



BLISS CARMAN MIDDLE SCHOOL
615 Kimble Drive
Fredericton, NB
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Parent School Support Committee
Meeting Agenda
Monday, October 27, 2025

PSSC Members Present: Jamie Yeamans, Victor Bobarnac, Kate Smith-Palmer, Sabina Thapa, Loreigh MacKay, Jillian Lackey	School/DEC Representation Present: Chantale Cloutier, Principal Gretchen Murray, Teacher
PSSC Members Regrets: Elizabeth Carns, Amira & Danesh	School/DEC Representation: Charlotte Burhoe

- 1. Call to order @ 6:00PM**
- 2. Approval of the agenda : Victor and seconded by Sabina**
- 3. Approval of Minutes of past meeting (shared in meeting 5 minutes)**

-No changes proposed: Notion by Victor and seconded Kate
- 4. Principal's report: (shared in meeting – 15 minutes)**

-Nov 7th new Admin Assistant?

-School Budget: used for purchasing furniture, paper/supplies, busses, student fees are used for special presentations and local field trips, classroom resources, fundraising (Specific designation for funds needs to be addressed), maintenance,

-2 modulars (potentially 3) projected based on numbers from Liverpool, NMES, and Montgomery

-SIP goal is going to be based on Math Data and finding ways to encourage the use and importance of cross-curricular use of math, specifically Statistics & Probability and Shape & Space,

-Safe School week will be continuing over the next week or so while new staff become familiar with the process

-We Scare Hunger- Food Bank Program: Students are being asked to bring food to school and school dance to help with Donations required (Could this be a homeroom tournament?)

5. DEC Report (shared during meeting – 10 minutes)

-Last Thursday (Oct 23rd) was the last meeting, South-East K-8 school discussion has becomes a Tier 1 project, but population projections need to be changed or else the school will end up becoming redundant within 2 years of being built

-Acquiring land for Forest Hill/Liverpool new school location (approximately #4 priority with DEC)

-George Street middle school land has not been acquired

-Absenteeism/Chronic Absenteeism Policy is supposed to be implemented by the end of September to add to homeroom teachers workload after 3 days of absence, then ESS will get involved, then administration, then additional supports will be called in. District will not be providing further support to the school to do this.

6. Other business:

- a. New School Planning Update: Hanwell School seems to be more appropriate design for middle school
- b. Provincial Education Plan Consultations

7. Date of Next Meetings:

November 24, 2025

January 19, 2025

March 23, 2026

May 25, 2026

8. Adjournment (scheduled @ 7:00PM): Motion to Dismiss at 7:06 by Loreigh MacKay, seconded by everyone present