



NIAGARA CATHOLIC
DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

AGENDA
ST. ALFRED CATHOLIC SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING
Monday, April 24, 2017
Resource Room

A. ROUTINE MATTERS

1. Opening Prayer
2. Roll Call

CATHOLIC SCHOOL COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP		Present	Excused	Absent
Principal/Vice-Principal	Sue Tromanhauser	☑		
Secretary/Treasurer	Greg Morawek	☑		
Chair	Kate Bartlett		x	
Teacher Representative	Claudia Pascall Julie Hastings	☑		x
Non-Teaching Representative	Shelly Beradelli			☑
Parish Representative	Father Trevor	☑		
OAPCE Representative	Lisa Finley			x
PARENT REPRESENTATIVES				
	Krystal-Lynn Gill			☑
	Andrea Towne	☑		
	Shannon Hoenig			☑
	Jennifer Baron	☑		

3. Approval of the Agenda
4. Disclosure of Interest

B. PRESENTATIONS:

C. PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

1. Celebration of Life - April 27th
All were invited to the open house at our school library to commemorate Marian Yedinak our library technician who passed away. The celebration of life will be held 3:15-5:00 p.m.
2. Rankin Run – Once again St. Alfred will organize “Team Yedinak” on May 27th
3. School Cash on Line – all payments over \$2.00 must be done using cash on line. Our secretary Shelley will make herself available to assist any parent having difficulty registering.

4. Kindergarten Open House May 31st – all new Kindergarten students will be invited to the school to meet their new teachers and participate in transition activities.
5. Registrations May 3 Open House: We will be hosting our 3rd Open House to encourage Kindergarten registrations for any child turning 4 by the end of 2017.
6. Metro Grant: \$1000.00 –With a partnership with the Holy Cross construction technology class we will be installing a raised garden. Students will be planting vegetables.
7. Jump Start grant: Recess Recreation \$2800.00: Soccer posts and basketball nets will be installed in primary area. Bins and outdoor balls will also be purchased. Our intermediate students will be teaching the primary students games at recess time.
8. PRO Grant: Google Classroom parent workshops \$1000.00: May 4th from 3-4 there will be a workshop for all interested parents to learn about google classroom from a parent perspective.
9. Smoke Free Movie Night: June 1st 5:00-8:00 p.m. Through a partnership with Niagara Regional Health, families are invited for a pizza dinner, activities to learn about health initiatives and then a movie.
10. Festival of Families: Thursday, May 25th 4-8pm at Saint Michael Catholic High School in Niagara Falls. The festival, jointly hosted by Niagara Catholic and the Diocese of St. Catharines, will begin with a barbeque and family activities followed by a soccer game starring His Excellency, Bishop Bergie, clergy of the Diocese, and Niagara Catholic Staff and Parents facing off against an All-Star team of Niagara Catholic students. Our evening will conclude with a prayer service and a Christian Band competition.
11. Catholic Educational Congress: The Diocese and school board are working together to develop partnerships between the school and parish. St Alfred has decided to work with the parish to support their refugee families. On May 12th we will host a “movie day”, charging students a toonie to watch an age appropriate movie. We will also be selling treats.
12. Broken Spokes Program: We were asked by the Niagara Region to identify families in need of bicycles. These identified students will be receiving new to them bikes, free of charge.
13. Upcoming Dates: Confirmation: May 11th
Graduation: June 28th

E. AGENDA ITEMS

1. Fundraising Review- in light of our Syrian family project all other fundraising in on hold for the rest of the school year.

2. Dress Code Swap: We will identify a date in June to request dress code donations. Those who bring in donations will get “first pick” while other students can then select new to them items.

F. **DISCUSSION FOR FUTURE MEETINGS:** Our final meeting of the year will be an offsite social.

H. NEXT MEETING: Monday, June 5th 6:00 p.m. Location TBD

I. ADJOURNMENT

J. CLOSING PRAYER