

St. Denis Catholic School Council
AGENDA
September 26, 2023

1. Greeting-V. Wegelin

2. Land Acknowledgement:

The Niagara Catholic District School Board wishes to honour the Indigenous people who have been the protectors of this land, known as Turtle Island, for more than ten thousand years. We begin this meeting by acknowledging the land on which we gather is the traditional territory of the Haudenosaunee and Anishinaabe peoples, many of whom continue to live and work here today. This territory is covered by the Upper Canada Treaties and is within the land protected by the Dish With One Spoon Wampum agreement. Today this gathering place is home to many First Nations, Métis and Inuit peoples and acknowledging reminds us that our great standard of living is directly related to the resources and friendship of Indigenous people.

3. Opening Prayer-D. Korsmit

Heavenly Father, we come together asking for your guidance, wisdom, and support as we begin this new school year. Help us engage in meaningful discussion; allow us to grow closer as a group and nurture the bonds of the community. Fill us with your grace, Lord God, as we make decisions that might affect the students, staff, and families of St. Denis Catholic Elementary School. And continue to remind us that all we do here today, all that we accomplish, is for the pursuit of truth for the greater glory of You, and for the service of humanity. We ask these things in your name, Amen.

4. Declaration of new Catholic School Council 2023-2024

5. Review of Catholic School Council Policies/Regulations

6. Selection of New Catholic School Council Positions-Chair/Recording Secretary

7. Election of the Ontario Association for Parents in Catholic Education (OAPCE)

8. Principal's Report-V. Wegelin

9. Staff Report-T. Lee



10. Correspondence

11. New Items:

- A. Goals for this upcoming year**
- B. Fundraisers**
- C. Guest Speakers/virtual**
- D. Policies for Vetting/Feedback**

Vetting:

Board By-Laws Policy (100.1) Please submit your feedback to anna.pisano@ncdsb.com by 12:00 p.m. on September 28, 2023

Trustee Electronic Meetings (Board and Committees) Policy (100.8) Please submit your feedback to anna.pisano@ncdsb.com by 12:00 p.m. on September 28, 2023

Admission of Elementary and Secondary Students Policy (301.1) Please submit your feedback to anna.pisano@ncdsb.com by 12:00 p.m. on November 1, 2023

Community Use of Facilities (800.2) Please submit your feedback to anna.pisano@ncdsb.com by 12:00 p.m. on November 1, 2023

12. Agenda items for future meetings

13. Adjournment

14. Closing Prayer

15. Next Meeting Dates: November 7, 2023 April 2, 2024 June 4, 2024

January 16, 2024 May 7, 2024