St. Paul Catholic School Catholic School

Council Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, February 5, 2019 - School Library

~ 6:00 – 7:00 p.m

MINUTES

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| 1 | **Call to Order**  Meeting was called to order at p.m.  In attendance:  Mrs. Stephanie MacMillan-Parish Representative  Mrs. Marissa Pitt-Teaching Staff Representative  Mrs. Rosanna Tamas-co-chair  Mr. Nelson Costa-Principal  Mrs. Tenessa VanHeukelom-co-chair  Mrs. Maria Cianciosi-Non Teaching Staff Representative  Mrs. Karen McGregor  Mrs. Jessica Robertson  Mrs. Stephanie MacMillan  Mrs. Cathy Kirin  Mrs. Gina Vono  Mrs. Adriana Leal  Mrs. Becky Nield  Parent Visitors:  Mrs. Jenn White  Mr. Mike Wilson  Mrs. Andreina Bordon  Absent:  Mrs. Michelle Greenway  Mrs. Megan Goodman  Mrs. Sarah Pullen  Welcome and Prayer |
| 2 | **Business arising from the minutes**  none |
| 3 | **Principal Report: Nelson Costa**  **See attached report**  **X Movement Presentation by Conor Dullard**  School program which focuses improving on social & emotional intelligence in kids  Based on 3 principles:  Movement - exercise makes kids feels good  Mindfulness - teaches self regulation through physical exercise  Mateship - one on one conversations between kids to build friendships    Programs include:   * Dance - High energy program which uses culturally inspired dances to celebrate diversity and inclusivity * Fusion - focus on stretching and breathing patterns to find a balance state * Power - uses disciplines of martial arts to connect body & mind * Aussie X - uses Australian sports and culture to shift student mindset from “I can’t” to “I can” * program takes 3 days (Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday) * all students will take part in all elements of the program * Cost * $6.00 per student per program * $7.00 includes program, parent night and web app * Pro Grant Funds funds could be used for this program for the 2019 / 2020 school year   Can possibly take place during Curriculum Night in the school yard while the parents meet with teachers  50th Anniversary Update   * Date: Friday, May 10, 2019 * Save the date posted to school website * Celebration will include mass at St Raphael’s at 10:30 am followed by Walk Down Memory Lane at the school at 11:45 * Coffee and cake will be served during the Walk Down Memory Lane * Committee meeting set for Feb 20 * Some ideas to celebrate 50th Anniversary: * slide show of photos of the school, students, teachers, etc * grade 8 will create a prayer which will be given out as a gift * Bracelet * Band to play Happy Birthday * time capsule to be open at 60th anniversary * sign in book or frame or art piece   Peace Garden   * Mr Costa required to get 3 formal quotes for the Peace Garden * If anyone has contact to assist with this please let him know |
| 4 | **Chair Report**  Council of Chairs Meeting recap:  Assumption Joint FOS Council Meeting:Assumption Joint FOS Council Meeting  Feb 6, 2019  Theme: Mental Health postponed  OAPCE Rep recap: C. Kirin-sick, postpone report |
| 5 | **Upcoming Events**  Civies Day - February 14, 2019   * Valentines Cookies will be sold for $2.00 to raise money for Food 4 Kids * Kids can dress in red & pink * kids can also make a $1 or $2 donation - all money raised through donations will also go to Food 4 Kids   Drum Fit: Feb 20. 30x30min time slots. 6-630, 640-710, 720-750. Are we charging a small fee? What does the grant cover? Total cost is $678. How is sign up happening? Younger ages 6-630, etc? Michelle is lead.  **Shrove / Pancake Tuesday:**   * Tuesday, March 5, 2019 * will take place in the school gym * each grade will come down to the gym for pancakes * no charge to students - HST funds to be used * 2 pancakes per student (Gr. 6, 7 & 8 will get 3 pancakes per student) * Pancake batter to be purchased at Costco * Gluten option to be offered * Syrup available at school * Mr. Costa will send out email asking for volunteers and griddles   **Grade 8 Graduation**   * Monday, June 24, 2019 * grade 8 students to be asked what they would like to do for their grade 8 graduation * Cathy Kirin to check availability at hotels and banquet halls * Gina to check with country clubs   Bingo Night:  April Games Night/Numeracy Night: |
| 7 | **Staff Report: M. Pitt** |
| 8 | **New Business**  School Peace Garden-50th Anniversary |
| 9 | **Catholic School Council Goals**  This will be an ongoing agenda item and will revisit often • We identified some items that we want to continue and who the lead would be:   * Pizza Day – Tenessa, Rosanna, Andriana * Sub/Lunch Lady Day – students to deliver * Pancake Day – homemade in the gym. All hands on deck! Gina lead, Michelle, Megan * Drum Fit-Michelle lead, Mike to help * Coffee tables at all events-Michelle to see what she can get * Bingo Night-Tenessa, Cathy, Jenn, Andreina, Stephanie * Yearbook – CYC and student mentors * Play Day Hot Dog Lunch – Adriana and Becky to take the lead. * Numeracy Night-Curriculum Consultant and Math Consultant “Back to the Basics”. April Games Night with the parents/families * Movie Night –Christmas & March ?March, popcorn sales idea for ?older movies * Pasta Night- * Salad Bar-Cart for free. One session in the spring, 8 week block. |
| 10 | **Christian Meditation** |
| 11 | **Other Business**  Future Meeting Dates-Feb 20, April 9, June ??)  Council of Chairs Meeting (6:30-9:00pm)  February 27 at St. Joan of Arc  May 22 at St. Scholastica |
| 12 | **Motion to Adjourn**  Motion to Adjourn by Nelson Costa seconded by  Adjourned at pm. Motion carried. |

Recorded by:

Approved: Nelson Costa

Date: