



## Meeting Snapshot

### Principal's Update

- Reviewed school improvement and equity planning priorities by grade
- Grades 5-12, parents/caregivers, and staff are invited to complete [TVDSB School Climate Survey](#). The survey is about experiences and feelings related to school life, such as safety, connection and belonging, and the school environment. Parents/caregivers will receive the survey by email starting **February 13, 2023**.
- Provided an update on classroom activities including: February is Black history month, Grade 8 working with Western on eco initiatives, Grade 7-8 planning Carnival in March, Thames Valley Education Foundation Funding – Robotics, Grade 4 teachers involved in focused math PD

### Treasurer's Report

- Provided a Treasurer's update on current funding and the breakfast program. The program is an inclusive program for all students offered on Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 8:00 – 8:15 am.

### Playground Update

- All TVDSB playground equipment is inspected annually by the City of London's Parks and Recreation department. LAFI's play structure with the slide was recently deemed unsafe in November 2022.
- School Council has started a subcommittee of parent volunteers to draft the proposal to the Board including grant plans, fundraising plans, and is currently obtaining quotes from vendors.
- Fundraising efforts can begin once the proposal is submitted and approved by the Board.

### Attendance Area Review Committee (AARC) for Secondary Schools

- The TVDSB is reviewing enrolment boundaries for secondary schools. The goal is to address enrolment imbalances, and to add a third French Immersion site to relieve enrollment pressure.
- It's being proposed to retain two existing French Immersion sites at Banting SS and Wilfrid Laurier SS, and add a third location at Clarke Road SS.
- LAFI is currently a feeder school for Banting SS. Under the new proposal, LAFI would become a feeder school for Clarke Road SS.
- The community can submit comments [here](#) and/or [attend a virtual meeting](#) on **February 22, 2023**.
- Full details are posted in the [Initial Report - January 31, 2023](#) (see pp 8).

## Join LAFI Parent/Caregiver Social Media

- Follow @LAFIPSSC on Twitter for updates from School Council
- Join Parent/Caregiver Facebook group | <https://www.facebook.com/groups/LouiseArbour>

## Next Hybrid Meeting

- April 3, 2023 | Join in-person or on MSTeams

## School Council Members

### Parents

Chair:	Robert Ayres
Vice-Chair/Treasurer:	Hakan Karatas
Secretary:	Jenny Ingrey
Treasurer:	Amber Giffen
Parent Member:	Colleen Kelsey

### LAFI Teachers and Administrators

Principal:	Sylvie Blais
Vice-Principal:	Ingrid Hollander
Teacher Member:	Julia Lantos
Teacher Member:	Cara McCrae