Principal's items:

Attendance: Leah, Teena, Louise, Kara, Michelle, Sanchal, Kathy, Gloria

Treasurer reports – paid for two virtues winners and Teena's SCC meeting travel to Tisdale . Balance \$5253.46

1. | TRIPLE P Positive Parenting Program – coming in April

(create a safe, interesting environment, have a positive learning environment, use assertive discipline, have realistic expectations, take care of yourself as a parent.

TABLED

- Door prize
- Food
- Babysitting (LG)
- Invitations to parents from students (LG)

Will wait for further information to plan meals and prizes.

- 2. Dr. Jody Carrington "Parent Superpowers" (possible guest speaker)
 - Share information
 - Follow same format as Triple P program with babysitting, food, door prize)
 - Sponsorship possibly McDonald's, Bracken's cabin, Lion's Club, prize

Parent Superpowers Once I became a parent, I realized that this is the hardest job on the planet. I was so much better at the parenting thing before I had kids (are you with me?). There's so many opinions and so many "right ways". We've developed this shorter session (seems to work best in a two-hour go), often in an evening with good snacks, where we talk about just how normal it is to never feel like you're doing this parenting (or coparenting, or step-parenting) thing right. If you own a kid (or are helping to raise one), our sole job is to teach them this thing called emotional regulation, before we (eventually) launch them into this big-old world. That means, sadly, that in order to do that, we have to figure out how to model for them what calm looks like (and turns out, just telling them to CALM DOWN doesn't work for long, and neither does taking the things they love away so that they'll eventually figure out that you want them to be kind). Expect an evening of laughter and stories, while we understand how attachment and connection to our babes and our partners will give our children the most important skill they will ever learn, how to be kind and connected people we can be proud of.

Jody's fee is \$4000 plus travel expenses and GST. It is more for away locations as she has to be away from home for longer periods of time.

Note: TABLED and find out if we can get sponsorship or the school division involved.

3. Old graduation photos – update Gloria

Chose option 2 (4books) Don's photo (see attachmnent)

1959-1979

1980-1989

1990-1999

2001-2015

Decided not to sell to the public at this time.

Will get a case that is locked and public will sign out to view.

Agreed to pay Gloria an honorarium for her work.

4. Sharing of 2019/20 NESD Calendar

- Consider calendar from a student, family and staff perspective with a focus on student learner's perspective
- Send feedback in prior to March 18, 2019

Passed by the group – email sent to Don to acknowledge no changes needed

The following elements are contained in the attached calendar drafts:

195 teacher days

185 student days

10 non-instructional days: teachers' convention (1 day); school improvement planning (2.5 days); school administrative (3.5 days); division in-service (3 days)

310 minute instructional days

956 instructional hours

Walk Along Side Conferences in evenings with parents and students (10 hours)

Spring break is aligned with Easter.

February includes an additional full week break inclusive of Family Day

5. Teena Johnson – Sharing of SCC supper and meeting

6. NESD goal area – Visible Learning by John Hattie TABLED

- Introduction to Visible Learning
- Discussion
- Powerpoint

What does Student Visible Learning Look Like in the Classroom?

- 1. Task: Students think about what they're doing. They understand the task.
- 2. Process: Students think about the methods. They are aware of how they are doing it.

3. Reflection: Students think about their own expectations. What do I believe I really *can* do? How well do I do it?

7. Walk Alongside Conferences planned for next year

Thea earlier conference would shift the conversation from a results on the report card which is a lagging measure, to a conversation on what needs to be in place as a leading indicator: such as what the learning in the classroom looks like, goal setting for student, and clarification on what the parent and teacher can do to support learning success and achievement.

Next year, we are planning for students, parents and teachers to meet after the first few weeks of each semester. This earlier time will shift to a focus on parents, students and teachers having an opportunity to begin to "walk alongside" each other to understand learning, to know and support the learner, to talk about goals and the future, to communicate and to plan.

Currently, student led conferences showcase the growth and accomplishments of the learner well into the school year/semester.

The sharing of initial EYE results with the parents of Kindergarten students will be scheduled by elementary schools before the end of November.

8. Leadership Conference to be sponsored by the Lion's Club

- September date to be set
- Ideas for sessions for senior students

 TABLED
- Speaker Kevin Rudolph (NASA)
- 9. | Google Read Write demonstration TABLED

10 | Virtue photo contest

March – spending time with a loved one

April – Be kind to the Environment (Earth day Celebration)

May – Being active outdoors

June – contribution to family or community