



Father Michael Goetz Catholic School Council

June 6th, 2022 Meeting

Opening Prayer

Heavenly Father, we come to you today asking for your guidance, wisdom, and support as we begin this meeting. Help us to engage in meaningful discussion; allow us to grow closer as a group and nurture the bonds of community. Fill us with your grace, Lord God, as we make decisions that might affect the members of the Father Michael Goetz Community, continue to remind us that all that we do here today, all that we accomplish, is for the pursuit of truth for the greater glory of You. Amen.

Welcome and Acknowledgement

“We would like to acknowledge that we are on sacred indigenous territory and thank the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation for being stewards of this land.”

Introductions

Approval of Previous Minutes

Updates and Reports:

Student Reps:

Athena Fernandes

- Welcome Maria J as the new Prime Minister for 2022-2023
- Goetz-a-pollooza **A school wide beach carnival day Thurs June 9th (fun games with competition and school spirit.... highlight is the dunk tank featuring Mr. Coccimiglio)!

Maria J

- Grade 12 retreat tomorrow in Oakville. A spiritual component and lots of fun stations building comradery and lifelong connections after sharing 4 years together as Gators.

Trustee Report (Luz Del Rosario)

- Please see Trustee Bulletin for all info updates.
- Thank you to parents on council for all your commitment and dedication to working well with admin to have a successful year.
- Thank you, Ms. Fountain and Arts Team, for all the hard work put in to have an excellent show we all enjoyed.

Trustee Report (Bruno Iannicca)

- Sent regrets

Trustee Report (Stefano Pascucci)

- Thank you as well to all of council on behalf of Bruno too, for all your time and support you give to all our students. Looking forward to seeing everyone next year. Hope for a restful summer.

Teacher Report (Mrs. Fountain)

- Arts Menagerie was a sold-out successful event! Everyone was excited for the return of in-person performance that we pulled it off brilliantly. Performers had a three-day performance opening day for the community, school wide audience and for the feeder schools' grade 8 students.
- Mock Trial of election day for the school executed in the gym with real secret ballot system. Students' final results voted Liberal majority.
- Athletic banquet June 16th in the Café featuring Mrs. D'Silva's culinary team.

VP Report (Mrs. Priestner)

- Last retreat tomorrow for grade 12s as mentioned by student rep.
- Grad June 29th. Students pick up their gown and 4 tickets. If extra tickets available, then there will be distributed accordingly stay tuned on grad google classroom.

VP Report (Dr. Ekwutosi Odozor)

- Gr.8 Day was a huge success a fun filled day from arrival right to the end. Gr. 8 teachers were very impressed as well. We will target the grade 7s next year to plant a seed sooner.
- Prom June 24th is a go with 130 tickets sold and counting. Target number is 200 tickets.

Principal Report (Mr. Coccimiglio)

- Very happy to announce that the admin team will continue next year as our student numbers are at 1016 and hope to increase in September.
- Budget report, all monies previously allotted to projects will be spent and completed as planned. There is no rollover of school funds as directed by the Board so all funds must be depleted before year end.

Treasurer Report (Simone Croft)

- Nothing to report today except cost for the parent engagement event was taken out of the account.

Parish Report (Elizabeth Pennant)

- No report. See church website for weekly bulletin.

OAPSE Report (Maria Scupham)

- May 28th AGM and in-person conference was a success. Featured speakers are posted on the oapce.org website.

Chair Report (Maria Scupham)

- Thank you to Trustee Pascucci for having the potholes in the student parking lot fixed promptly.
- We like to request new Prime Minister Maria J to attend our next meeting in the fall.
- Last meeting of 2021-22 and first meeting of 2022-23 booked for Oct 3rd, 2022
- We are very proud of our Arts Staff Team and performers of this year's Arts Menagerie as it was an entertaining evening of pure talents! Thank you for your hard work it paid off.
- Wishing all of council, Goetz staff and students a safe, restful and fun summer.

Closing prayer

Thank you, Lord, for your presence with us this day. As we depart from this space now, we ask you to bless us throughout the remainder of the day and guide us safely home. Do not let the learning and conversations of this gathering die, but instead, may they continue to ruminate within us and bear fruit in our ministries throughout the year, until we find ourselves together again. We ask this in the name of Jesus, and in the power of the Holy Spirit, Amen.

Next Meeting Monday October 3rd, 2022 @ 7:00 pm

- Approval of May 2nd, 2022 minutes

Adjournment