

# ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC SCHOOL COUNCIL



Tuesday, November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019 @ 6:30p.m.

## MINUTES

AGENDA TOPIC	SPECIFICS	LEAD
1. Opening Prayer	Brian lead the prayer	Chair
2. Approval of the Agenda	Present: Brian Melanson, Anna Albanese-lazic, Lisa Soroko, Julia Istvany, Kevin Philpott, May Xie Regrets: Fatime Spahiu Approval of agenda,	Chair
3. Approval of Minutes	Anna approved minutes May seconded	Chair
4. Administrator's Report	<p><b><u>Achieving: ACHIEVING:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- SIP: Positive, Safe Environment, continue with goals toward Self-Regulation, include Safe School, Mental Health, and Numeracy</li> <li>- Bullying Prevention plan – 2 students sitting on this committee with our SPTL (School Program Team Leaders – Leone, Matute, Modaffari), parent rep: Anna as chair? For example: STPBTS contest launch today; QMack presentation next week; Code of Conduct Assemblies; Staff PD</li> <li>- Cross Country rescheduled to April 21<sup>st</sup></li> <li>- PA Day on Friday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> (Parent/Teacher Interviews)</li> <li>- Math Up – SPTLs also taking the lead on this, running in divisional meetings with teachers</li> <li>- Reading interventions: RTI &amp; Empower running</li> <li>- Earth Rangers presentation tomorrow -</li> </ul>	Principal

**Believing: BELIEVING:**

- Confirmation last week....
- Advent Mass December 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm – Family mass, no reception this year at the school because we are going to do a Christmas Musical this year two weeks later December 18<sup>th</sup>.
- Parent Meeting at the Church for our Grade 2s a few weeks ago
- Christian Meditation and Rosary clubs are continuing

Focus on Faith Assemblies continuing this year, first one on Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup> at 1:30pm

**Belonging:**

YMCA Programs – after school programs starting up for 6 weeks in our gym

- Breakfast Program/Snack Bins continuing
- Hot Lunches – Pizza, Quiznos, Milk
- retakes on Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup>  
Grad photos in February 27<sup>th</sup>
- World Diabetes Awareness Day on November 14<sup>th</sup>
- Next week is national Bullying Awareness week...we have a presentation from Quincy Mack the 19<sup>th</sup>....
- Dairy presentations happening again this year at the end of the month
- Knights of Columbus hockey blast also happening at the end of the month
- Archangels leading our Focus on Faith assemblies, our Remembrance Day Liturgy, and our Packing Party for Operation Christmas Child

Grade 8s had their Pink Football game that they attended, as well as a Mini High School day

- **Foundational Elements:**
- Bus Safety presentations
- Council of Chairs meeting on Oct. 16<sup>th</sup>
- SGF Plan Brian presented the plan, dance a thon raised approx. 1000 less than last year. Brian shared the SGF Plan with items we will be putting money towards. To be signed off on next week by superintendent. Copy to be posted online Nov Feb May on school website under school council
- Emergency Procedures: Fire Drills 3 drills completed /Lock Down/Bomb Threat – completed our mandatory three fire drills for the Fall, first lockdown drill coming up; Bomb Threat drills (2 per year)
- Communication: Website; Twitter; Email communication once a week (School Updates); Calendar online
- United Way supports this year – Paint the Town Red day on November 29<sup>th</sup>, non-uniform toonie/loonie day
- Yard – Supervision begins at 8:35am
- Attendance: Late arrivals...
- Operation Christmas Child once again. Information coming, planning a packing party again
- Halloween – Dance-a-thon results! Dance a thon was a success! See SGF report

<p>5. Committee Reports</p>	<p><b>Chair: Anna Albanese: had nothing to report</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Council of chairs update</li> <li>• OAPCE representative</li> </ul> <p><b>Parish Rep: May Xie,</b>  <b>Christmas concert available through the church December 7th</b></p> <p><b>Community Rep:</b> Julia Istvany, nothing to report</p> <p><b>Teacher Rep:</b> Lisa Soroko , to share some equipment purchases with the ymca to share</p> <p><b>Non-Teaching Rep:</b> Kevin Philpott  Terra cycling  Squeeze pouches and lunch mates to earn points for garbage  Have purchased the collection box with funds to date  Kevin working with environment club to reach out to some organizations to see if they could possibly fund the box for terra cycling  Environmental club meets last recess on Wednesday</p> <p><b>Parent Engagement:</b>  <b>Fundraising (Hot Lunches/Milk/Other:</b></p>	<p>Chair</p>
<p>6. New Business</p>	<p>Other Agenda items...</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Danceathon results</li> <li>2. SGF Annual Plan</li> <li>3. Advent Mass/Christmas Musical</li> <li>4. Used Uniform Sale?  Collect by end of November  Possibly during the Christmas musical during the library – to be run by parent council. 6:15- 7:00  Anna and Julia to run (Julia will organize bins on the stage)!  December 18<sup>th</sup></li> </ol>	<p>Chair/  Principal</p>
<p>Wrap up and adjournment</p>	<p>Confirm next meeting dates:  January 14<sup>th</sup> 6:30  Meeting adjourned</p>	<p>Chair</p>