Robert Kemp Turner SAC Meeting Minutes May 26, 2021

Present: Janice Graham, Kimberley Scheelar, Jenna Murphy, Terra Crowe, Jen van der Weegen, Kerri-Lee MacDonald, Crystal White, Chris White, Jennifer Collier

Regrets: None

School Photographer:

The purpose of this meeting was for the SAC membership to virtually meet with 3 potential candidates for the school photography contract.

Zoom meeting times were arranged with 3 photographers:

Nova Scotia School Pictures

Master Photo

Bluenose Photography

- Each candidate had 15 minutes to present to the SAC and to answer any questions the membership had
- Candidates were informed that once a selection was made, they would be notified
- We thanked them for their time and presentation during the meeting

The SAC Membership remained online to meet regarding the selection of the photographer. The membership decided, unanimously, that the contract would go to Master Photo, John Tenwolde. He has never had the contract for our school and it was felt that he was very professional, spoke confidently on his product and the process he undergoes in his lab. The membership also enjoyed that he is a local businessperson and operates his own studio. An SAC member mentioned that John Tenwolde has been trying to secure a contract with our school for the past 7 or so years, and it was felt that we should try him to see how he does as the school photographer.

For clarification purposes, it was decided that we offer him a 1-year contract for the upcoming school year (2021 – 2022), with option to renew for an additional year.

Janice called John Tenwolde to offer him the contract and he agreed to the terms of the SAC (namely, the 1-year contact with option for renewal).

Last meeting of the year – we had to forego 2 meetings already due to Covid closures. Therefore, we wanted to ensure the photographer meeting was set.

Next meeting: September 2021