

O'Neill Collegiate and Vocational Institute

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SCC Minutes- March 2, 2022

Attendees (as names appear on Google Meet): Mark Lynch, Janet Miller, Rhonda Smith, Erin Hord, Angie Spencer, Cheryl Wellwood

Regrets: Liz Wrigley

Meeting called to order at 7:04pm

Welcome and Land Acknowledgement, Indigenous Inherent Rights, Human Rights and Equity statement

Chairs – Liz Wrigley and Angie Korras

Secretary - Janet Miller

Treasurer – Rhonda Smith

General SCC Business

-Feb 3rd minutes approved b Rhonda, seconded by Janet

-Parents as Partners Conference – scheduled for Wed May 11 or 18th 2022 tentatively

All councils/ committee's available through DDSB website

<https://www.ddsb.ca/en/index.aspx>

Student Council Report – Erin Hord

- March spirit week
- Earth Day Fundraiser
- Spirit Wear – general spirit wear, Student Council Shirts, Speciality Grad Contest
- Compost bin for Butterfly Garden
- Grad and Prom – waiting for update on regulations next week from Govt/Board

5. Principal's Report – Mark Lynch

- Inclusive Grade 9 programming for 2022-2023 School Year – de-streamed math
 - destreaming – reviewed what is destreaming and its historical aspects
 - New Science curriculum will be out Spring 2022
 - Geography, French and English will run on Academic curriculum
 - Virtual Assembly in celebration of Black History Month Wed March 2. Nikkita Holder, 2x Olympian and Pan American Bronze Medalist spoke on Resiliency and Mental Toughness.
 - Pink Shirt Day and week – The Positive School Climate team created and ran a full week of activities centered around connection and belonging. This included:
 - O'Neill Spirit Day wearing O'Neill colours or spirit wear
 - Writing messages of kindness in the front foyer and south foyer
 - Tie dying a white mask pink
 - Pink Shirt Day – wear pink to show your commitment to standing up to bullying and promoting inclusion.
 - O'Neill staff scavenger hunt
 - Frida Photo Booth in front Foyer
 - Quadmester 2 – Student Achievement – 93% of students passed their credits
69-70% were achieving Provincial Standard (70% or over)
 - Grad Photos with Life Touch – were from Jan 31 to Feb 7. Retakes will be in April – dates TBD
 - OSSLT
 - The requirement is waived this year for current grad 12's on track to graduate this year.
 - The Spring OSSLT will be administered to only Grade 10 students and any Grade 11 students who missed in the fall/ Gr 12 students who are not graduating this year.
 - Literacy Support is being planned for semester 2.
- Grade 12 Graduation / Prom
- June 30 2022 – if protocols allow – Tribute Centre in the morning with back up plans for the gym and or parking lot depending on Covid.
 - Grade 12 Guidance Google Classroom will soon be calling students for cap and gown sizing. Details will be shared on google classroom
 - Prom is on hold – waiting for Govt and Board announcements shortly

Progress Reports/Parent & Guardian – Teacher Interviews

- Progress reports will be available March 10
- Interviews are Thursday March 24 1-4 pm via phone, 5 min and are booked through the Parent Interview software on March 10.
- There will be a special bell schedule on this day – periods will be 30 min each with last period ending at 12:15pm – there is no lunch period and busses will arrive at 12:15 to transport students home.

6. Upcoming Dates

Events	Dates
Progress Reports	March 10, 2022
March Break	March 14-18 th 2022
Parent/Guardian Teacher Interviews	March 24, 2022 from 1-4pm
Grad Photo Retakes	April TBA
Mid- Term Report Card	April 29
End of classes for Grade 12's	June 21, 2022
Credit Completion for Grade 12's	June 22, 23, 2022
End of Classes for Grades 9-11's	June 24, 2022
Credit Completion for Grades 9-11's	June 27, 28, 2022
PA Day	June 29, 2022
Graduation	June 30, 2022

Questions

1. Incident at Mary St and Adelaide – the school cannot provide any further information. The Incident was resolved.
2. Track and Field – LOSA has sent some info. Students should check with the Phys Ed office.
3. Full Capacity Limits are not changing at the moment. Mr Lynch is reviewing currently.

Next Meeting- Wednesday May 4, 2022 7pm (Virtual)

Meeting Adjourned- 7:45 pm