



School Advisory Council Annual Report – June 2023

School	East St Margaret’s Consolidated Elementary School
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Please list SAC members including names, membership type (i.e., parent, community member, staff), and role (i.e., Chair, Vice Chair).

David O’Brien- Principal
Sissy Berringer- Support Staff Representative
Leslie Publicover- Parent Representative (Chair)
Shelley Mills – Community Representative
Heather Naploi- Parent Representative
Patricia (Trish) Cuvelier- Teacher Representative

Please describe a summary of work undertaken by the SAC to improve student achievement and school performance.

Our SAC has supported school achievement and Performance through the following:

- Provided funds to facilitate skating program at local community arena -
- Acted as a strong voice advising the school principal on school practices and initiatives
- Acted as a further line of communication with the community.
- Received information and data that are part of the ESM’s school Improvement plan.
- Determined spending priorities for the funds allocated to support the SAC’s mandate, in accordance with the terms of the SAC agreement.

Please list any significant milestones and success stories that the SAC would like to highlight.

- SAC appreciated the many challenges this wonderful staff had with keeping the students engaged.
- Our SAC reflected the community’s appreciation of the quality care and instruction provided by the staff.
- The SAC is a great source of information regarding the community’s history, traditions, and resources which are available to ESM.

Please describe any related sub-committee work undertaken by SAC members (e.g., School Options Committee).

- None to report

Statements of Revenues and Expenditures:

Expenditures supporting the school improvement plan (e.g., providing resources to support math and literacy instruction).

- None to report

Expenditures supporting policy development and implementation (e.g., supporting and promoting new policies).

- Each of our 5 principal teachers were provided with \$300.00 to provide additional classroom materials and activities. Teachers used these funds to purchase materials and resources to create highly engaging lessons for students in Math and literacy.
- Student well-being and physical activity was supported with \$200.00 in funds to refresh student materials used for outdoor play at recess and lunch.
- Student well being was also supported through SAC funding of our Ice Cream social and Grade 6 Leaving Ceremony which contributed to positive school culture and building relationships with the community.

Expenditures covering operational expenses; up to 20 percent of provincial SAC funding may be used as operational expenses, if necessary, to encourage and support member participation).

- None to report

Please return to School Supervisor by Monday, June 22, 2023. Thank you.