

School Advisory Council Annual Report – June 2025

School	Five Bridges Junior High School

Please list SAC members including names, membership type (i.e., parent, community member, staff), and role (i.e., Chair, Vice Chair).

Chair: Nancy Snow (Parent)

Secretary: Glenda Rubia (Parent)

Parents: Janine McClure, Chantal Pelham-Edwards

Principal: Joanne Kirkpatrick

Staff members: Luke Penney, Erin Morrow, Andrea Black, Christina Kempster

Community members: Melanie Ross, Julie Stover

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

The SAC continues to be supportive of the work that is undertaken at FBJH to support student achievement. The School Advisory Council worked collaboratively with staff at the school to determine gaps/needs. They brainstormed ways to support the school while keeping student achievement at the forefront of the decision-making process.

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

The SAC once again responded to our need for additional Chromebooks to add to our inventory at the school. One gap that still exists at FBJH is that students do not have access to Chromebooks in a 1:1 ratio. This is increasingly important given the move towards a cell phone policy that is now in place. Teachers need the ability to have students access technology, without having to rely on students accessing their own phones.

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

Statements of Revenues and Expenditures:

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

With our SAC Grant money of \$5787.00, we have supported the school in the following purchases:

Purchase more Chromebooks to support the Grade 6 and 7 classrooms - \$3814.72 Resources for the Music Program - \$192.02

Purchase of basketball/volleyball uniforms (well-being/healthy schools): \$1016.70 Support the Grade 9's Boat Cruise day trip - \$500

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

Math – resources Literacy – resources / chromebooks Well-being – uniforms

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

Food (meetings) / gifts for members leaving: \$ 263.56

Please return to School Supervisor by Monday, June 14, 2024. Thank you.