

Bloorview School Council

Wednesday, Mar 2, 2022 10AM

Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87008455726>

Attending: Jamie (co-chair), Trinela (co-chair), Bill Melven (community representative/BSA volunteer), Dani (secretary/BSA educational assistant), Andrea Norton (BSA/HBKRH), Dr. Andrea Hoffman (guest speaker), Trishauna Hewitt, Anne Shepperd, Aimee Jessop, Nasar Al Nasar, Samantha Barkin-Budd, Renee Charette, Laura Chianello, Kent Chan, Ksenia Koulia, Leanne Chiu, Loretta Lun, Samah Sari Darwish, Moatasem Salama, Sarah Nauman(Principal), Robin White (Vice-Principal)

Regrets: Rose Monacelli, Heather Methven

Ministry of Education: [Guidelines for School Councils](#)

Item	Description / Notes
Welcome	Jamie <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Welcome + introduction for Andrea Hoffman
Guest Speaker	Dr. Andrea Hoffman presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Introduction: Andrea Hoffman is a developmental pediatrician at HB- Discussed <i>Advanced Care Planning</i>:<ul style="list-style-type: none">- the standard of care for pediatric patients, and the process of establishing goals of care- a long term, longitudinal process - not something that happens all at once, it's a framework for ongoing discussions over time that assist with thinking and planning for the future (including financial)- an extension of usual treatment plan discussions, providing opportunities for participation and inclusion- primarily used with clinicians and families- supports the emotional and cognitive needs of caregivers

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - assists with monitoring and preventing future medical concerns & preparation in case of severe or life threatening injury - key points: empowers individuals and families, embraces uncertainty, difficult decisions don't need to be made during a moment of crisis, not all questions/discussions will have a solution but they can open the door to conversations - Introduced <i>The Future Care Planning Postcard</i>: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - developed to prompt and guide conversations - encourages families to start early, providing topics to consider for the future - topics of importance are dependent on the needs of each individual family, not all steps will apply or will happen in order (i.e. planning may take place prior to full discussions with healthcare professionals to eliminate decisions being made in a moment of crisis) - co-created with families, clients, alumni, and the youth advisory group - available in English & French - side A: highlights the different sections (function, family, fitness, friends & fun, future health) - side B: provides a 5-step process for future planning (think, talk, learn, plan, share)
<p>High School Students Report (10 Min)</p>	<p>Postponed</p>
<p>Principal/Vice-Principal Report</p>	<p>Sarah</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Thank you to Dr. Andrea Hoffman - Important discussion today because we need more opportunity to share and connect with each other <p>School Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Public health guidelines for COVID-19 might be changing, however no changes have been made to hospital guidelines (which we follow). Until you hear directly from Bloorview School, assume we are following the same guidelines as currently (including screening). - March Break is coming up. An indoor March Break "trip" is being planned for the students to participate in: Olympics theme. - 2nd Awards Assembly - you will be informed in advance if your child is receiving an award, please keep it a secret. Every student receives an award at some point

	<p>throughout the year.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- 2022/2023 admission process has begun, 41 applicants for 24 spots- Transition meetings are underway for students leaving during or after the current school year. Questions regarding transitions should go to Rachel Beatty.
Other	<p>Jamie & Trinela</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Thank you- Email the school council to request a PDF version of The Future Care Planning Postcard. Will also be uploaded to the Facebook group.
Next meeting	Wednesday, April 6 - 7PM