



Also recognized is Ms. Touchette's teacher, Charlene O'Hanley, for supporting her submission.

Ms. Touchette's art piece is entitled *Mother Nature* and will depict one of the tragic outcomes of the

After the moment of silence, the Chairperson began by welcoming everyone to the first in-person meeting in quite some time. He noted that he hoped that everyone took advantage of the spring break to relax and recharge for the final stretch of the 2021-2022 school year. The final stretch will not be without its challenges, as it was announced earlier today the province has just entered into its sixth COVID-19 wave, but the school board is up to the challenge and will keep its students and staff safe. He thanked all stakeholders for their support of the entire school community and gave a shout-out to the students, teachers, maintenance personnel, support personnel and management staff for keeping things running smoothly.

He went on to note the following in his report:

March 9 and 10, 2022 – Commissioners Donna Anber, Vincent Cammisano, James Di Sano, Olivia Landry, Emilio Migliozi, Melissa Wall and Parent Commissioner Adam Gordon, the Director General and himself joined school board parents at an anti-bullying conference given by Alain Pelletier. Mr. Pelletier provided an experience of what it is like to be a victim of bullying every day. He expressed the Council's appreciation to the organizers of this conference, Nathalie Rollin, Principal of Laval Senior Academy, her team and Dominic Di Stefano, Spiritual Animator. He encouraged anyone who has not seen Mr. Pelletier to do so. The schools all have an Anti-Bullying and Anti-Violence Plan that is adopted annually.

School Climate Team – A school climate is the learning environment and relationships found within a school and its school community. The school climate provides a sense of belonging, feeling safe physically, emotionally and socially through positive communications. Congratulations to Pedagogical Services on the development of the School Climate Team, as it provides a positive school climate through best practices.

The Laurier Gala and Star Fest will return on May 26, 2022. Students interested in auditioning for the Star Fest can send their videos to the school board. To date, forty videos have been received and more are expected by the deadline. Once all submissions are received, a jury will review them and select between twelve and sixteen acts.

#### Community Comments

Commissioner Donna Anber gave a special shout-out to Melanie Bujold, CLC Coordinator at Laurentian Regional High School, who was recently recognized by the Lachute Chamber of Commerce for her involvement in projects that benefit the area's youth.

The Chairperson noted that the Sir Wilfrid Laurier School Board schools are community hubs and the CLCs help to bring the community together.

The Director General presented her monthly report noting the following in relation to the Commitment-to-Success Plan (CTPS):

#### Orientation 3: *Develop a learning and working environment that promotes health, safety and well-being*

CDC Pont-Viau has developed a Zen space for use between classes. During the month of March, this space has offered yoga and salsa dancing.

Laval Senior Academy held an anti







Commissioner Vincent Cammisano MOVED THAT, on the recommendation of the Advisory Committee – Student Success, the Council of Commissioners of the Sir Wilfrid Laurier School Board award the contract for the renovation of the washrooms at Phoenix Alternative High School to Constructions Larco Inc., for a total cost of





The Director of Information Resources noted that a resolution is required to participate in the CAG tender in order to benefit from being able to purchase from any supplier whose price does not exceed the lowest bidder by 10 percent. The school board is looking to replace 30 to 40 photocopiers as they are more than 10 years old.

Participation in a CAG  
Tender

WHEREAS the Centre d'acquisitions gouvernementales (CAG) will be conducting public call

Acquisition of Photocopiers

There was no report.

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WHEREAS Dawson College has stated that postponing the enlargement project will have a negative impact on the maintenance and development of English services offered to students who are currently attending and will be attending the college in the near future;

WHEREAS the Sir Wilfrid Laurier School Board wishes to support Dawson College in its request to the Québec Government to maintain this enlargement project as planned in the next Plan québécois des infrastructures;

The Chairperson thanked everyone who attended this evening's meeting via Zoom noting that this is a great way for stakeholders to observe how the Council operates.