

Make a note of this...

**Parents and legal guardians of students of
St Charles School are cordially invited to attend
the school's Annual General Assembly of Parents**

Date: August 28, 2017
Time: 7 pm
Place: Gymnasium

What happens at the Annual General Assembly (AGA)?

- ✓ The Governing Board Annual Report is presented.
- ✓ The parents elect parents to the Governing Board for 2-year terms.
- ✓ The parents elect parents to serve as substitute Governing Board members (the number of substitute parents should equal the total number of parent members).
- ✓ The parents elect, from amongst the Governing Board parents, a representative to the LBPSB Parents' Committee and an Alternate Parent rep.
- ✓ The parents who are present will determine if the school will have a PPO for the year.

Governing Board

What is a Governing Board?

Every public school in Quebec has a Governing Board (GB). They are responsible for issues involving school life, the annual budget and the development of school policies. They are also the primary consultative bodies for School Board policies.

In addition to parents, our GB consists of, 7 staff who are voting members, elected from their constituents. Two community representatives, the principal (or designate) have voice, but no vote. Monthly meetings are usually held the last Tuesday of each month.

Number of parents who are in their 2nd year on GB: 4

Number of parent seats to be filled this year: 3

Term of office: 2 years

How Do I Join Governing Board?

Complete & submit the Nomination form to me or to the school office by August 28, 2017 Noon **OR** Attend the AGA and present yourself in person by giving a 2-minute talk about yourself and reasons for your candidacy (preferred).

Members of the Governing Board will be elected by secret ballot.

Please consider running for a position!

Attend the Annual General Assembly meeting to elect the parents that you feel best speak for you on school issues.

Thank you!

Chris Pearson
GB Chairperson 2016-2017
St Charles School

