



**McAdam Elementary School
29 Rose Street
McAdam, NB
Parent School Support Committee
Agenda**

**Date: April 27th, 2023 Time: 4:30pm
Location: McAdam Elementary School**

Call to Order: 4:30

Approval of the Agenda: Shirley

Approval of the Minutes from Previous Meeting: Shirley

Attendance: Diane, Erica, Scott, Janessa, Shirley, Sarah, Amy

Absent: Sherry, Serena, Tammy

Business Arising from the Minutes:

New Business:

- Principal Updates:

- Nature Trail -
 - Update –*Gregory Reardon came to help clear the path with Crystal Roberts. They came Monday April 24th. Rules – have to be supervised, no running, leave it as you found it.*
 - Feedback – *kids love it, they have talked about the “lightening tree”*
 - Ideas – *identifying trees with labels, pictures of birds and insects so students can identify them, bench seating,*
- Thursday Pizza Day Feedback – *parents are enjoying it, as are the students, People are asking why the Legion is not doing lunch for the Elementary school if they do it for the High school? Scott will contact them, to see if they want to try it before the school year is out. Is there a way to donate so that we can help the students who can't afford it?*
- Coding for K-2 – *Yvette Seely came from district to teach students how to use the program ScratchJR.*

- Basketball – *K-2 has ended. The coach had to go back to work. The 3-5 is still going, hopefully until the end of the year. The students seem to be enjoying it.*
 - Community Gym use – *What other activities do we want? Yoga (for adults, possibly children?), Karate, Gymnastics (Bonnie Kilburn? Comes to Harvey), Soccer, Lacrosse NB,*
 - Book Fair
 - *Sold \$2300 worth*
 - *\$650 in rewards – Shirlu took students out to spend the money. They got to choose books they thought their class would like to see in the library.*
 - Pre-K Parent Group – *EYE-Da district people have been coming out a few Mondays from 9:30-11. They bring the Pre-K students who want to come and do games and activities with them.*
 - Jump Rope for Heart – *this will be coming up soon. Trying to get it done before the bugs come out*
 - Field Trips – *K and Grade 5 are going to Kingswood. Grade 1, 2/3, 3/4 are going to Science East*
 - Grade 5 Year end Celebration – *Kelsey Cole takes the lead on this. They have not planned what they will be doing this year.*
 - DEC Music Donation – *Beth Christie applied for funding for musical equipment for small schools. They donated 10 small hand drums, 3 larger hand drums, some box drums, tambourines, egg shakers*
- Bike Rodeo – *Scott – contact Lisa Williams to see about setting this up*

Correspondence:

Closing Comments:

Date of Next Meeting:

Adjournment: 5:15

D. Mackay
Apr 27/23.

PSSC Chair

S. Cousin

Principal