

St. Alfred School Council Meeting

In attendance: Mrs. S. Tromanhauser, Mrs. Bassett, Mrs. Hastings, Mrs. McGinnis, Mrs. Towne, Mrs. Hoenig, Ms. Nevestuk, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Mancini, Ms. Finley, Roxanna Serpas

Regrets: Leanne Holmes

September 9, 2013

1. Welcome/Prayer: Led by Mrs. Tromanhauser
2. Catholic School Council Elections: Nominations for Mrs. Towne and Mrs. Hoenig by Mrs. Young. Accepted by both as co-chairs
3. Niagara Catholic District School Board Initiatives
 - *Niagara Catholic Parent Committee Membership 2013-14: Ms. Finley has volunteered to join this committee

*ARC i.e. Accommodation Review Committee: Tuesday, Sept. 10 5:00 CEC: Boundaries are in review, Sept. 10th is first meeting 5:00 at Board Office, Mrs. T Mrs. Towne, Mrs. Hoenig will be in attendance.

*NCPIC-Annual Catholic School Council Annual Chair and/or Co-Chairs and Members' Meeting-October 23rd at Monsignor Clancy 7:00-9:00 p.m.: Meet other council member and discuss issues, if anyone wants to attend they will let Mrs T know.

4. Committees

*Spirit Wear: Mrs. T. explained how spirit wear will be displayed at Meet the Teacher night.
Spirit Wear Committee: Mrs. Towne, Mrs. Hoenig

*Hot Lunches: Mrs. Towne suggested once a month for hot lunch, and another hot lunch idea to be determined. Paesano Pizza will possibly be the pizza company we go with this year. Mrs. Towne explained the Pita Pit offer for student lunches. Also Antipastos was another option, and Swiss Chalet.
Hot lunch committee: Mrs. Young, Ms. Nevestuk, Mrs. Towne, Mrs. Hoenig

*Fundraising: Mrs. T. discussed how we do need to fundraise, many items in need for the school. Mrs. Hoenig explained the Christmas Gift Shoppe magazine fundraiser. It also includes a jewellery section as well, will be sent home October before Thanksgiving. Perhaps a dance-a-thon in the Spring, possibly a turkey raffle or a gift basket idea

*Nutrition Tools for Schools: Mrs. T explained the binder that the Health Department put together, the school nurse is looking for parents to help out with this program. Mrs. Mancini and Ms. Finley have volunteered for this.

5. Meet the Teacher-Wednesday, Sept. 25th 5:00-7:00: Open house style

6. Photographer-Gregory Olson-Sept. 19/20: New photographer for our school, Sept. 19th individual pictures, then later in week is the class photo. Possibly a themed photo?

Question raised about Hydration Station and the cost, Mrs. T is looking into a grant to pay for this.

Future Meeting dates:

October, 7th

November 18th

January 13th

February 10th

April 7th

June 9th

Motion to adjourn: Mrs. Young, second by Mrs. Mancini