

PIAC Working Group REPORT

Working Group	Membership
Date	October 20, 2020

Description/Objectives	<p>Track and monitor PIAC’s membership and ensure representation of all wards.</p> <p><u>Scope of work for Membership WG from PIAC 2020-2021 Workplan</u></p> <p><i>Pending approval of the Final Report from the Strategic Planning Meeting on August 22, 2020.</i></p>
Update	<p><u>Membership WG Meeting – September 28, 2020 @6:30 pm via Zoom</u></p> <p>PRESENT: Felicia Seto-Lau, Nazerah Shaikh, Jess Hungate, Wilmar Kortleever, Janice Barnett, , Shanti Chand, Chris Levien, Andrew Waters, D Williams, Zena Shereck</p> <p>REGRETS: Jenny Gannon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● First meeting of the school year. ● Janice and Nazerah are acclaimed as Co-Leads. ● Reviewed PIAC 2020-2021 Workplan (slide deck) and determined the scope of work: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Work with PIAC Exec on development of resources to clarify roles/responsibilities/expectations ○ Mentorship (automatic matching of new/experienced members) ○ Define role of PIAC as public education advocates at various levels of govt ○ Ensure access to necessary tools to conduct the work - Tech/internet training and printed materials ○ Leverage parent (and student) expertise ○ Volunteer Recognition ○ Orientation/Education ○ Leverage TDSB resources to facilitate equity training for all PIAC members ○ AODA compliance training <p><u>PIAC Executive Meeting – October 13, 2020 @6:30 pm via Zoom</u></p> <p>1. Newly elected PIAC members:</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(1) NONE</p> <p>2. Current PIAC vacancies:</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(1) Trustee Gill (W1 Rep)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(2) Trustee Pilkey (W7 Alt)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(3) Trustee Moise (W10 Alt)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(4) Trustee Brown (W12 Alt)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(5) Trustee Rajakulasingam (W21 Rep)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(6) Trustee Rajakulasingam (W21 Alt)</p> <p>3. Members with expired/expiring terms:</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(1) Haniya Sheikh (W12 Rep) - February 2020 – Trustee Brown</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(2) Nazerah Shaikh (W14 Rep) - March 2020 – Trustee Doyle</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(3) Felicia Lau (W3 Rep) - October 2020 – Trustee Nunziata</p>

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	<p>(4) Saira Somani (W3 Alt) - October 2020 – Trustee Nunziata (5) Dean Gray (W6 Alt) - October 2020 – Trustee Tonks</p> <p>4. Google Form for 2020-2021 PIAC Working Group Sign-up has been created. According to PIAC Bylaws, Section 3.1.5 (iv), all PIAC members must sign-up for at least one PIAC Working Group. Also, according to PIAC By-laws, Section 6.2.3., the Non-Governance Working Groups (i.e., Communications & Outreach, Consultations, P/VP Hiring Process, PRO Grant, and Reg 612) are open to any parent/guardian of a TDSB enrolled student, and also to community participants. These Working Groups can also be a great opportunity for PIAC alumni to stay engaged and lend their expertise. Please encourage parents and community members to sign up for the Non-Governance Working Groups.</p> <p>All current and prospective members can register their interest in joining specific Working Groups using the following Google Form (updates to preferences can also be made here): http://bit.ly/WGsignup2020</p> <p>The following is a list of current PIAC members who have signed up for at least one Working Group:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Alice Romo (2) Andrew Waters (3) Felicia Seto-Lau (4) Janice Barnett (5) Jenny Gannon (6) John Bakous (7) Kate Leuschen Millar (8) Kaydeen Bankasingh (9) Nadia Judunath (10) Nazerah Shaikh (11) Nicole Marshall (12) Patricia Seedial (13) Saira Somani (14) Seema Mitchell (15) Shanti Chand (16) Sharon Grant <p>The following is a list of community members who have signed up for WG(s):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (17) Nicole Herbert (18) Sarah Marriott
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	<p>5. WG Co-Leads:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Governance Working Groups <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) <u>Budget</u>: Aretha Phillip and Andrew Waters (2) <u>By-Laws</u>: Andrew Waters and Felicia Seto-Lau (3) <u>Membership</u>: Janice Barnett and Nazerah Shaikh (4) <u>Nominations</u>: (5) <u>Strategic Planning</u>: Aretha Phillip and Sharleen Ahmed ● Non-Governance Working Groups <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) <u>Communications & Outreach</u>: Wilmar Kortleever and Seema Mitchell (2) <u>Consultations</u>: Kate Leuschen Millar and Shanti Chand (3) <u>P/VP Hiring</u>: (4) <u>PRO Grant</u>: (5) <u>Reg 612</u>: (6) <u>SC Info & App Event</u>: Felicia Seto-Lau and Nadia Judunath <p>6. Guidelines and best practices for virtual School Council elections: Felicia and Nazerah presented insights at the October 19, 2020 Zoom Webinar.</p> <p>7. Guidelines and best practices for virtual ward elections of TDSB parent/guardian representatives and alternates on PIAC. IN PROGRESS</p>
Motion(s)	NONE
Question(s)	
Next Steps and Action items	<p>All current and prospective members can register their interest in joining specific Working Groups each new school year using the following links and resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● PIAC Working Groups Sign-up Form for 2020-2021: http://bit.ly/WGsignup2020 ● List of 2020-2021 Working Groups and descriptions: http://bit.ly/WGdesc2020 ● PIAC Google Calendar (typically lists all WG meetings): http://bit.ly/PIACcalendar ● PIAC Guidelines & Best Practices Working Groups: http://bit.ly/PIACWGguidelines
Working Group Leads	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Janice Barnett (Ward 11 Alt) 2. Nazerah Shaikh (Ward 14 Rep)
Working Group Members	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Felicia Seto-Lau (Ward 3 Rep) 4. Sharon Grant (W4 Rep) 5. Jenny Gannon (W14 Alt) 6. Shanti Chand (W19 Alt)