

***Expression of Condolence for
Michael Kirk Harvey by Toronto City Council***

Moved by: Councillor Chris Moise

Seconded by: Councillor Asuma Malik

The Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Michael Kirk Harvey on January 19, 2023.

Michael was born on April 5, 1963, in Winnipeg, Manitoba, to Denyse and William Harvey. As a teen, he loved spending his time playing lacrosse and hockey where he received league-wide recognition for his skill and sportsmanship. Later, Michael attended Clarkson University to play Division One hockey. After graduating university, Michael played professional hockey in Germany for many years. Upon returning to Canada, he found his love in mentorship and teaching within the Toronto District School Board. Michael was able to combine his passion for hockey and teaching when he ran St. Michael's Hockey School. For the last 10 years, Michael was the proud Principal of Jarvis Collegiate Institute and Native Learning Centre.

Michael's passion was his school. His focus was to support the students, staff and community, and create a safe environment for all. Michael always wanted to ensure his students and staff felt motivated and inspired to reach their potential even when it didn't seem possible.

Michael will be remembered by his wife Ann, their two daughters Bianca and Cassandra and the community of students and staff he supported and fostered.

The City Clerk is requested to convey, on behalf of the Members of Toronto City Council, our sincere sympathy to Michael Harvey's family.

February 7, 2023