

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL COUNCIL

Meeting # of April 9, 2018 – 6:30 p.m.

AGENDA

Council Members :

Parent Representatives: Heather Canali, Myla Csaki, Arielle d'Entremont, Jill Douglas, Sandra Lopes-Toste, Bev Miller,

**were unable to attend*

School Administration: Kit Laforet; Blaine McCauley

Community Representative: Bev Miller

Parish Representative: Myla Csaki

Teaching Representative: Catlin Nolan

Non-Teaching Representatives: Kathleen LaSelva

YMCA – Devon Zmija // Unable to Attend

Note: Co Chairs, Sandra Lopes-Toste and Heather Canali

<i>Area of Concentration</i>	<i>Topic</i>	<i>Speaker/ Additional Information</i>	<i>Action</i>
Catholicity	1.1 OPENING PRAYER	Sandra	<i>Our Spirit Many Gift</i>
General	1.2 APPROVAL OF AGENDA	Sandra	<i>Council Approved</i>
Old Business	1.3 Education Week Update	Kit	<i>Wednesday May 10th there will be a mass @ 10am / Wednesday there will be a French presentation. May 9/10/11 Open House in school (Council to help serve cookies / coffee if they are able to)</i>
New Business	1.4 ProGrant – GetSparked booked	Sandra	<i>Get Sparked has Benn BOOKED for May 3rd 2018 – There will be presentations during the day for the students // Parents Invited to attend presentation from 6:30 to 8pm that evening => Ask Grade 8 Students to watch Kids in the Gym (Movie,Activities) while parents watch presentation.</i>
	1.4.1 School BBQ	Kit	<i>Council agreed to find a date in June to Host a school BBQ – FUN FAIR – Kit to get the event approved, once approved a date will be set for June // A survey to be</i>

			made and go home with students to find out which night of the week works best for parents (Mid to End of June)
	<i>1.4.2 Uniform Vote</i>	<i>Kit</i>	<i>There will be a uniform vote in the 2018/19 year for St. Josephs School</i>
	<i>1.4.3 Family Math Night</i>	<i>Kit</i>	<i>Wednesday May 10th – In the evening will be Family Math Niight – parents invited to attend Mini math learning sessions in the students classrooms => Time of event to start: _____</i>
	<i>1.4.4 New Admin Announcement</i>	<i>Kit</i> <i>Sandra</i>	<i>The NEW Principle for the 2018/19 year will be Vivian Varano – Very Ciriculum Based Teaching style / Kit belives she will be a great fit for St. Josephs School. Kit to invite her to attend our final meeting in June so the Council can meet her before the new school year.</i> <i>Blaine to be Vice Principle Half time at St. Josephs & Half time at Holy Cross.</i> <i>Asked how Registration numbers were for new school year (JK) – Kit informed the council that we will have 3 classes this of JK/SK this year as numbers were very good.</i>
Parish Information		<i>Myla</i>	<i>Retreat for Holy Communion is Thursday May 12th // Volunteers needed between 9:30-12</i> <i>CPIC – is looking for new Parent & Parish representatives for the 2018/19 year</i> <i>Parish Calendar given to Kathleen to post on the School website.</i>
Community Information		<i>Bev</i>	<i>Robo Geek at Library on April 16th 2018-04-11</i> <i>Library looking for teen advisories (Look into asking some of the Grade 8 Students)</i> <i>Library Program given to Kathleen to post on School website.</i>
Correspondence		<i>Sandra</i> <i>Kit/Kathleen</i>	<i>Everyone given a copy of the Book – Resisting Happiness</i> <i>Discussed a “gift” for the students / a Deck of Cards / Dice & School Lanyard / and do the same “scavenger hunt” idea as last year as it was a big success. Kathleen looked into personalized decks of cards (great idea) // Kit to look into the budget.</i>
Closing Prayer			
Next Meeting	May 14 th 2018		