

# Ecole Regent Park – Virtual Parent Advisory Council Meeting Minutes

May 20, 2025

## Attendance:

Lucia Grande – Principal

Paul Vosper- Treasurer

Deanna Pockett – Vice Principal

Tracey Ginter – Volunteer Coordinator

Lisa Kocis- Chair

Carlynn Bryga- Fundraising Coordinator

Paula Vosper- Secretary

Patricia Pare

1. **Call to order** by Lisa at 6:32 pm

2. **Review and adoption of minutes –**

Motion to adopt minutes –Tracey

Seconded by –Carlynn

3. **Chair Report –Lisa**

Welcome

4. **Vice Chair Report-** Barb Donaldson(absent)

No report

5. **Principal Report - Lucia Grande**

Tuesday May 20, 2025

École Regent Park

Principal 's Report – Lucia Grande

School enrollment – 645

Highlights at ERP

- June 17 th is our grade 2-8 Field Day- ERP Olympic day! We are planning a run-walk- athon in the morning for our grade 2-5 students, and the 7-11 truck and Jollibee Chicken will be supporting our community event with free slurpees and chicken! In the afternoon, we will have fun activities for our MY students. All money raised for the run-walk-athon will support the

purchase of ERP t-shirts for our EY students, so when they go on field trips, we can spot them 💎💎

We wish our grade 8 students a wonderful time in Quebec as they embark on an incredible journey from May 30 th to June 4 th .

- Jazz Cabaret – All families are invited to attend our outdoor event (indoors for inclement weather) on Thursday, June 19 th at 6:00 p.m.
- RED CROSS Babysitting Course: Grade 6 Babysitting course on Monday, June 6 th .
- Grade 8 Leadership- All students in grade 7 who wish to become grade 8 leaders for the 2025-26 school year will be participating in a full day training program on Tuesday, June 18 th .
- Grade 8 Exit- Transition Interviews- All grade 8 students will be participating in a day of presentations (TED TALK STYLE) on Wednesday, June 18 th .
- Grade 5 Instrument Selection Evenings- Grade 5 students entering grade 6 next school year are invited to attend one of two evenings at ERP to choose their instruments. Clinicians and our Band teachers will be on hand to help and to help you and your student make an informed decision on their Instrument of choice. June 11 th or June 12 th are the evenings, and both will be between 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- Grade 8 Farewell- On Thursday, June 26 th , we invite grade 8 families and their students to attend a Breakfast Farewell at ERP in the gym between 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. We will have light refreshments, a photo-backdrop for pictures, and all teachers from ERP will be on hand to say Au Revoir. Students will continue on their journey to Bird's Hill for the day for fun-filled activities.
- Community report- will be sent out in our final year Newsletter.

#### Staffing Update 2025-26

Katherine Ybanez will be joining our Administration team next year as an additional VP at ERP. Dominique Arbez is moving to DSFM as an early year's consultant and Corrine Earl is moving to Ecole Lagimodiere to be closer to home! Chantal Girardin is moving to grade 1 at École Centrale. Elizabeth Whitaker Jacques will be taking a leave of absence to work at the BEF for the year. We wish everyone the best!

Gr. Teacher's Name

2 Olga Bilash

2 Courtney Dufault

2 Brock Segal

3 Brittany Chmeliuk

3 Alexis Ferguson

3 Christa Banman

3 Georgia Campbell

4 Hope Aaron

4 Alexi Slobodian

4 Sydney Pritchard

5 Mélodie Gauthier

5 Malen Dufault

5 Christine Hay

6 Andy Smith

6 Dave Labelle

6 Alanna Stein

6 Russ Kraychuk

6 Erith Thompson

7 Amanda Sokoliuk

7 Erin Bergeron

7 Michael Lajoie

7 Melanie Layton

7 Patrick Hilario

7 Breanne Jones

8 Lise Lepine

8 Pat Duma

8 Matthew Hodgins

8 Lindsay Fuhro

8 Sydney Rudnicki

Teacher Librarian- Cherie Brakel

Phys.ed- Emiline Pierce, Aaron Kilpatrick, Matt Trudeau

Student Service- Janna Thompson, Paulette Lafleur, Jocelyn Vielfaure, Chrissie Ambrose, Reagan

Silver

Art Specialist- Cheryl Kruchak

Music-Band- Vanessa Nowostawski, Sean Adams

Applied Arts- Chantal Mutual (Home Ec.) Robin Hyra (Graphics)

Clerks- Shannon Fehr, Shelby Durand, Lisa Kocis

Custodians- Brent Nolan

Dates to remember:

No School on June 09 th

Early Dismissal on Friday, June 27th

Requests:

\$200 to purchase annuals-perennials for the school (our students would be part of the planting)

Questions: What else do we want to see around the school? Suggested creating a survey to send to parents.

6. **Vice Principal Report-** Deanna

Patrols – will be having their end of year wrap up. Applications sent to grade 4&5s from ERP, EMU and EC who would like to join for next school year.

Lunch Committee – Looking for parents to become members. Meetings once a month for half an hour on teams.

Grade 1 & 5's from EMU & EC came for a tour of the school.

7. **Fundraising report-** Carlynn

Discussed creating welcome package at beginning of school for opt out option.

Potential Fall Fundraisers:

Peak of Market Fundraiser

Rocco's Pizza

8. **Volunteer coordinators report-** Tracey

No report

10.**Treasurer's report-** Paul



# École Regent Park

2024/25 School year

Projected Budget Nil  
Estimated Project Costs Nil  
Projects Nil

	Summer break											
	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May
Opening Balance	\$ 3,137.15	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,127.79	\$ 3,881.40	\$ 3,672.44	\$ 3,672.44	\$ 3,285.47	\$ 3,051.69	\$ 3,051.69
Closing Balance	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,265.19	\$ 2,127.79	\$ 3,881.40	\$ 3,721.09	\$ 3,672.44	\$ 3,672.44	\$ 3,285.47	\$ 3,051.69	\$ 3,051.69

Income	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$965.00	\$2,405.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Expenses	(\$871.96)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	(\$1,102.40)	(\$651.39)	(\$160.31)	(\$48.65)		(\$386.97)	(\$233.78)	

## 11. Old Business:

Lisa to provide quote for tables for outdoor area for students and staff. Table until fall to discuss further.

## 12. New Business:

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\$200 to purchase annuals-perennials for the school (our students would be part of the planting)

Motion to Approve: Paul

2<sup>nd</sup>: Paula

## 13. Motion to accept all Reports

**Motion by:** Carlynn

**Seconded by:** Paul

## 14. Meeting Adjourned: 7:15pm