

AGENDA

Parent Involvement Committee

Date: Monday, Nov. 22, 2010

Time/Place: 4:30 to 6 p.m.
Trustees' Area, HJA Brown Education Centre, 5650 Hurontario Street, Mississauga

Savi Khanna, School Council Chair representing Brampton (PIC co-chair)
 Karen McDonald, School Council Chair representing Caledon (PIC co-chair)
 Valerie Arnold-Judge, Trustee representing Caledon
 Ashis Basu, Parent Member representing Mississauga
 Barbara Cyr, representing the board's Special Education Advisory Committee
 Vijai Dasrat, Parent Member representing Brampton
 Lucy Ding, Parent Member representing Mississauga
 Velvet Dodge Matinna, Parent Member representing Caledon
 Dr. Salha Jeizan, representing Multicultural Inter-Agency Group of Peel
 Rabia Khedr, Parent Member representing Mississauga
 Suzanne Nurse, Trustee representing Brampton
 Tony Pontes, Director of Education

Resource:

Alison Farbar, Acting Communications Officer
 Varsha Naik, Community Liaison Co-ordinator
 Carla Pereira, Acting Manager of Communications

Regrets:

Kathy Parris-McDonald, Parent Member representing Brampton and French Immersion
 Allison Van Wagner, Trustee representing Mississauga

Time	Item	Who
4:30 to 4:35	Welcome, input from the field	Co-chairs
4:35 to 5 (in committee/ not open to public)	Planning for effective meetings Part 1: Review and finalization of research report Part 2: Next steps	Tony Pontes
5 to 5:05	Feedback from <i>Great Start: an orientation and training evening for school council members</i>	Co-chairs
5:05 to 5:20	Through Parents' eyes: Perceptions of Recently Immigrated Parents on their Children's School/Life Experiences	Rita Manners, Principal of Floradale P.S., Dr. Schecter, Associate Dean of the Faculty of Education at York University and Lorraine Otoide, Peel board Resource Teacher
5:20 to 5:50	Revision of the assessment, evaluation, and reporting policy Board Improvement Plan – opportunity to provide input	Shawn Moynihan, Superintendent of Curriculum and Instructional Support Services
5:50 to 6	Procedural report and election of a new co-chair	Karen McDonald, Co-chair
6 to 6:10	Public questions	

*Review of bylaws will happen on a future agenda