

**St. Alexander CSC Minutes**  
**September 27, 2023-- First Meeting**

**In attendance:**

Mr. Venzon  
Mrs. Pozzobon  
Ms. Principi  
Mrs. DeDivitiis  
Mrs. Sutherland  
Mrs. Jones  
Mrs. Tallman  
Mrs. Della Ventura

**Sends Regrets:**

Mr. and Mrs. Barron  
Mrs. Jaski  
Mrs. Caporicci  
Mrs. Policella  
Mrs. Zimmerman  
Mrs. Reid

Land Acknowledgement  
Prayer

1. Land Acknowledgement- Mrs. Pozzobon
2. Prayer - Ms. Principi
  
3. Introductions - Mr. Venzon and all present
4. Catholic School Council By-Laws --on the NCDSB website for review
5. Catholic School Council Members 2023 - 24
6. Election of Catholic School Council Chair 2023/24--Mrs.DeDivitiis
7. Fr. Paul - Parish News- websites TRELLO
8. Principal's Report:
  - i) Start of School, Open House-
    - a. Yesterday-open house was successful
    - b. Terry Fox walk was a success
    - c. End of the year bbq--have sign up for stations
  - ii) St. Alexander Spirit Wear
    - a. Big Bear order throughout the year
    - b. Grad hoodies have come in

- iii) Food days (provider, days, payment)...
  - a. Food Day helpers are needed
  - b. Pizza days every second Tues
  - c. Subway once a month
  - d. Pita Pit-new option
- iv) Thanksgiving Food Drive, Mass--by October 2
- v) Halloween (Fundraising Dance-a-thon) dress down day, costumes all day, kids collect pledges for a dance-a-thon, each class dances for 1 period a day - glow sticks/rings/necklaces can be sold in gym, parade around the school yard - Parent volunteers for glow stick sales- Tallman/DeDivitiis/Sutherland
  - a. Pledge sheets before Thanksgiving
- vi) Fundraising – student fundraisers for technology - Dance-a-thon, Christmas Cards (looking into a place to print--ND students??), Big Box Cards.
- vii) Fr. Paul at St. Alexander Parish - Wednesday Masses, Grades 1-8 Masses at Church.
- viii) Communication with families via messenger
- ix) School Improvement Plan, Math Achievement Action plan--October 6
  - a. Moving into multiplicative reasoning in MathUp
  - b. Science of Reading--UFLI(phonics)/Heggerty
    - i. Example lesson done by Ms. Principi

9. Frequency of Meetings - Sept, Nov, Jan, March, May

10. Financial Report + purchases and upgrades made so far.

Next Meeting: November 28, 2023 at 5:30 pm