

HALTON CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

CATHOLIC SCHOOL COUNCIL YEAR END REPORT 2020-2021

1. Catholic School Council Name: St. Brigid Catholic School

2. Elected or Appointed Catholic School Council Members:

Donna Heaps	Camille Gemmel
Bridgeen Wey (Church Rep)	Chris Caccia
Jenn Marchand (Community Rep)	Josie Nibbering (Teacher Rep)
Karen Woodrow (Staff Rep)	

3. Elected or Appointed Catholic School Council Chair or Co-Chair:

Elisabeth Altomare	Janine Galloway
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4. Meeting Dates for the Catholic School Council for the School Year 2020-2021:

October 14, 2020	November 30, 2020
February 1, 2021	May 31, 2021 MS Teams

5. Objectives for the Catholic School Council for the School Year 2020-2021:

Parent Engagement — Paul Davis Social Media event: Virtual Presentations for students and parents

Community Engagement – Craft Night prior to Advent and Lenten Evening family masses

Student Engagement – Advent Gingerbread Night, (Family Math Night and Talent Show postponed due to COVID19)

Sub Committees / Initiatives:

Fundraising:

- Major Fundraising Halloween Dance-A-Thon
- Spirit Days

Community Events Community:

- Hosted 10th Annual Family Advent Night. Families gathered virtually and celebrated by making gingerbread houses. Parents shared photos via Twitter. Objective of evening was to come together and celebrate the birth of our Lord, Jesus.
- Hosted 2 craft nights virtually to celebrate Advent and Lent. Objective to bring the church, school and community together to celebrate together virtually and create a craft. S
- Paul Davis Social Media Presentation – Virtual presentations via webex for students – parent evening –

Pro Grant Committee:

- Postponed due to Covid

Communication:

- Completed the annual principal/vice principal selection criteria
- Response to CPIC Council of Chairs surveys
- All Community Events forms and memos
- Compiling lists of all emails/communications sent between members of C.S.C. in between meeting dates (attached to minutes).
- Compiling meeting minutes Provide any updates to be added to the weekly school email to parents regarding C.S.C. Activities

REPORT COMPLETED BY: Elisabeth Altomare

REPORT SUBMITTED ON: June 11, 2021

DATE

ST. BRIGID SCHOOL FUNDRAISING 2020-2021 ... HOW WAS THE MONEY SPENT?



Each school year, we select one major fundraising activity for the year ... this year, although in a much different capacity (i.e., due to CoVid restrictions) we continued with our Hallowe'en Fundraiser. ***Thank you for your generosity and dedication to our school ... as you can see below, you have made a true difference!***

Overall, our profit from the *Hallowe'en Dance-a-thon* was: **\$13 000.**

No additional funds were raised this year due to the disruption in our pizza, milk and additional lunch programs.

We spent the money in the following ways:

- **Technology in the Classroom** (\$22 000)
(i.e.,) Dell Laptops (42), iPads cases – additional HCDSB Board funds were allocated for Dell Laptops (\$18,000)
- **School Beautification and Renewal** – (\$1000.00)
Touch up painting, lines/cones for school yard
- **Student Events** – (\$6500.00) + (\$3000.00 Library)
Lexia program 3-year license, Sports Equipment, Caribou contest, enhancing Library collection
- **Charitable Donations** (\$7000.00)
Poppy Fund Donation, Holy Cross HELPS, Halton Catholic Children's Education Fund
(HCCF), Georgetown Bread Basket
- **Discretionary Fund** for students in need of assistance (\$1500.00)
(i.e., families in need)
- **Graduation Expenses** – (\$3000.00)
diploma folders; award plaques and engraving; nylon drawstring bags; Grade 8 Graduate Yearbook; St. Brigid Prayer Plaques; Graduation cookies; balloon arch; banner and signage
- **Catholic School Council Events** – (\$1000.00)
offsetting costs for Halloween Fundraiser (i.e decorations, prizes), Valentine's Cookies

For more details, please review the ***St. Brigid Catholic School Council 2020/2021 Year End Report*** and the most recent ***St. Brigid School Generated Funds*** on our website!