

St. Gabriel Council Meeting Via Microsoft Teams

Thursday, March 4, 2021

Present: Elisa Carey (VP), Nancy Malloy (NTR), Chris Tilley (Principal), Mary Anne Innes (TR), Jamie Arsenault (Chair), Carmen Taylor, Nancy Meehan (P-REP), Michelle Brockie, Helen Biggs, Chris Bertrand, Sam Lapadat, Joel MacLeod

Regrets: Tracy Eade,

Meeting commenced at 6:35

Opening Prayer -Elisa Carey

Approval of Minutes: Heather Kuzyk approved, Helen Biggs seconded.

Approval of Agenda: Sam Lapadat approved, Chris Bertrand seconded.

CPIC COUNCIL OF CHAIRS

Elisa and Jamie attended.

Admin Report: Insert here

No comments or questions regarding the report

Financial Report

Insert here

Items of note:

By-Laws: By-laws have been rewritten by Jamie Arsenault and Heather Kuzyk

Chris Tilley would like to defer to go over changes made by Mary Anne Innes with Jamie Arsenault and Heather Kuzyk and vote on changes next council.

Cait Geddes motion to defer, Chris Bertrand Seconded.

Steam day update: Topics are in. Dates confirmed between April 6th-9th

Business Arising

Fundraising:

AGF Final Numbers

Mug of Cheers 750.00

Purdy's \$4801

Grand total \$10,352.37

United Way Over \$300 raised

Thoughts to continue with original AGF. Post covid. Kids love it. Needs every council to volunteer. Dates need to be set out earlier so people can make arrangements to volunteer.

Dates will be set out at last meeting of 2021

Bottom line AGF is a Time honoured tradition looked forward to by children and parents and should be continued going forward.

Purdy's for Easter, but labour intensive without parent volunteers being able to insist in school.

Orders need to be submitted by March 24th. Orders send out March 30.

Nancy Meehan suggested using church to have chocolate delivered to and sorted with a curbside pickup

Motion for Purdy's Easter Fundraiser Sam Lapadat. Seconded by Carmen Taylor

Motion for funds to go to HCCF (Halton Catholic Children's Fund) by Heather Kuzyk, Joel MacLeod
Seconded

Dates: 10 day blitz. Orders in by March with earliest delivery date.

Joel to send Jamie to a short blurb about HCCF to use for info on where the funds are going

Blasted out tomorrow on email, website etc.

Funscript Fundraiser- Joel Macleod has floor

Update, \$15 raised, people are signing up by not using the site.

Helen offered to push on FB group and ask admin to pin to top of FB. Link to Website on St. Gabe's website and a feature story regarding this fundraising initiative.

Reiterate that anyone can use, not just St. Gabe's community.

Cobbs's Fundraiser

People are using the St. Gabe's name to raise funds. It seems to be working well. Jamie Arseneau will reach out to contact and see how much we have raised this far.

New Business:

Macarthy's Uniform

Tunic Dress do not have to have a logo, they are considered bottoms.

Bottoms can come from anywhere as long as they are navy blue.

Old Logo is still acceptable.

Heather Kuzyk asked that teachers be reminded not publicly call out students for uniform infractions. This should be addressed privately with parents or older students in a non-public setting.

Heather put forth a Motion to defer TSHIRT debate until survey can poll the rest of the school community. Cait Geddes seconded.

Grad Committee

Grad Photo's will happen this year. Dates forthcoming.

Drive through Grad and you -tube tribute.

55 in school grads and 19 virtual school grads.

Cait Geddes Helen Biggs Heather Kuzyk, Mary Anne Innes, Nancy Malloy Grad to form sub-committee

Spending

22000 SGF funds spending

5500 for steam day

Tech purchases for school in the form of Chrome books at \$311 a piece

Jamie Arsenault to put a motion forward. Helen seconded to spend \$9000 on Chromebooks

Elisa and Chris to look into policy regarding Kernal's Popcorn for fundraisers at some point before the end of this year. Michelle Brockie to take point on this.

Next meeting Thursday April 8th, 20219

Next council of chair is in May.

Closing Prayer: Chris Tilley

Meeting Concludes: 8:11 pm