Catholic School Council -St. Bernadette 2017-2018

Approved Meeting Minutes

**Date:**
Tuesday September 26th 2017

**Location**
St. Bernadette School Library

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**Agenda**

1. Prayer
2. Principal’s Report
3. Elections
4. Date of Next meeting
5. Other

**Minutes:**

1. Prayer

2. **Principal’s Report & East Credit Transition Planning Committee (Maria)**
   - OPACE – Annual conference on October 14th 2017 - Ewelina will attend
   - OPACE – First meeting to be held at St. Joe’s on November 4th 2017 @ 8:30am
   - 1st Catholic ______ to be held at St. at 6:30pm??
   - Could be DPCDSB CSC Chairs meeting, St Francis Xavier Nov 2nd

3. **Christmas:**
   - Christmas concert date: December 14th 2017 6pm-8pm (School Gym)
   - Poinsettias sales to be held as a fundraiser again this year
   - International languages would like to be informed when they go on sale

4. **Pizza:**
   - Pizza to begin in October, letter to go early October
   - Pizza will be Tuesdays/Thursdays
   - New school population is 278
   - New teacher to start on Wednesday
• **Heat:**
  - students do not go outside for recess if temp is over 30 degrees
  - Mrs. Parker purchased 6 new fans for the school
  - Students are rotating between the “cooler” rooms (library & gym)

• **Sports teams:**
  - We now have co-ed soccer for junior & intermediate
  - Boys/Girls Junior Volleyball
  - No cross country this year as students didn’t have enough time to practice
  - We’re looking into replenishing sports uniforms

• **Other School events:**
  - Artists in the school – A drummer who spent 2 days with the students last year will be returning this year.
  - Indigenous presenter- Will spend 2 teaching children and enriching their lives with stories and lessons
  - Possibly “Scientists in the school”??
  - Grade 8’s will be going to Camp Muskoka
  - Grade 7’s will be going to Mt. Alverno/ Teen Ranch
  - Grade 2’s will attend communion retreat at St. Martin of Tours
  - Trips take place from Oct-May
  - Swim to survive for grade 3’s
  - Skating to begin in November for grades 3 and up

“**Around the School/Clubs**”:
• Possible clubs: karate, Lego, knitting, colouring
• Intermural basketball during lunch
• 7/8 Youth faith ambassadors
• Eco team – hoping for platinum this year!
• Mrs. Parker asked if anyone has any contacts with fish stores as we would like to get out school aquarium up and running

3. **Elections**
• A brief description of Council titles/positions was given by Mrs. Parker
• A “rough” list of council positions was established as follows:
  - Chair/Co-Chair- Trevor
  - Treasurer- Sandy/Colleen/Angela
  - Community/Parrish Rep- Sandra
  - Secretary- Sandra
  - OPACE- Ewelina
• Elections will be formalized at the next School Council Meeting on October 18th

6. **Date of Next Meeting**
• October 18th 2017 @ 6:30pm
• November 15th 2017 @ 6:30pm
• No December meeting
• January 17th 2018 @ 6:30pm
February 21st 2018 @ 6:30pm
No March meeting
April 18th 2018 @ 6:30pm
June 13th 2018 @ 6:30pm

** Come with some possible fundraising ideas

7. Approval of Minutes

- N/A

8. Other/Questions

SNACKS:
- Only Board Approved snacks for the “good buy Healthy School” list are sold at the SNACK SHACK
- Money raised is given to charities such as: Share Life, United Way, Families in Need
- Teachers also contribute with their “dress down’ Fridays contributions

PIZZA:
- Moving towards using only CASH online
- Pizza forms sent home, parents go on-line and order, School gets a print out.
- In the past Pizza forms went home, money came back and is counted and deposited. School kept copies of orders and matched it up with class lists.

Other Lunch Options:
- Form a “sub-committee” to look after lunches

Lunch Supervision in FDK:
- 2 people are in the class at all times, they rotate with the lunch time supervisor

FDK Bus students:
- Students are escorted to the bus by the supervisor on the driveway duty

Day Care Yard:
- Day Care is shared with the FDK yard with daycare.

Kindergarten Fence:
- Kindergarten fence by room 100-101 kindergarten fence MP answered: Yes, fence will be extended. Work order is already in!

Crossing Guard:
- Look into contacting City of Mississauga to have a crossing guard at Eden Rose/White Clover for St. Bernadette Student
  Trevor motioned to adjourn meeting @7:12pm. Motioned was seconded by Emelina. Motion carried.