SAC Meeting Agenda Beaver Bank Kinsac April 26, 2023

Team Members: Kelly Clarke (principal), Heather Day (vice principal), Patricia Sabourin (parent rep), Liesl Newman (parent rep), Bob Crosby (community member), Sheryl Crosby (EPA),

Special Guest: Phil Anderson from Lifetouch

Supporting Student Success

Literacy Goal: We will improve student achievement in Literacy

Math Goal: We will improve student achievement in Mathematics.

Safe and Inclusive Learning Environment Goal: We will improve student well - being at our school.

Discussion Items	Minutes
Call to order - We would like to acknowledge that we are in Mi'kma'ki, the ancestral and unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq. The Treaties of Peace and Friendship cover this territory. We acknowledge that people of African Ancestry have been in Nova Scotia for more than 400 years. Approval of agenda	
Approval of meeting minutes	
Business arising from the meeting minutes	N/A
Principal's Report Lifetouch Presentation Discuss PhotoMaster vs Lifetouch Spring Fair Enrollment for 2023/24 Staffing Primary Orientation Grade 3 Provincial Assessments School Trip?	Lifetouch Presentation: Phil Anderson from Lifetouch presented his package to the Committee. His package includes a signing bonus of \$150 for one year renewal and \$500 for a three year renewal, five free value packages each year, and a 2-3 week turnaround. Phil mentioned that the pictures are now loaded directly to the cloud, thereby eliminating the need to send pictures to the lab. Principal Clarke advised that she asked John Tenwolde from PhotoMaster about a

signing bonus - \$700 with a 3 year contract with an optional 2 years.

Discuss PhotoMaster vs Lifetouch: The Committee considered both proposals and the decision was made to proceed with Lifetouch's package.

Spring Fair: Spring Fair is scheduled to take place on May 26th from 6-8:30pm. There is a small committee of parents involved.

Enrollment for 2023/24: Principal Clarke advised that the first number has been pulled and approximately 55 Grade 5s will be going to HTB, only 34 Grade Primary students will be coming in.

Staffing: Allocation has started. Number of teachers dependent on job assignments.

Primary Orientation: Scheduled for April 27th from 4-5pm.

Grade 3 Provincial Assessments: Grade 3 provincial assessments coming up in May. May 16th and 18th for language and May 23rd and 25th for mathematics. Hoping to have results back before the end of the school year.

School Trip? Principal Clarke advised that the school is looking into a whole school trip.

Student Success Planning

- Literacy Reading Data
- Math -
- Well-being Invitation to Provincial Pride Flag Raising Ceremony at Province House in June

Principal Clarke advised that the Provincial Government heard about the Rainbow Club and has issued a formal invitation to the Provincial Pride Flag Raising Ceremony at Province House. This is due to take place on the last full day of classes in June.

Finance

- Math Spending \$1449.93
- Literacy Spending \$3389.32

Principal Clarke shared with the Committee a letter of appreciation from the Math Coach.

 Grant Money Remaining - \$1462.75 Spending timeline changed 	She also advised that the timeline for spending the remainder of the grant money has been extended to the end of June.
Policy Input N/A	N/A
Special reports and/or presentations	
Other:	N/A
Next Meeting: Date, time	May 31, 2023 @ 6:00 pm in-person
Adjournment	