



NIAGARA CATHOLIC  
DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

Cardinal Newman Catholic School Council  
Tuesday, November 29, 2016  
Grade 8 Room – 6:30 pm



1. Prayer

-Mark started with a prayer

Present: Maria Elia, Mark Lukasik, Marilyn Fabiano, Kelly DiTomasso, Jessica Petrella, Kevin Reid, Kellie Blue, Mrs. Smith, Ms. Kowolchuk

Regrets: Chris Hollett

2. Report from the Chair

i) Food Day – Dec 21st Turkey Dinner (Rosa's Italian Market)

ii) Christmas at CN – Thursday, Dec 8, 2016 @ 6:30 pm

- Mr. Kerho explained what the setup will be like for Christmas at CN (liturgy, gingerbread building)

- Mr. Kerho spoke about the sponsoring of families for Christmas.

Information will be transmitted to parents electronically

- Donations can be brought into the school by December 12th

iii) Parent Teacher Interviews – Wednesday, Nov 30, 2016 4:00 - 7:00 pm

- Mr. Kerho explained that parents can contact their son/daughter's teacher at any time to have a discussion about their child

3. Faith Formation Committee

4. Principal's Report

i) Advent / Christmas – Donations (School Drive) - Request

ii) Christmas Cards

- We had a good amount of cards ordered

iii) Night with the Ice Dogs (Jan 19 7:00 pm)

- Mr. Kerho talked about the game and the fact that there is ice for skating beforehand. Info will go home.

iv) Report regarding the Field

- The field will be fence off until the spring.

v) French Immersion for ELKP students

- Mr. Kerho explained this process for January and that it information will be out in the new year. There was a question about intensive French and what is happening with that.
- vi) Anti Bullying Week - Mannequin Challenge
  - Grade 8 video played
- vii) Trivia Night
  - Discussion about the Trivia Night and if there is interest in it with the current work to rule situation. Mrs. Blue talked about Mr. Blue's willingness to assist with the questions. The consensus was that the Catholic School Council is still interested in pursuing the Trivia Night. Mr. Kerho will look into this.
  - We may have to look at a meeting or information transmitted to parents for the trivia night prior to Christmas.
  - A trivia night meeting has been scheduled on **December 15th at 6:30pm.** We will look at planning the night and allocating jobs to people (bar, runners, markers, setup, take-down, etc.)
- 5. Treasurer's Report
  - Mr. Kerho presented the finances
  - Some questions about allotment of funds. Mr. Kerho spoke to these and how funds are being utilized at CN (eg, class \$100.00 for equipment, etc.)
- 6. Next Meeting Date : Tuesday January 31, 2017 6:30 pm  
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Financial Statement



Dance-a-thon (see below)	3118.25
Fund Raising General	1459.04
Lottery Trust	900.00
Trivia Night	<u>275.98</u>

Total Fundraising 5753.27

Transactions for Dance-a-thon

Revenue from Glo-sticks	736.00
Cost of Glo-sticks	(223.45)
Cost of lights	<u>(124.30)</u>
	388.25

Student donations 2730.00

Total for Dance-a-thon 3118.25