**Collège Churchill Parent Advisory Council**

**Wednesday, March 19th@ 6pm**

**Meeting Minutes**

Present: Georgia Wells (Principal); Nathan Tocher (VP, French Milieu); Kyla Stewart (Chair/Recording Secretary); Melissa; Maria; meagan; Monique; Amanda; Hannah; Samantha; Taiwo

**School Report**

* Successful Black History Month
	+ School-wide assembly with:
		- Speakers
			* Janis Kelly - one of the most spectacular athletes to ever play for Winnipeg, leading the Wesmen women's volleyball team to a national championship and later representing Canada at the 1996 Olympics, and a long standing member of the RCMP
			* Hon. Uzoma Asagwara - Deputy Premier and Minister of Health, Seniors and Long-term Care of Manitoba. Prior to politics they were a nurse and basketball player.
		- Fashion show with traditional wear
		- Alumni came and sang
		- Assembly ran long, so stopped for lunch and reconvened
		- Students respectful
		- Amazing day
* Finished first middle years Inquiry Fair
	+ Amazingly received and executed
	+ Will make this an annual event
* French Immersion Students wrapping up concours d’art oratoire
* Registration
	+ As there is a new system in place – no visibility yet as to how registration is going for the upcoming year
		- * Catchment school registration opens for new students.
* Lots of learning outside of the classroom happening
	+ Moose Game in support of Project 11 and mental health
	+ Art Gallery
	+ Riverview Health Center
	+ The Leaf
	+ Forks Nestawaya River Trail
	+ UofM faculty of Agriculture
	+ MTC

**PAC Update**

* First hybrid meeting and we had lots of folks join online, so will keep this format
* Glenlea Greenhouse Fundraiser
	+ Carol Murphy will run this fundraiser
		- Order Deadline: Tuesday, April 15, 2025 (11:59 PM) - late orders cannot be accepted
		- Pick-Up: Wednesday, May 14, 2025, in the schoolyard
	+ Kyla will work with school to get the messaging out

**Other Business**

* MHSAA Preparatory School Policy Repeal
	+ High school basketball season ended with no resolution to this matter
	+ NorthStar Academy still able to practice for the remainder of the year at CCHS – they just need to pull permits
	+ Administration made the difficult decision to not allow NorthStar to practice at CCHS starting in September to prevent CCHS students from participating in high school sports
	+ This repeal is ongoing, and administration is committed to keep parents informed and to continue discussions.
	+ Maria Peape has volunteered to be the parent liaison for this group.

**Next PAC meeting: Wednesday, April 16 @ 6:00 pm**