



Faith and Equity Advisory Committee – Minutes

Wednesday, April 23, 2025 - Kemptville Board Office

Dinner served from 5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m., Meeting 5:45 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

FEAC Members:	Brooke Guindon, Student Trustee Junior Malunda, Student Trustee Chris Oldford, Principal Representative Donna Nielsen, Board Trustee Father John Whyte, Faith Animator Karen McAllister, Board Trustee Karen Torrie Racine, Board Trustee Katy Ferguson, Parent Representative Mike Hamilton, President Easter OECTA Unit Trudy Scott, President CUPE 4154 Peter Oostrom, Human Resources Representative Tracy O'Brien, Superintendent School Effectiveness Selina Mackie, CDSBEO Mental Health Strategist Stéphanie Nelson, CDSBEO Indigenous Education Grad Coach Kate Veinotte, CDSBEO RFLE Elementary Consultant Lorrie Darling, CDSBEO RFLE Secondary Consultant
Guests:	Marcy Barrett, St. Thomas Aquinas CHS Jaclyn Gannon Kwok, St. Thomas Aquinas CHS
Regrets:	
Absent:	Sara Jane Manning, Community Rep

- Welcome – Co-Chairs Trustee Donna Nielsen and Trustee Karen Torrie-Racine
- Land Acknowledgement and Prayer – Faith Animator Fr. John Whyte
- Introductions – Trustee Nielsen and Trustee Torrie-Racine
- Discussion:
 - St. Thomas Aquinas, Unity Club presentation: [Elevate & Empower Pillar - STA presentation.pdf](#)
 - Additions to the agenda
 - Updates from Community Partners