Staff), Martha Brown (Staff)

Glenda Lush (Chair/Parent), Leslie Dodds (Parent), Sally Young (Parent)

#	Topic	Discussion	Decision/ Action
1	<b>Call to Order/Approval of Agenda</b>	Meeting called to order at 5:30 pm	<i>Agenda approved by Andrea</i>
2	<b>Approval of last meeting's minutes</b>	No changes necessary	<i>Approved by Rachael</i>
3	<b>Business Arising from the Minutes</b>		
4	<b>Reports</b>	<b>Principal's Report:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>School Update</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 631 students</li> <li>• 27 classes – no changes to be made this year</li> </ul> </li> <li>○ <b>What's Happened</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ice Cream Social / Curriculum Night</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Terry Fox Run</li><li>• River Rangers</li><li>• PD Day</li><li>• Orange Shirt Day</li><li>• Bus Evacuation Drills</li><li>• Lockdown and Hold and Secure Drills</li><li>• School Picture Days</li><li>• Symphony Nova Scotia</li><li>• Nourish Your Roots has begun</li><li>• Grade 6 Assessments</li><li>• Grade 6's fundraisers for end of the year</li></ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <b>What's Coming up</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Fire Drill this week</li><li>• We Day</li><li>• Bingo</li><li>• Conference Day</li><li>• Goatworks</li><li>• SAC PD – November 8<sup>th</sup> @ Hfx Convention Center</li><li>• Remembrance Day Ceremony</li><li>• Green Shirt Day – October 24<sup>th</sup></li><li>• Flu shot clinics</li></ul></li><li>○ <b>SSP – Our Goals</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Literacy Goal: Students will demonstrate improvement in literacy with a focus on thinking beyond the text</li><li>• Mathematics Goal: Students will demonstrate improvement in mathematical problem solving</li><li>• Have begun working on a student wellness goal</li><li>• We currently have a Literacy Coach working with teachers who showed an interest in working with a coach</li><li>• We received the results for the Grade 3 Assessment that was administered last year. (Students are now in Grade 4 now)</li></ul></li></ul>	
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5	<b>New business</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. New SAC handbook</li> <li>2. Staples school supplies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- great feedback received on the smaller supply list</li> <li>- there are some loose ends to fix up if we do this again</li> <li>- we will look at doing English and French lists</li> <li>- supplies that we ordered for teachers through our bulk order would be done in June</li> </ul> </li> <li>3. Kingswood Pharmacy offering to do free flu shot clinic</li> <li>4. Parents looking for some direction on how their email address can be shared for the purposes of play dates and birthday parties</li> </ol>	<i>Andrea to submit to HRCE</i>
6	<b>Next meeting date and adjournment</b>	<p>Meeting adjourned 6:20 pm</p> <p><b>Next meeting: November 12, 2019</b></p>	