

**St. Denis Catholic School Council**  
**AGENDA**  
**January 16, 2024**  
**6:30 p.m.**

**1. 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.

**2. Opening Prayer-T. Lee**

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.

**3. Call meeting to order-M. Iorio/J. Foster**

**4. Approval of previous minutes-M. Iorio/J. Foster**

**5. Principal's Report-V. Wegelin**

**6. Staff Report -T. Lee**

**7. Correspondence-V. Wegelin**

**8. New Items:**

**A. Fundraisers-Twelve Days of Christmas Fundraiser Funds Plan**

**B. Further fundraisers? Spring Cha-Ching?**

**C. Christmas Meal Review**

**D. Niagara Ice Dogs Game**

**E. Shrove Tuesday-February 13, 2024**

**F. Policies**

**9. Agenda items for future meetings**

**10. Adjournment**

**Next Meeting Date: Tuesday, April 2, 2024 at 6:30 p.m.**

