

Principal's Report – PSSC – March 28th, 2023

- **Lilypad Legacy Project Update**

Renderings for Project along with quote has been submitted

Future Considerations: Basketball Court, Walking Track, smaller structures

Another significant donation from anonymous community member.... Total of \$255,000

Meeting with District facilities, district community liaison, sub-committee: Timeline may result in fall-installation.

- **Core Leadership Team Update**

Shared feedback/questions/suggestions from last PSSC meeting: Loved ideas of parent involvement with clubs and as volunteers in classrooms. 'Volunteer sign-up' in fall will be pitched to classroom teachers. Parent volunteers in library time.

Reviewed Term 1 Achievement Reports across subjects and strands for all grade levels: No Glaring gaps however 'Reading/Viewing' at K-3 levels coupled with 'Writing/Representing' at Gr. 4-5 levels will be literacy areas to look at for Term 2 comparisons. 'Number sense' will be numeracy area to target. WAS IMPROVEMENT/PROGRESS MADE?

- **Professional Learning afternoon on March 24th**

Focus on Response to Unexpected Behaviors at Garden Creek (Behavior Management was one of the themes that CLT identified):

- Great conversation amongst all EAs and Teachers
- 6 Scenarios common to Elementary Level Discipline
- 10 Available Responses to choose from with sticky notes
- Additional suggestions of Responses.... For example: Self-Regulation Reflection sheet, Alternate work space, Restorative Circles

- **Breakfast Program**

- Milk Dispenser, Industrial-sized toaster, Large Storage Fridge, Donation from Rotary Group of Fredericton
- Plan to have GC receive steady funding in the 2023-2024 school year for breakfast items.
- Student leaders involved

- **Grade 1 FI and Grade 6 LFI**

This, coupled with K-registration, will impact our staffing allotment as we move closer into month of May.

- **Current things at GC**

Girls-At-Bat – 8 sessions every Thursday starting this week (Gr. 3-5)

Trip to GSMS – This Thursday morning (K-5)

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Jump Rope for Heart – Staff challenges!

Creeker Clothing – Finalizing flyer to be sent out to families in coming days. Student clothing sponsorships will also be part of communication.

Report Cards & P/T interviews –

- April 3rd, Bookings link goes to families.
- April 6th RCs go home.
- April 13th (PM) and 14th (AM)

Competition for 5-year GC Principal Position has been posted. Unclear of timeline for hiring and announcing this publicly.

Gr. 5 transitions -

Student Appreciation week (April 24th-28th) – School Spirit Committee has planned a Student assembly and Theme Day. Still finalizing this.

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