



# CORPUS CHRISTI SEPARATE SCHOOL

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Title: **Corpus Christi Separate School Council Meeting Minutes**

Date: **March 2, 2022**

Time: **6:30 pm – 7:30 pm**

**Staff Attending:**

Principal                    Matthew Di Fiore  
Teacher Rep                Diana Emanuele

**Attendees:**

Chair                            Carla Coimbra  
OAPCE Rep                Leela Johnson  
Parish Rep                 Cora Bryce  
Visitors                     Stefano Pascucci  
Regrets                      Luz del Rosario, Michael Bullock (Treasurer)

**Items:**

1. Land Acknowledgement & Opening Prayer	Matt Di Fiore & Cora Bryce (Lent prayer and Credo for Peace)
2. Welcome	Welcome: Catholic School Trustees – Stefano Pascucci (Ward 4) Ash Wednesday message for a prayerful Lenten season. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Possible Graduation in-person – updates expected shortly from the board.</li><li>• Masking – no clear date for masks to come off at school (Chief medical officer of health and Minister of Health have not agreed on a set date, hopefully to get rid of masks after March break.</li><li>• More HEPA filters expected to be installed at schools.</li><li>• We have to continue to use the Covid screening forms.</li></ul>
3. Approval of Agenda	Approved (Carla Coimbra and Leela Johnson)
4. Approval of Minutes: January 12, 2022	Approved by (Carla Coimbra and Leela Johnson) Minutes will be published on the school website March 3, 2022.
5. Parish Update	Cristo Rei Parish schedule which can be found on <a href="http://www.cristo-rei.com/mass-schedule">http://www.cristo-rei.com/mass-schedule</a> Ideas for First Holy Communion and Confirmation gift samples will be provided shortly to school council.
6. Treasurer's Report	Reviewed Current Year School Generated Funds and School Council Accounts School generated funds \$3,078.63 School council Balance \$6,089.71 Suggested items: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Cookie Dough Fundraiser in April 2022</li><li>• Technology replacement</li></ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hallways to be updated with artwork (catholicity, inclusivity, fun math games, quotes etc.) Committee to be formed and suggestions are welcome</li> <li>Gifts for First Holy Communion and Confirmation</li> <li>Scientists in School – Virtual sessions</li> <li>Sensory room installation – to refurbish one of the existing room to ensure there is enough space for Spec Ed students and staff. School Board will be approached to get funding for this project.</li> <li>Set aside funds for Grad Trip (if covid restrictions relax)</li> </ul>
7. Administration/School Updates	Matt Di Fiore & Diana Emanuele
a) Catholic Community, Culture, and Caring	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Virtue of the Month (March: Kindness -Balloon arrangement from a parent, acts of kindness, April: Love, May: Acceptance)</li> <li>Ash Wednesday Mass &amp; Distribution of Ashes – Wednesday, March 2, 2022 @ 9:00 am Fr Carlos did virtual live stream Holy Mass and Fr. Min distributed Ashes in the classrooms</li> <li>First Holy Communion: April 23, 2022 &amp; April 30, 2022</li> <li>Confirmation: May 14, 2022 &amp; May 25, 2022 (TBC)</li> </ul>
b) Learning Environment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>March Break: Monday, March 14th to Friday, March 18th</li> <li>EQAO (Grades 3 &amp; 6) Practice and preparation of students being planned.</li> </ul>
c) Community Engagement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Valentine’s Candy Grams for ShareLife – did very well – kids were very excited. Cody came over to cheer up the day.</li> <li>International Women’s Day – Tuesday, March 8, 2022 – activities planned</li> <li>World Down Syndrome Day – Monday, March 21, 2022 – wear mismatch socks</li> <li>Epilepsy Awareness (Purple) Day – Saturday, March 26, 2022</li> </ul>
d) Physical Environment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ECO Schools Initiatives – walk to school Wednesdays, proper recycling contest</li> <li>Earth Hour – Saturday, March 26, 2022 (8:30 pm → 9:30 pm)</li> </ul> <p>Other Eco Club activities planned for March</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Great gulp</li> <li>Waste free lunches</li> <li>Eco fun week</li> <li>International French day</li> </ul>
8. AOB	Support of urgent humanitarian aid efforts in Ukraine and prayers: wear white on Friday, activity/message on white dove by students and staff
9. Next Meeting	Next Meeting: April 13, 2022 @ 6:30 pm – Zoom (Virtual)
10. Closing Prayer	Cora Bryce (Ash Wednesday Prayer)
11. Adjournment	Motion Carried (Carla Coimbra and Diana Emanuele)