

## PARKDALE GOVERNING BOARD MINUTES

May 14, 2025 5:42 p.m.

Present: George Koutsoulis, Amanda Tsitouras, Cynthia Chaumont, Angela Zambito, Darseha Kodeeswaran, Hadas Noama, Thirtsa Ernest Absent: Anthony Mohammed, Karolyn Liverman

1. Addition to and Approval of the Agenda for May 14, 2025

Motioned by Darseha. Approved by Thirtsa.

2. Approval of the minutes from meeting held March 19, 2025

Motioned by Thirtsa. Approved by Darseha.

3. New Business:

3.1. Anti-Bullying/Anti-Violence end of year report

- Report was presented during the meeting. Motioned by Cynthia Chaumont to approve the report. Seconded by Thirtsa Ernest. Motion passed.

3.2. Approval for Ottawa trip

- School is paying for the trip. Motioned by Darseha. Seconded by Thirtsa.

3.3. School calendar 2025-2026

- Motioned by Angela Zambito to approve the school calendar. Seconded by Cynthia Chaumont. Motion passed.

3.4. Graduation Scholarships

- Same as in the past couple of years when several students will receive a scholarship at the graduation ceremony. In addition, through donation of PPO, a prize will be given to a special needs student who has made significant progress in school.

- 4. Principal's Report
- Report was presented.
- 5. EMSB Parents Committee Report

- Involve more people in the school through advertisements to keep English school enrolment high.



- New government rule concerning no cell phones in the school. Parents were not for this as parents rely on cell phones to keep track of their child's safety and whereabouts.

7. PPO Report

- Funded the DJ \$500 for grade 6 graduation. \$300 donated to purchase laptop for graduating student in WINGS class.

- Giving \$300 to show participants by providing pizza and decorations.

8. Daycare Report

- Daycare week the week of May 12. (Governing board and admin thank the daycare team for their hard work and dedication)

- Children were provided with snacks, cupcakes with Parkdale's logo
- Butterfly project
- Revamping the garden
- 9. Varia
- 10. Adjournment

At 6:37 pm