Joint School Council

September 13, 2016

7pm

Attendance: Diane Benoit, Melissa Portelance, Karin Scholl, Taryn Aucoin, Lynn Skrepnek, Peter Sutton, Carmen Labrecque, Pamela Heckbert, Robert Owens, Karen Benoit

- 1. Welcome
- Meeting called to order 1910hrs.
 Due to lack of Quorum items 4 and 5 will be tabled, and meeting will continue with information items.
- 6. What's happening at Routhier.

Meet the teacher night Sept 19. Sept 21: Bus safety 1-3pm, Sept 21 and 22 interactive dance presentation, Sept 21 HOJA (antibullying session community sponsored presentation at Ecole Heritage), Sept 29 Terry Fox Run with GP Vanier 12:30-2:30: Ecole Routhier students will be driven to Guy community and take part in a walk organized by the Routhier staff, GP Vanier students will also be bussed to the outskirts of Guy and take part in a 2-3km walk into the community to join the routhier students. Water and cake will be served to the students to celebrate the walk. All children will board the same busses they arrived to the event on and will be brought back to their schools around 2:30.

- School staff will contact those parents who completed the volunteer form last September to help with the event to pick up water, hand out water and cut/serve cake. Request for volunteers to be mentioned on website, if no volunteers found high school students may be asked to help out.
- Karen mentioned comment from last year's event regarding those with allergies or special diet to have option of gluten free cake or other food accommodating affected students.

7. What's new at Vanier

Fentanyl information sheet distributed from HPSD, reviewed with staff and made available on website for parent and student education and awareness. Sept 29 Terry Fox with Routhier. Pancake breakfast and awards ceremony went well 2nd day of school. Mentorship program has started and is going well. Cross country running program started first run Sept 29 in Rycroft, then zone Oct 5, provincials to follow. Volleyball started for all Jr and Sr high. Operation Christmas child boxes will soon be ready for distribution to families wanting to participate. A few new staff members, and new FNMI success coach- Shirley Whitehead.

8. Trustee Report

Joussard Schoold official grande Opening this month. 24 Red light infractions within HPSD, 17 being in Slave lake. New website up and running, staff still learning system and hoping messenger system will improve communication between parents, students and staff.

11. Next meeting Oct 11 @7pm at Routhier. Meeting adjourned at 8pm.