

New Torbay Intermediate School School Council Meeting Minutes

April 5th, 2017, 7:00pm, Holy Trinity Elementary

This is a special meeting of Council to review the potential names for the New Torbay Intermediate School and to recommend a school name to the School Board.

Attendance Summary

Present:

- Robert Coish, Community Representative
- Donald Emberley, Principal
- Yvette Favaro-Park, Parent Representative
- Elizabeth Gruchy, Parent Representative
- Venessa Nichols, Teacher Representative
- Maxine Rollins, Parent Representative
- Jennifer Snow, Teacher Representative
- Lisa Stagg, Community Representative

Regrets:

- nil

The meeting started at 7:00pm in the Resource Room of Holy Trinity Elementary. This meeting was chaired by Robert Coish.

1. Update on New School Building

Mr. Emberley provided a brief update on the new school building. Although waiting on the official word from the School District, arrangements are going ahead assuming that the new school will open after the Easter Break, for teachers on Monday April 24th and for students on Tuesday April 25th.

The start times will be the same as the current schedule at the elementary schools, within approximately 5 minutes. Bus schedules, duty schedules are currently being organized. Lunch arrangements have been made with the School Lunch Association. Start date for the school lunch program has not yet been decided.

2. Action Item Summary from Previous Meeting

School Council reviewed the four potential names presented to the community:

- Juniper Ridge Intermediate
- North East Intermediate
- Spruce Ridge Intermediate
- Water's Edge Intermediate

The results of the community Shortlist Survey were carefully reviewed.

After careful consideration, School Council chose the new school name to be recommended to the School Board.

ACTION ITEM #1: RECOMMENDATION TO THE SCHOOL BOARD

Administration will notify the School Board of the new school name recommended by School Council.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:10pm.

Yvette Favaro-Park
Parent Representative / Secretary