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PARENT INVOLVEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

Wednesday, April 21st, 2021 6:00 pm Minutes

Prayer & Welcome -

Presentation by Michelle Neville – *OurSchool Survey* – * <u>Deferred</u> to the May meeting* This is a new parent, student, and staff survey to be launched by CDSBEO in the fall of the 2021-22 school year.

✓ April 28th PIC Mental Health event for parents – Michelle Neville presented a preview slide deck of her presentation for next week. Feedback was provided and topics highlighted to be covered. Please ensure you prepare one question for the virtual event next week.

Regional update from PIC members – feedback from Catholic School Councils, surveys, sharing information. – *<u>Deferred</u>

Select names of parents who will receive gift cards for completing parent survey. – <u>Deferred</u>

Parent engagement gaps and ideas for future engagement opportunities, resources, and support. - *Deferred

Draft ideas for the April newsletter and survey – *<u>Deferred.</u>

Update from April 20^{th} PIC Chairs and Board Leads meeting with Ministry. – *Deferred

✓ Trustee vacancy for the City of Brockville, Town of Smith Falls and Leeds County – If you or anyone you know is

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interested in applying for the CDSBEO Trustee vacancy please note:

- Eligible applicants 18 years of age or older
- ➤ Reside within the vacant jurisdiction
- Candidates must submit an application form and current resume.
- ➤ All details can be found on CDSBEO website (posted under News) at www.cdsbeo.on.ca https://www.cdsbeo.on.ca/catholic-school-trustee-vacancy/
- ✓ School year calendar for 2021-22 Sent from Kate McPhee on March 18th to our PIC Committee for the consultation process. It was also sent out to principals to share with Catholic School Councils. Coordinated with the Upper Canada District School Board for transportation purposes. Reviewed by Norma

3 Professional Activity Days which are devoted to Provincial Priorities on Wednesday, September 1_{st}; Thursday, September 2_{nd}; and Friday, September 3_{rd}.

Students would begin classes on Tuesday, September 7_{th} with

P.A. Days to be held on Friday, November 26_{th}, 2021, Tuesday, February 1_{st}, 2022 and Friday,

May 27_{th}, 2022 focusing primarily on curriculum, assessment and evaluation. February 1_{st} would also offer turn-around time for secondary schools to begin Semester 2.

Christmas Break – Monday, December 20th (Friday, Dec. 17th is last Friday before Christmas Break) returning to school on Monday, January 3rd, 2022.

Last day of classes on June 27th followed by the final P.A. Day on Tuesday, June 28th.

✓ Next Meeting Date – Not established. Next event is our virtual parent event on April 28th at 7pm.