PIAC Working Group Report

March 2025	Communications Working Group ("COMMs WG")
Objective	Create, develop and manage our PIAC website, newsletter, social media, and event communications. Engage in communication strategies to bring awareness about the mandate of PIAC to TDSB families in support of parent engagement.
Updates	 WG Meetings → Meeting held March 13, 2025 Attendees: Seema Mitchell, Nicole Herbert, Andrew Waters, Felecia Oakley (parent), Gordon Harvey, Mercy Charles, Nicole Di Wu Absent: Nadia Judunath (on leave), Sarah Ali, Kaydeen Bankasingh
	 Group <u>discussed/reviewed/actioned:</u> ✓ PIAC website & pdf content refresh → RFQ for a copywriter to review and update our website content and our pdfs ✓ PIAC website domain host → reviewed alternatives - selected SiteGround as our choice ✓ PIAC promo campaign → PIAC info via board-wide broadcast ✓ PIAC Ward Outreach → planning guide, FAQ and related documents/forms
	 PIAC Website → content refresh still pending RFQ PDF Refresh → RFQ to go out again this year Website Analytics → round up of PIAC website visitor data - increase in new site visitors and traffic overall over the past 4 months.
	Active users ③ New users ③ Average engagement time per active user ③ Total revenue ③ SO.OO \$\\$0.00\$ 150 150 150 150 150 150 150
	Property Education Property ID: 335465626
	 5. POST newsletter → moved to new design platform for improved accessibility a. March issue published, distributed via MailChimp, posted to SM b. all issues on the PIAC website - please share https://www.torontopiac.com/whats-happening/newsletter
	6. Committee promotions → TDSB Communications will share March PIAC POST in the next TDSB Connects and with staff "News you can Use" → PIAC Recruitment flyer posted on SM
	7. Ward Outreach → co-created multiple documents, forms with SC Support to facilitate Ward Outreach initiative
	8. Slack → Create an account <u>HERE</u> to use our <u>PIAC Slack community</u> to stay in touch and share info with other PIAC members & WGs. 39 members are currently using SLACK for inter-committee communication!
	9. Ward events & news → PIAC reps, please post your ward items for sharing in our Slack Communications WG channel
Question to staff	
WG Members * = Co-Chair ** = Parent member *** = Community member/ TDSB CSW	Zena Shereck* Sarah Ali* Seema Mitchell Andrew Waters Nadia Judunath Crystal Stewart Nicole Herbert***