



REGIONAL CATHOLIC PARENT INVOLVEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

Monday, October 21, 2024 – 6:30pm

Microsoft Teams Meeting

Members: John Della Fortuna (Superintendent of Education), Humberto Cacilhas (Principal Lead), Carol Luciani (Trustee), Sarah Lebel (Parent Chair), April Taylor (Senior Social Worker), Vanessa Heath (Minutes)

Guests: Lorrie Temple (Superintendent of Education), Chandra Portelli (Student Achievement Lead), Sandra Braga (Consultant: Indigenous Education)

1. Opening Prayer

Superintendent Della Fortuna opened with a prayer.

2. Land Acknowledgement

Humberto Cacilhas provided a land acknowledgement.

3. Welcome and Opening Comments

Superintendent Della Fortuna welcomed all parents and Student Achievement Members.

4. Approval of Agenda – October 21, 2024

Approved by: Humberto Cacilhas

Seconded by: John Della Fortuna

THAT the RCPIC approves the agenda of the October 21, 2024, meeting.

Carried

5. Declaration of Interest – Nil

6. Approval of the Minutes – April 29, 2024

Approved by: John Della Fortuna

Seconded by: Humberto Cacilhas

THAT the Regional Catholic Parent Involvement Committee approves the minutes of the April 29, 2024, meeting.

Carried



7. Update from Superintendent

Superintendent Della Fortuna made mention that all attendees interested in becoming a member of the RCPIC working group, can contact Humberto Cacilhas at hcacilhas@bhncdsb.ca and Vanessa Heath at vheath@bhncdsb.ca.

Additionally, any feedback or those wishing to share concerns about events in the news or issues at a school can direct all information to communications@bhncdsb.ca.

8. Board Student Achievement Plan

Superintendent Lorrie Temple and the Student Achievement Team (Chandra and Sandra), provided a review of the Student Achievement Plan, including updates on both the current and prior year plans. An in-meeting poll was conducted to survey all attendees, helping to identify the main areas they believe require focus regarding their children's education.

April Taylor (Senior Social Worker) also facilitated a discussion around Mental Health, incorporating feedback from the attendees through a poll to gather more insights on educational needs for their children/students.

9. Closing Remarks/Adjournment

Superintendent Della Fortuna thanked all attendees, members, guests, and presenters for their support in participating in the RCPIC session.

The meeting adjourned at 7:41pm.

Next meeting date, time, location: Monday February 03, 2025, at 6:30 p.m.- Via Microsoft TEAM's (Virtual Link to be sent out)