

École Ness Annual General Meeting Minutes - October 7, 2025

- 1.) Meeting began at 6:02 pm
- 2.) Four parents attended: two on-line, two in-person
- 3.) Welcome and introductions
- 4.) Explained that the sole purpose of the meeting was to establish whether there were enough in attendance to meet quorum to establish a Parent Council or Student Advisory Council.
- 5.) Given quorum = 20, it was determined that a Student Advisory Council would be operating for the 25-26 school year.
- 6.) Principal reviewed the following report:
 - a. 25-26 school off to an incredible start – busy. It is an honour to continue being part of this incredible community.
 - b. 404 students; 6, Gr 6 classes, 7 Gr 7, 5 Gr 8 and a total Staff of 46
 - c. Clubs and Sports – Cross Country, V-Ball, Ultimate, Fitness Club, Mythology, etc...
 - d. Important upcoming dates:
 - In-Services Oct 10 and Oct 24
 - No School Monday, Oct 13 (Thanksgiving)
 - Remembrance Day Program – Thurs, Nov 7, 10:30 am – Live streamed
 - Term One Conferences – Tues, Nov 18
 - Choir and Concert Band Winter concert – Tues, Dec 9 – Live streamed
 - e. Information sent regularly via email/School Messenger
 - f. School Plans for 25-26 are on-going and are aligned with Division Strategic Plan. Will be shared with the community.
 - g. Date of next meeting – Feb, TBA, 2026, to be held in the foyer and on-line.
- 7.) Opened to attendees for questions, comments, feedback:
 - a. Ski trip discussed and alternative programming for 7's remaining at school explained.
 - b. Feedback provided about how well Band programming is going.
 - c. Feedback provided about appreciation for First Note evening but that Trombone players weren't taught how to clean the instrument.
- 8.) Meeting concluded at 6:22 pm