#### **Limestone District School Board**

# Special Education Advisory Committee

### SEAC Meeting

Wednesday, April 17, 2019

# Limestone District School Board Education Centre 220 Portsmouth Avenue, Kingston

6:00 pm

# <u>AGENDA</u>

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Approval of Agenda
- 3. Declaration of Conflict of Interest
- 4. Business Arising From the Minutes
  - SFAC start time for 2019-2020.
- 5. Presentation: Autism Ontario Natalie Nicholson
- 6. Educational Services Update- Principal Darlene Scarlett
- 7. Correspondence (attached)
- 8. Association Updates (Attached)
- 9. Other Business
  - i) Ministry Updates Associate Superintendent Alison McDonnell
  - ii) SEAC Goal Setting (2014) Associate Superintendent Alison McDonnell and Jen Murphy, Special Education Program Coordinator
  - iii) Resignation of Member at Large Associate Superintendent Alison McDonnell
  - iv) Service Animals in Schools-Public Consultation Associate Superintendent Alison McDonnell

# 10. Next Meeting Date

May 15, 2019 at 5 p.m. (Algonquin & Lakeshore Catholic DSB)

# 11. Adjournment

# SEAC start times – Ontario Public School Boards

Avon Maitland	3:30 pm
Bluewater	9:30 am
DSB Niagara	6:00 pm
Durham	6:30 pm
Hamilton-Wentworth	6:00 pm
Hasting Prince Edward	5:00 pm
Kawarth Pine Ridge	3:30 pm
Lakehead	6:00 pm
Near North	1:15 pm
Ottawa-Carlton	7:15 pm
Peel	7:00 pm
Peterborough, Victoria, Northumberland	6:30 pm
Rainbow	Noon
Renfrew County	4 pm
Simcoe County	7:00 pm
Thames Valley	12:15 pm
Toronto	7:00 pm
Trillium Lakelands	5:00 pm
Upper Canada	6:30 pm
Upper Grand	7:00 pm





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#### ASSOCIATE SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

#### **APRIL 17, 2019**

i) Ministry Updates

There are no new special education Ministry updates to share.

ii) SEAC Goal Setting (2014)

> The Limestone District School Board SEAC engaged in a goal setting process over the 2014-2015 school year. This process resulted in a framework which identified three goals: Advocacy as Capacity Building: Student Focus-Student Achievement and; Parent and Community Engagement. These goals require review as SEAC embarks on a new four-year term.

iii) Resignation of Member at Large

> Stephanie Shunk has regretfully resigned as Member at Large on SEAC, effective immediately. The Board will proceed with filling this position as soon as possible.

Service Animals in Schools-Public Consultation iv)

> The Ministry of Education is now beginning a public consultation on a draft Policy/Program Memorandum (PPM) School Board Policies on Service Animals. You may access the draft PPM and survey and provide online feedback by accessing the following link: www.ontario.ca/page/consultation-service-animals-schools. This consultation will be open until May 4, 2019.

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