



Holy Family School Council Meeting Minutes September 24, 2024 6:00PM – 7:30PM

Please note that if you would like to enjoy voting privileges, you must be a Council Member (parent guests are welcome to attend as always but will not have voting privileges).

In Attendance: Kim Spencer, Shelley Vlastic, Cheryl Szombati, Jerusalem Wolde, Brittney Espinola, Ashleigh Spong, Laura Ferren, Ainsley Amalfa, Kylee Janisse, Shelby Anderson, Sarah Morrison, Kate Cohrs, Amy Battistone, Brandon Dunphy, Lindsey Tarcza-Bender, Rachel Beacock, Jennifer Richardson, Ellen Flewelling, Mosunmola Fabumi, Angela Brown

Regrets: Jenna Dierick, Mitch Ross, Brielle Ross, Stella Sousa, Marie Teskey, Breanna Meza, Celiagh Melo, Nicky Promoli, Sarah Howard, Marianne Dalpe, Damilola Ajose, Augusta Bruce

~Feeding the mind, body, and spirit of our children~

1. Call to order by Cheryl Szombati
2. Prayer offered by Kim Spencer
3. Welcome and introductions
4. Additions and Approval of the Agenda
 - All approved
5. Approval of the Minutes from June 2024
 - All approved
6. Treasurer's Report (Cheryl):
 - 6.1 New Receipts
 - First Day of School Receipts to be submitted by Ainsley
 - 6.2 Report financials for recent events/council activities
 - No recent events

6.3 Financial update/account balances

- Unspent PIC Grant - \$400.00
- Unspent PRO Grant - \$217.00
- General Fund - \$9,200.63
- Unused Technology Fund - \$629.77
- Unused Pancake Day Fund - \$542.45

TOTAL: \$10,989.85

7. Standing Items:

7.1 Receive Principal's Report (Kim)

- Snack Program soft launch next week
- Applied for some experiential grants for K to Grade 6 and Grade 4 to 8 (Choice Day)
- Kindergarten Playground
 - We are in need of sand and gravel for the kindergarten playground
- Catholic Council School Board Advisory Council
 - Mandated by the Ministry that we have a school council
 - The role of council is to support what is happening in the school
 - Policy will be shared to council over e-mail

7.2 Receive Teacher's Report (Kim on behalf of Jenna)

- Terry Fox run will be on Friday September 27 (Grade 4-8 only)
- Faith Day – Tuesday October 8 – PA Day

7.3 Receive Regional Council Meeting Report (Cheryl)

- No meetings have been scheduled yet; however, meeting dates and topics will be shared once available

8. Business Arising:

8.1 Playground Painting Update

- We were hoping to have the playground painting done at the end of last year but the fire hydrant needed to be fixed which put a delay in our plans
- Looking for some additional and updated quotes

8.2 Christmas Event

- Vote – Jingle Mingle vs. Christmas Concert – Majority voted Jingle Mingle
- Jingle Mingle – Gingerbread Theme - Thursday December 12, 2024

8.3 Professor Jamz – Wednesday February 26, 2025

8.4 Shrove Tuesday/Pancake Day – Tuesday March 4, 2025

8.5 Spring Event – Thursday June 5, 2025

8.6 Grants

- Jen Richardson to assist with writing applications for grants

8.7 Family Support

- Allocate \$100 in case a parent passes to be utilized for flowers, gift card, meals etc.
- All approved by council

8.8 Earth Day Initiative

- Kidney Clothing Drive – Saturday April 26, 2025
- All approved by council

9. Items for Next Agenda

- Christmas Event
- All approved by council

10. Adjournment – 7:35PM

OTHER NOTES:

- Shelley paid personal cash \$15 to babysitter for this meeting

Next Meeting – Tuesday October 29, 2024, at 6:00PM

2024-2025 Meeting Dates – 6:00PM to 7:30PM:

Tuesday September 24	Tuesday October 29	Tuesday November 26
Tuesday January 28	Tuesday February 25	Tuesday March 25
Tuesday April 29	Thursday May 22 (tentative)	Tuesday June 10

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