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Minutes

<b>Date/ time:</b>	NOVEMBER 18, 2025 7:00PM	<b>Location:</b>	LINKS High School (VIRTUAL-TEAMS)
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<b>Present</b>	Maria Caldarella- Principal Shannen Ciricillo- Professional, Secretary (interim) Sara Gurreri- Teacher Marc Chan- Teacher Teresa Cappellano- Parent, Chairperson Domenica Sollecito- Parent Anthony Clarizio- Parent, Treasurer Patrizia Petrecca- Community Representative Yannick Riopel- Parent Myriam Farley- Support Staff
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<b>Regrets</b>	--
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<b>1.</b>	<b>Welcome</b> Call meeting to order at 7:05pm.
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<b>2.</b>	<b>Reading and Approval of the Agenda</b> <b>Motion 1:</b> Moved by T. Cappellano; seconded by D. Sollecito to approve the agenda for the November 18, 2025, meeting. All in favour.
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<b>3.</b>	<b>Adoption of the minutes October 14, 2025</b> <b>Motion 2:</b> Moved by Y. Riopel; seconded by D. Sollecito to approve the minutes of the October 14, 2025. All in favour.
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<b>4.</b>	<b>Business arising from the minutes</b>
	N/A

<b>5.</b>	<b>New Business</b>
<b>5.1</b>	Information <b>Summer Camp</b> T. Cappellano presents update about summer camps. She connected with the coordinator of "Rock Camp" (west of Montreal Island) interested in offering summer camp to students at LINKS High School for a short period of time during the summer. Next step is to get approval of location for this camp closer to east end and to also hire staff (opportunity for LINKS staff as well).
<b>5.2</b>	Information <b>Annual Budget</b> M. Caldarella presents that commissioners approved and released board-wide budget, but measure budget has not yet been released to schools. 90% of the budget has been allocated in operating funds.
<b>5.3</b>	Approval <b>Governing Board Composition</b>



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		M. Caldarella presents a resolution to invite additional members to Governing board for the 2026-2027 school year. She proposes 4 parents (additional 1), 2 teachers, 2 non-teaching staff members (support staff and professional), 2 community partners (additional 1), and addition of 2 students. <b>Motion 3:</b> Moved by T. Cappellano; seconded by D. Sollecito to approve the resolution for governing board composition for the 2026-2027 school year. All in favour.
<b>5.4</b>	Information	<b>Holiday Supper December 11, 2025</b> M. Caldarella invites governing board members to the holiday dinner with LINKS High School at PIUS Culinary Dining Room.
<b>5.5</b>	Information	<b>Educational Project 23-27</b> M. Caldarella presents the educational project from 2023-2027, in collaboration with the Vice-Principal to develop the action plan and goal monitoring that needs to be reported to the government. The document will be finalized in December and presented for approval at the next meeting.

<b>6.</b>		<b>Reports</b>
<b>6.1</b>		<b>Professional's Report</b> – See attached report
<b>6.2</b>		<b>Teacher's Report</b> – See attached report
<b>6.3</b>		<b>Support Staff Report</b> – See attached report
<b>6.4</b>		<b>Principal's Report</b> – See attached report
<b>6.5</b>		<b>Parent Committee Report</b> – See attached report

<b>7.</b>		<b>Question period for the public</b>
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<b>8.</b>		<b>Varia</b>
<b>8.1</b>	Information	<b>SASSY</b> M. Caldarella proposes bringing back SASSY this year, which is a group of students advocating for and speaking on behalf of other students.

<b>9.</b>		<b>Date of next meeting: December 11, 2025</b>
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<b>10.</b>		<b>Adjournment</b> <b>Motion 8:</b> Moved by S. Ciricillo; seconded by A. Clarizio to adjourn the meeting at 8:50pm. All in favour.
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