



NIAGARA CATHOLIC
DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

St. Elizabeth

Agenda

May 9, 2023 @ 6:00 pm

Virtual

Opening Prayer – Mrs. Mangiacasale

Welcome – Mrs. Mangiacasale

Council Formation for 2022-2023

Review of purpose and function of Catholic School Council – Mrs. Mangiacasale

- to build strong Catholic identity and community to nurture the distinctiveness of Catholic Education,
- advance student achievement and well-being for all students in their school community, and
- to enhance the accountability of the education system to parents/guardians.
- Advocate for St. Elizabeth
- Representative of all families at St. Elizabeth
- Issues/concerns brought to Mrs. Mangiacasale
- Advisory role of CSC
- Goals for 2022-2023 – Student safety, Student Success/Advancement; Faith Formation – Students/Families; Safe & Accepting Schools; Parent Engagement; Fundraising
- CSC By-Laws
- Board Policies - <https://niagaracatholic.ca/policies-by-laws-protocols-and-procedures/>

Policy Vetting

1. Board Policy Approval Updates - [Policy Updates and Vetting Link](#)
2. *Occupational Health and Safety Policy (201.6)*
3. *Employee Workplace Harassment Policy (201.7)*
4. *Employee Workplace Violence Policy (201.11)*
5. *The policies are also available [here](#).*
6. *Please submit your feedback to anna.pisano@ncdsb.com by 12 p.m. on May 24, 2023.*
7. *Revised Policies/AOP-Electronic Systems Policy (201.12)*
8. *Trustee Code of Conduct Policy (100.12)*
9. *Electronic Communication System AOP-Administrative Operational Procedure (201.12)*

Committee Structure / Reports / Updates

- Chair/Co-Chair – Update – Fundraiser ideas – Apr., May, June (Cookie dough, Carnival Big Red)
- Faith Formation – Weekly masses continue at church-classes will alternate weekly
 - Confirmation took place on April 22nd at 5:00 p.m.
 - First Holy Communion took place on April 30th @ 10:00 a.m.
 - Catholic Education Week – All families were invited to celebrate mass together at the 9:30 a.m. Wednesday Mass
 - Catch the Spirit Award – Paetynn Z. is our recipient of this prestigious award and attended the NCDSB award presentation on May 2nd at Brock University
- Safe & Accepting Schools –
 - Food – Snack Program, Tuck Shop (online), Pizza Day, Milk
 - **Principal Items**
 - Student Council – update – Student Senator elections took place on April 13th for next years School Senators – Belle and Zoey were elected as our incoming Student Senators
 - Student Leadership Symposium – Out Going and Incoming Senators attended at Club Roma on April 27th
 - All Access From Home Conference – Five students attended the Accessibility Conference at the Holiday Inn in St. Catharine's on April 18th. They were, Sierra, Oliver, Louis, Chelsea and Belle. They will share the insights that they learned with each class during National Accessibility Week-May29-June 2
 - Year End Trips – Cookie Dough & Big Red Fundraisers to help subsidize class trips
 - ECO Friendly – We have purchased reusable bowls for students for special food days
 - HUGE Thank you!!! To all council members, we could not do what we do without all of you! Like providing Bake Fresh Fridays, assisting with fundraisers and food days, we appreciate all that everyone does always!
 - Music Trivia – A great success, thank you to Julie H. Bree, Danielle, and Anna
 - Book Fair – A wonderful resurgence of this super tradition. Thank you to Jessica for assisting all week at the Fair
 - Spring Carnival – May 30th
 - School Upgrades – The construction behind the school continues to move forward daily
 - Combined Catholic School Council – Lakeshore has invited our CSC to join them on June 5th @ 6:00p.m. @ Lakeshore. Anyone interested in attending please let me know by May 26th
 - **Treasurer Report**

Mrs. Mangiacasale - update

New Business

- Dates – CSC will usually meet on the second Tuesday of every second month – – unless otherwise notified.

Next Meeting- TBD (social)

Adjournment

Closing Prayer

