



Father Hennepin Catholic School Council Minutes

Oct 17, 2022 @ 5:00 pm

ROUTINE MATTERS

1. Land Acknowledgement – Mrs. Cybula
 - a. *"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 – Mrs. Cybula
3. Roll Call – Co Chairs
4. Approval of Agenda – Lisa Baldo, Jennifer Lambert
5. Approval of Meeting Minutes of Father Hennepin CSC minutes from Sept 26 2022 – Gayle Curnow, Stephanie Wybrew

Student Senate Presentation/Report

- Student Council Members Elections and Results – member names shared.
 - Ryan, Sloan Co-Presidents, Lauren Vice President
 - Class Reps:
- Student Vote: Municipal student vote Oct 20th 2022 at the school
- Halloween Dance for the school – classes grouped together and time in the gym, survey for music
- Just Dance activities in the gym for Halloween.
- Spirit Activities – Joy Day at the start of Advent, activities to bring back our strong school spirit.

Co-Chair Reports

- Fundraising Update for 2022 2023 –
- Christmas Gift Give Away Challenge – main gift – ipad.
 - Poinsettias as an option – start of November – offering to families as this is an item we families already purchase this item and may appreciate this opportunity.
- Parent Involvement Ideas – Spring Event to be considered – Trivia
- Big Read Meats for the winter as a second fundraiser.
- March of Dimes – Pop Can Tabs Collection – 5 million tabs covers cost of 1 wheelchair.
- Sign up table – Halloween

Committee Structure/Reports

- BINGO – Mrs. Ostrihon - \$891.50 September Deposit. \$10,048.94 current balance.

Principal Items

- Policy Vetting and Approvals–Policies shared, Crystal will send any feedback to the principal.
- Financial Report for CSC - Balance - \$4742.00
- Classroom re-organization Grade 5/6 Class Update -
- Snack Program, Hot Lunches update
- Halloween/Holy Child Walk 2022
- Tech purchases update – purchased 10 chromebooks
- Saint Michael Grade 8 transition event Friday – football game

- Spirit Wear for Student Council and CSC members update

Staff Items

- Fire Prevention Week
- Cross Country Meet – 1 student is moving to board Meet
- First Mass @ OLP Parish October 5th 2022
- Safety Crossing Guard Presentation – City of Niagara Falls Kindergarten to Gr. 3
- PD Day October 24th – Math/Literacy/Human Trafficking – School is a Voting Site.
- Halloween events.

Closing Prayer: Mrs. Cybula

Next Meeting Date: Nov 21, 2022 5pm.

Meeting Adjourned: 6:03pm.