



Cardinal Newman Catholic School Council
Tuesday, October 25, 2016
Grade 7 Room – 6:30 pm



1. Prayer

-Mr. Venzon started with a prayer for Catholic School Councils

Present: Maria Elia, Katie Bender, Mark Lukasik, Marilyn Fabiano, Kelly DiTomasso, Jessica Petrella, Kevin Reid, Joe Kekic, Kellie Blue, Jose Evangelista
Regrets: Chris Hollett

2. Chair Report

i) Breakfast Club – Donations happily accepted

ii) Dance-a-thon

-Mr. Kerho updated that the Dance-a-thon is currently at about \$2800 (closes tomorrow) and we are usually around \$5000 for this fundraiser.

-Mrs. Elia suggested pledge forms go home to assist with having something concrete to go along with the online payment

-Mr. Kerho will attach a Dance-a-thon pledge sheet to the Cash online information

iii) Volunteers needed – Milk and Breakfast

-Mr. Kerho spoke about the need for parent volunteers for things like intramural sports at CN. It will be communicated via the November newsletter.

iv) Fundraising Goals

-There will be some funds available for each classroom to utilize towards the purchase of items classes are interested in using.

3. Principal's Report

i) Celebrating the Christmas season at Cardinal Newman

-Mr. Kerho spoke about the Christmas mass last year and maybe doing a liturgy this year at CN with other aspects that may be run by the kids. Mrs. Bender suggested may be craft stations that kids run with the assistance of parents (has been done at other schools).

-December 8th - Thursday will be a possible date for a Christmas liturgy and activities with the students.

ii) Cardinal Newman – Carols at Christmas
-Mr. Evangelista asked about the possibility of doing Caroling at some old age homes. Mr. Kerho talked about some challenges with job action. Mrs. DiTomasso and Mr. Kerho volunteered for this on **December 21st at 10am.**

iii) Halloween at Cardinal Newman
-Mr. Kerho will send an email out to families with the general schedule

iv) Reconciliation – Nov 22 10:00 am

v) Cardinal Newman Student Parliament
-Took place at CN last week. Kids were really excited about this

vi) Lockdown feedback / Fire Drill Back
-Mr. Kerho spoke about the hold and secure that happened last week and that there was also a fire drill right after.

vii) School Travel Planning – Nov 4th
-Walk and ride to school day

viii) Early Progress Report Nov 21st
-Mr. Kerho spoke about the job action and how it relates to the current job action

ix) Volleyball Nov 14 Girls, Nov 15 Boys @ CN
-CN is hosting the Festival of Volleyball for Grades 7 & 8 - 3 teams at each school
-Sign ups will be this week. Mr. Kekic volunteered to assist with coaching the volleyball after school. He will check his work schedule

x) ELKP Open house and Registration – Nov 23

4. Treasurer's Report
-Mr. Kerho spoke about the funds at CN that are available

5. Next Meeting Date : Tuesday, November 29, 2016
6:30 pm Grade 7 Room



Cardinal Newman Catholic School
Tuesday, October 24, 2016
Financial Statement



Fund Raising General	1459.04	
Trivia Night	<u>275.98</u>	
Total Fundraising General		1725.02
Dance-a-thon (On-line donations)		<u>1100.00</u>
TOTAL		2825.02