**CHDHS SAC Meeting Minutes February 8, 2022**

**Supporting Student Success**

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| **Goal 1: To improve student achievement in literacy and mathematics through formative assessment strategies**Through authentic PLC work, teachers will collaborate on formative assessment strategies and student interventions.Teachers will use the following formative assessment strategies: * Provide students with clear learning targets and the criteria for success
* Provide students with regular formative feedback in relation to their progress toward learning targets/goals
* Provide students with opportunities to use the feedback to improve the quality of their work

**Goal 2 Well-Being:** We will improve student well-being at our school by working as a staff to support calm and centered responses to daily challenges and unforeseen events. |
| **Discussion Items** | **Minutes** |
| **Call to order**Introductions | Meeting called to order by Susan Russell McGrath at 6:30pm.In attendance: Huntley Reddick, Jason Carmichael, Angie Hogan, Michelle Paul, Sandra Derby, Susan Russell McGrath, Kelly, Scott MacDonaldRegrets: Hannah Barrie, Simone Bundy, Rae-Anne Penton |
| **Approval of agenda** | Susan Russell McGrath presented the agenda and it was approved by the group. |
| **Approval of meeting minutes from November 30, 2021** | Members reviewed minutes from previous meeting and group approved them. |
| **Business arising from the meeting minutes:** |  |
| **Principal’s Report**Transition with SRBMath 10 UpdateReport CardsCourse SelectionProgramme for International Student Assessment (PISA)Canadian Underage Substance use Prevention (CUSP)Roof Issues | * Working with SRB / and will be meeting with Ross Road. CHDHS Principal, Guidance, IB/Math DH and registrar met with SRB Principal, Vice Principal, ANS students and parents to discuss math.
* Upcoming high school SLC with principals from several HRCE schools and HRCE staff will be discussing math course selection.
* Math 10 – goal is to have every student reach 65%. At this point 81% of our grade 10 math students are over 65%. 18% not meeting. 96% of students are passing math 10. Majority of students are passing the course. Using knowledge hook, relationship building, productive struggle to move students forward.
* Algebra has arisen as a point to focus on and more development in grade 10 will give them a better success in grade 11.
* Continuing to work on student confidence in learning.
* Report cards will be going out on Thursday, will be sent electronically. Will be putting together course selection booklet. Waiting to see what province has to say about the math for all schools. Booklet could be ready in two weeks.
* We’ve been selected for the Programme for International Student Assessment (PISA) assessment, once every three years schools are selected. Over 80 countries participate in assessment of Math, Science, and Reading for students age 15. Assessment will be written by May 31st. Students not identified but info will go in a pool.
* CHDHS will be part of the Canadian Underage Substance Use Prevention (CUSP) Trial.
* Roof leaking- temporary fix is in place. More work will have to happen to fix the issue permanently.
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| **Finance**Review of SAC Funds | * SAC has $10838.00. Susan Russell McGrath stated that we should see if teachers need any material to support student learning. Huntley Reddick stated that he would ask staff for input.
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| **Policy Input** |  |
| **Special reports and/or presentations** | Black History MonthHuntley Reddick stated that equity team is meeting, working at doing a mural of Rosemary Brown. Daily announcements, quotes from individual. Moving forward will try to put up more murals.* Michelle Paul
* Can we buy a Mi’Kmaq flag?
* We will find a flag and have a flag hanging somewhere in the school or in front of the school?
* Huntley Reddick stated that he would investigate purchasing a flag.
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* Michelle Paul
* How can we have people come in and speak to the community about various parts of our community? How can we engage the community to do more things in the school community? How do we bring people together to celebrate our community?

Huntley Reddick stated that before Covid the school had in person events that celebrated its many communities. |
| **Other** | PromSome members stated that some parents are organizing community proms.Huntley Reddick stated he was not sure about a school prom but that we have a booking in early June if restrictions are eased.  |
| **Next Meeting:** **Adjournment** | Tuesday, March 8, 2022Susan Russell McGrath called the meeting at 7:30pm. |