

AGENDA OF THE ST. MARTIN CATHOLIC SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING

November 9th, 2021

Agenda of the Meeting of the Name of School Catholic School Council, held on November 9th 2021

A. ROUTINE MATTERS

1. Opening Prayer- 6:02pm

2. Roll Call

CATHOLIC SCHOOL COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP			Excused	Absent		
Principal/Vice-Principal Secretary/Treasurer	Mr. Tornabuono / Ms. Villella Andrea Mackay	•				
Chair	Mrs. Poletto	•				
Co-Chair(s)						
Teacher Representative	Mrs. Hanc					
Student Representative						
Student Representative						
Parish Representative						
Community Representative						
OAPCE Representative						
PARENT/GUARDIAN MEMBERS						
Colleen Minor, Francesca Trombetta, Kelly Duliban, Shari Harkin, Vicki Forsyth						
Jen Ewing, Nick. P, Gayle Hutton, Mellisa K., Rachel Musani, Megan Ross,						
Eugene (Artista), Mary Jane Ivancic						

B. POLICIES FOR VETTING-FEEDBACK

There are no policies currently being vetted:

C. PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

- 1. Niagara Catholic System Update (Mr. Tornabuono)
- First Covid 19 case of the year-class is self isolating until Nov.16, recommend testing on Thurs/Fri if child is showing symptoms
 - Halloween Feedback-really enjoyed dressing up and classes had fun
 - Winter Coats / Knights of Columbus-made a generous donation for families in need of winter clothing
 - Bullying Awareness Week Nov 15-19
 - PA Day Nov 19
 - Progress Report Cards Nov 22-no marks, three check boxes focusing on competency in literacy and numeracy and learning skills
 - Virtual/Telephone Conferences Nov 23-Dec 03
 - Plaid Day for Pathstone Mental Health Nov. 26-school will be making a donation
- 2. St. Martin Student Achievement Report (Mr. Tornabuono, Ms. Villella, Mrs. Hanc)
 - Literacy-The school will purchase new leveled books, as well as license for new online program called Lexia
 - Numeracy-staff learning Math Up during PA day
 - Resource-Mrs. Lindley and Hanc working well diving time, school board also invested in Social Workers to any student in need of Mental Health support, can be accessed at school, new CYW Emily Lanthier: visits classrooms to do lessons in bullying/fair play, etc. every day 3
- 3. St. Martin Update (Mr. Tornabuono)
 - Fresh From Farm Delivery Nov. 15
 - St. Martin book Fair Nov 23-03
 - M&M Meat Shop Day (Grimsby location) Nov. 24-10% goes directly to school
 - Advent Decorating Keeping Christ in Christmas Nov. 26
 - Advent Angels Nov 29 Dec 17-angel ornaments with gift idea for Community
 Care on main hall tree, children can take one home to purchase and bring back
 to school, appr.\$20-30
 - Christmas Colours Dec 23 (last day before holidays)
 - Santa Hats OK Nov 26-Dec 23
- 4. Chairperson Report (Mrs. Poletto)
 - Would like to explore more spiritwear options including Artista, Kalinka Sports in town has reached out as well, would like 2 options a more affordable collection and a higher end one, would like to stay with one supplier for ~3 years, will wait and have council vote on final decision

- Community outreach for Christmas examples: food drive, donate money, housing items and hygiene always needed
- Form sub-committee to discuss options for students for Christmas (virtually)

5. St. Martin CSC Financial Report

Category	Revenue	Expense	Net	Total
Opening Balance				\$6,199.86
Playground Balls		\$1,144.13	<\$1144.13>	\$5,055.73
Fresh From Farm	\$2,914	\$1,748.40	\$1,165.60	\$6,221.33
Closing Balance				\$6,221.33

Department Reports

- A. Spiritwear Presentation Artista-online ordering, delivered to homes for a fee, hoodies around \$27, will offer tshirts, polos, crew etc., will open online portal so people can have a look
- B. Parish Report (Father Chris)-Regrets
- C. Hot Lunch Report (Mrs. Hutton)-going well twice a month, may increase to more and offering more options soon
- D. Playground Committee Report (Mrs. Villella)-still discussing shade structure, Knights of Columbus offering money to help with costs, have to wait to get location ok and building ok from School board, with impending portables location an issue, possibly do line painting on black top

ON THE CALENDAR

- Remembrance Day Nov 11
- Buy Local Week Nov 15-21
- Bullying Awareness Week Nov 15-18
- Pita Day Nov 17
- PA Day Nov 19
- Progress Reports Available-Nov.22
- Parent Teacher Conferences Nov 23-03
- Book Fair Nov 23-03
- M&M Meat Day Nov 24
- Student Leaders Conference Nov 25
- Plaid Day for Pathstone Nov 26
- Advent Decorating Nov 26 (Keeping Christ in Christmas)
- Advent Angels Nov 26-Dec 17
- Confirmation Dec 4
- Gr. 7 & 8 to St. Kiteri Dec 6-09
- Christmas Colours Dec 23
- Christmas Break Dec 24- Jan 7
- First Day of School in 2022-Jan.10

E. Fundraising

- Fresh From the Farm Completed
- Fielding Winery In Progress

• Coffee & Donuts – Beginning of February

F. AGENDA ITEMS-DISCUSSION FOR FUTURE MEETINGS-

- -Krispy Kreme fund raiser-PU in Mississauga, we need to send letter of intent, them come prepackaged, offer sale for 2 weeks, align with Altitude Coffee
- -Playground improvements

NEXT MEETING(s)

- Tuesday January 18th, 2022
- Tuesday March 8th, 2022
- Tuesday May 10th, 2022

ADJOURNMENT -7:45pm