

**Ecole Sir John Franklin High School**  
**Parent Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes**  
**January 23, 2025**

**Present:** Dean MacInnis, Newton Grey, Carla Skauge, Janet Murray, Miki Ehrlich, Al Shortt, Paula Campbell-Rogers, Rajiv Rawat

**1. Approval of Agenda**

- Agenda approved  
Motedioned by: Newton Grey  
Seconded by: Carla Skauge

**2. Approval of Previous Minutes - December 12, 2024**

- Minutes Approved  
Motedioned by: Janet Murray  
Seconded by: Paula Campbell-Rogers

**3. YK 1 Board Report: Al Shortt**

- ECE/ YK 1 dealing with the PowerSchool data breach
- Students, teachers, parents and guardians personal information was compromised (no financial information obtained)
- PowerSchool worked to contain the breach
- A grade 12 certificate will now be accepted to gain entrance to the trades program as well as the trades entrance exam
- Counsellors to work with students to ensure students have the correct courses to graduate with to enter the trades
- Miki to reach out to the Superintendent to set up another PAC chairs meeting

**4. Principal's Report: Dean MacInnis**

- Semester 2 begins January 28
- School dance January 31
- PowerSchool will reopen February 3 and report cards will be available for viewing and printing
- Grad photos February 10-14 by Lifetouch

- Grade 8 Parent Info Night, February 19 from 7-8
- Course selection for students for 2025-2026 begins in February
- Grade level assemblies in semester 2 (Admin to meet with individual grades as to expectations for future)
- School review was delayed initially but now the Superintendent reports that they are working on it
- Graduation Assessments for B.C. curriculum - Grade 10's do a Literacy and Numeracy Assessment and get review time before the assessment
- Grade 12's do a Literacy Assessment (when the students who are currently in grade 10 are in grade 12)
- Graduation Assessment has to be on your transcript in order to graduate under the B.C. curriculum
- Schedules for students can be modified if the schedule in place happens to work but changes can be difficult sometimes
- Night school at Sir John or Route 51 are two other options when trying to complete a course required

**5. Next meeting:** Thursday, February 20 @ 7:00 pm

- Motioned by: Carla Skauge
- Seconded by: Miki Ehrlich

**Meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm**