

Maple Grove Governing Board
Annual Report for the 2024-2025 School year

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Chairperson's Message

Dear Maple Grove Elementary School Community,

As Chairperson of the Governing Board, I am pleased to present our annual report for the 2024-2025 school year. This year was marked by collaboration, growth, and a continued commitment to providing the best possible educational experience for our students.

The Maple Grove School Governing Board had a productive and eventful year in 2024-2025. Some key accomplishments this year included:

- Approving several enriching field trips and activities, such as the volleyball tournament, Halo Road Race, and Track & Field event, which provided students with valuable experiences outside the classroom.
- Supporting various fundraising initiatives led by our dedicated Home & School Association, including the successful book fairs, Subway/Pizza lunches and FundScript card program.
- Approving budgets that prioritize student needs and support staff in delivering high-quality education.

The Governing Board worked diligently to address challenges and opportunities throughout the year, always keeping the best interests of students at the forefront. We are grateful for the ongoing support and engagement of our school community, including parents, staff and administrators.

As we look to the future, we remain committed to fostering a positive and inclusive learning environment where all students can thrive. Thank you to everyone who contributed to making this a successful year at Maple Grove Elementary.

Sincerely,

Mathieu Young
Maple Grove Governing Board Chairperson

Members

Parents:

Vanessa Boodoosingh
Debbie Carbray
Lorraine Deliva (Secretary)
Cathenna Michaud
Joanne McGee (Vice Chair & Alternate PC Rep)
Aaron Totton (Treasurer, PC Rep)
Mathieu Young (Chair)

Staff:

Arla Connell (Teacher)
Will Davidson (Teacher)
Maria Lazaris (Teacher)
Lianna Myrand (Teacher)
Peggy Scott (SEED Daycare)
Sylvie Turcotte (Teacher)

Meeting Dates

September 18th, 2024
October 9th, 2024
November 6th, 2024 (emergency)
November 13th 2024
December 11th, 2024
February 12, 2025
March 12th 2025
March 26th, 2025 (emergency)
April 9th, 2025
May 13th, 2025
June 11th, 2025

Sub-Committees

No sub-committees were formed this year

Success Plan Goals and Evaluation of Their Implementation

Due to a technical issue with the school board's annual survey, the data available this year did not allow us to appropriately evaluate the success plan.

Recommendations

As Maple Grove welcomes students for the 2025-2026 school year, we are making the following recommendations for next year's Governing Board to continue to encourage a safe, inclusive environment for learning:

- 1) Continuing to support a safe and positive learning environment for all students
 - Encourage open communication and collaboration between the school, families, and the broader community to address any safety or well-being concerns.
 - Provide input on the school's Educational, and ABAV (Anti-Bullying and Anti-Violence) plans.
 - Continue to address time-sensitive matters through emergency meetings when necessary.
- 2) Modernizing and upgrading facilities
 - Encourage the development of a strategic plan for facility upgrades and modernization, prioritizing areas that enhance the learning experience and support the school's educational goals.
 - Ensure that facility upgrades incorporate sustainable, energy and cost efficient design principles.
- 3) Encouraging more community involvement in the Governing Board and Home & School association
 - Continue to foster a culture of transparency and open communication, encouraging community members to participate in the decision-making process.
 - Actively promote the roles and responsibilities of the Maple Grove Governing Board and Home & School Association to attract a diverse representation from parents, local businesses and community organizations.
 - Ensure all board members are familiar with consultation processes and deadlines from the school board to provide timely and thoughtful responses
- 4) Strengthening the relationship between Maple Grove and Lakeside Academy communities
 - Promote joint events, activities and initiatives that bring students, families and staff from both schools together.
 - Continue to explore the possibilities of shared resources, such as facilities, equipment or specialized programs to leverage the strengths of our greater community.

Adopted by the Maple Grove Governing Board June 11th, 2025

Mathieu Young
Chair
Maple Grove Governing Board