EMSBPC report March 2nd, 2023

Land acknowledgement

Mme. Lacroix spoke about the Board's effort to do a RESPECT campaign this year. That perhaps taking a minute to be aware of how messages are being presented can go a long way.

Bill 96 Statement done

Letter to the board about Individual fundraising accounts approved.

Donation to families tabled again.

Annual PC scholarship award to be chosen by principal and given by PC rep approved. Literacy book prizes to form a subcommittee to choose the book.

EMSB administration clarifies that unless already planned for this year, to stay away from gambling type fundraisers including Bingo nights, Raffles, and lotteries. Reasoning being to legality issues and minors and gambling is not a good mix. Many parents objected- exec to draft a letter to that effect.

Next meeting April 13th changed to zoom

N.B.: I wrote to the board stating that holding this meeting during both Passover and Ramadan was inconsiderate. Received a reply that it will be something to consider next year.