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APPROVED MINUTES

Catholic School Council Meeting

Date: Wednesday February 26, 2025

Time: 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m

Location: 1760 Bough Beeches Blvd. Mississauga ON L4W 2B9, Staff Room

<p><u>2024-2025 School Council Members:</u></p> <p><u>Chairperson</u> S. von Sengbusch*</p> <p><u>Secretary</u> C. Judzinski* <u>Treasurer</u> A. Crayden*</p> <p><u>OAPCE Rep</u> N. Lanzara* <u>Parish Liaison</u> A. Waugh Sunico*</p> <p><u>Parent Reps</u> J. Rizk*; C. Branco*; M. Zervas*; S. Garofalo*</p> <p><u>Teacher Reps</u> N. Confalone, K. Hammond <u>Non-Teacher Rep</u> T. Carreiro</p>	<p><u>Principal</u> A.J. Hilario</p> <p><u>Superintendent</u> D.Belchior-Demedeiros</p> <p><u>Trustee</u> Mario Pascucci Mississauga Wards 1 & 3 T: (905) 302-3096 T: (905) 890-0708 ext 20161 F: (905) 624-6823 Mario.Pascucci@dpdsb.org</p>
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A. Routine Matters

1. **Call to Order and Attendance** – S. von Sengbusch
 - i. School Council Members: Ms. von Sengbusch, Ms. Waugh Sunico, Ms. Hilario, Ms. Branco, Ms. Confalone, Ms. Judzinski, Ms. Garofalo, Ms. Carreiro, Ms. Hammond, Ms. Lanzara, Ms. Crayden
 - ii. Non-voting Members: Ms. Romano
 - iii. Regrets: Ms. Rizk, Ms. Zervas
2. **Opening Prayer** - Ms. Waugh Sunico
3. **Land Acknowledgement** - S. von Sengbusch: We would like to acknowledge and thank the Mississauga of the Credit First Nation for being the ongoing stewards of this traditional territory. – Ms. von Sengbusch
4. **Approval of Agenda** (approved by: S. Garofalo, A.Crayden)
5. **Approval of Catholic School Council Minutes, November 20, 2024** (approved by: A. Waugh Sunico, N. Lanzara)
6. **Items arising from minutes:**
 - i. N/A

B. Trustee Update (if applicable)

- i. Trustee sends his regrets

C. Standing Items

1. **Social Committee Report** Ms. Branco
 - i. Valentine's Day
 - a. Good feedback on cookies
 - b. Proposed "Welcome Spring" cookies \$91.00 for 120 cookies
 - c. Skate Night – April 5 or 6 possibly
 - d. Combined Bingo and movie night – play bingo until dusk and watch movie after sun goes down

- e. Possibly just do Bingo – outside preferred, but can move to gym in the event of bad weather
 - a. Possible date – June 4 6:30-7:30 and have food trucks (pay as you go – food not paid for by council or preorder)
 - f. Play Day – June 16 – hot dog and freezies
 - g. Ice Cream Truck – June 25
 - h. Movie night in September instead – sun sets a bit earlier, still warm weather
 - i. Shrove Tuesday – March 4
 - a. 350 students – cover tables with kraft paper/butcher paper
 - b. Longos donating syrup and pancake batter – students to do a thank you letter/poster and Ms. Hilario to mention their sponsorship in the Maverick
 - c. Class schedule needs to be sent to Alison
- 2. **Parish Report:** A. Waugh Sunico
 - i. Bishop will be back again
 - ii. Sausage breakfast at the church
- 3. **Chair Report:** S von Sengbusch
 - i. Revisit Lunch Pails option – try Mondays
 - ii. Harvey's has not been responsive
 - iii. Possibly change Subway to Pita Pit next year
- 4. **Treasurer Report:** A. Crayden
 - i. Subway purchases are declining
 - ii. Jungle Sport deposit has been paid
 - iii. Brave is coming back
 - iv. Inflatables for play day
 - v. Murals – waiting for new price – approx. \$22,000.00
 - vi. Athletics – bus, refs, most consumables have been used
- 5. **Teacher Report:** N. Confalone
 - i. Battery Blitz
 - ii. Games club – lunch time Mondays
 - iii. Chess Club
 - iv. Basketball – girls will be off to the boards
 - v. Pink shirt day upcoming
- 6. **Principal's Report:** A. Hilario
 - i. Bishop visit – students prepared a book for him which was well received
 - ii. Rosary Apostolate continues
 - iii. Lenten project
 - iv. Food drive? Date TBD
 - v. Illusion images – to come back with an updated estimate
 - vi. Election is Feb 27 – hallways will be blocked to prevent people from wandering, school staff will be on high alert to make sure voters stay in designated areas (foyer and gym)
 - vii. Interviews have wrapped up
 - viii. Kids go outside as long as the weather is good

- ix. FDK registration already exceeding projections – currently at 32 new Kinders
- x. Student teachers coming in
- xi. Dental screening in April – must sign forms
- xii. No food serving restrictions for parent council – meaning we can continue to do Shrove Tuesday pancakes and Play Day BBQ
- xiii. Snow day learning has been posted
- xiv. Jungle Sport booked for Easter week
- xv. Brave – will be 6, 7, 8 only
- xvi. Sports – we’ve taken home 3 out of 4 banners – teams doing very well
- xvii. Lock down drills upcoming
- xviii. Snow removal is an issue everywhere
- xix. Refresh of some phys ed equipment
- xx. Eco Ranger visit upcoming (because we participated in the Battery Blitz)
- xxi. Grade 8 Teen Ranch May 20
- xxii. Grad will be during the day in the gym June 23
- xxiii. Ice cream party for communion and confirmation kids – week of May 26/May 27 after last recess – we will also invite Fr. Xavier

D. Information/Updates (if applicable)

- 1. Central Committee for Catholic School Councils (CCCSC) Report
 - a. No update
- 2. Ontario Association of Parents in Catholic Education (OAPCE) Reports: N. Lanzara
 - a. Change to regional director. OAPCE conference on May 24 at Niagara Falls

E. Action Items

- 1. none

F. Future Meetings

April 9, 2025 @ 6.30pm Regular Council meeting at School
May 21, 2025 @ 6.30pm Regular Council meeting at School
June 18, 2025 @ 6.30pm Regular Council meeting at School

G. Adjournment: approved by: S. Garofalo, C. Branco