

School Advisory Council Annual Report – June 2023

School Leslie Thomas Junior High

Please list SAC members including names, membership type (i.e., parent, community member, staff), and role (i.e., Chair, Vice Chair).

Chair: Jennifer Roy

Principal: Derek Ferguson

Secretary: Jenn Robar / Krystal Jeffrey - Denney

Parent: Jennifer Roy Parent: Jenn Robar

Parent: Krystal Jeffrey - Denney Staff member: Cheryl Hartnett

Staff Member: Colleen Parsons / Kathy Sturge

Staff Member: Justinian Martin

Community Member: Michelle Wright

Please describe a summary of work undertaken by the SAC to improve student achievement and school performance.

22-23 SAC requests for participation:

- Engagement/feedback on School Food Policy
- Participation in professional learning (Fall) regarding our learning and well-being goals
- Completion of the Provincial Annual SAC survey
- Determined upcoming school picture contract.
- Consulted in grant expenditures.

Please list any significant milestones and success stories that the SAC would like to highlight.

Every meeting, students updated the SAC with school reports of events and activities happening in school. Principal provided updates on the LTJH Student Success Plan at meetings. SAC chair was invited to the incoming elementary parent information session to

promote the role of the SAC to the incoming parents. SAC chair was able to communicate with the SAC information regarding the LTJH and system wide well-being goals and areas requiring attention.

Please describe any related sub-committee work undertaken by SAC members (e.g., School Options Committee).

- Engagement/feedback on School Food Policy
- Participation in professional learning (Fall) regarding our learning and well-being goals

Statements of Revenues and Expenditures:

Opening Balance Carry Forward: 2914.85

Books for Classrooms: \$400.77

Math Station Supplies: \$116.54

Chromebooks: \$1868.06

Perform: Mi'kmaq Stories Past and Present: \$300

SAC Operational Expense: \$54.05

Mad Science ILT: \$287.50

Balance: -112.06

Current Year Grant: \$5317

Math Centers: \$155.41

Math Center Supplies: \$136.61

9 Square in the Air game: \$1373

Fiscal End of year balance: \$3539.92

SAC Operational Expense: \$70.48

Educational French Subscription: \$207.00

School Team Jerseys: \$1724.66

SAC Operational Expense: \$194.93

Lego Robotics Kit: \$632.49

Air Fryer 298.99

Ending Balance: \$411.37

Expenditures supporting the school improvement plan (e.g., providing resources to support math and literacy instruction).

Classroom Books; math station supplies, Educational Subscription; Chromebooks were purchased to improve math and literacy instruction.

Expenditures supporting policy development and implementation (e.g., supporting and promoting new policies).

Perform presentation; Mad Science Presentation; 9 Square in the Air game; Lego Robotics Kit; Convection Oven and team uniforms support a variety of programming, well-being, and inclusive education.

Expenditures covering operational expenses; up to 20 per cent of provincial SAC funding may be used as operational expenses, if necessary, to encourage and support member participation)

Less than \$330 (or 6%) was used to cover operational expenses, to encourage and support member participation