



ST. JOSEPH SECONDARY SCHOOL
SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING
Approved Minutes

Monday January 17, 2022
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Item	Highlights
1.	Opening Prayer
	Approval of Agenda; approved by Antonio Dsouza; seconded by Katharine Wieczorek.
	Approval of November 22, 2021 Minutes- approved by Shamin DSouza; seconded by Michael Smolders.
2.	<p>Report from Student Council:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Lauren Fernandes, Prime Minister and Ali Taha, Deputy Prime Minister - PowerPoint Presentation of activities and events from September to November; future proposals for activities and events for the remainder of the year were provided
3.	<p>Report from Trustee Luz del Rosario:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Luz solicited feedback from parents regarding the Snow Day communication. Parents would appreciate direction in a timely manner and the information should be specific to elementary and secondary. 2. Trustees are working with the Board to review/update/revise approximately 28 policies. 3. Trustees are advocating for the following items: cafeteria service to be provided in all schools; parent/guardian spectators at sporting events; volunteers in schools; semi-formal dinner/dance events; Graduation events. 4. HPV vaccination will begin in late January. More information will be forthcoming.
4.	<p>Report from the Co-Chairs:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. CCCSC training workshops for all returning and newly appointed members of our Catholic School Councils took place on November 25th, 2021. 2. CCCSC Parent Engagement Event took place on November 25th, 2021 and the Guest speaker for this evening is Dr. Anne Jamieson (Executive Director of the Ontario Institute for Catholic Education) who presented “Catholic Education: From the bath to the table – off to school and beyond”. 3. December 16th, 2022 - MADD Canada and the Driving Enforcement Unit with Peel Regional Police presentation 4. Catholic School Council Survey information was provided by all School Councils to the board. 5. Upcoming event: CCCSC Parent Engagement Event has been organized for Wednesday January 26, 2022 and the speaker for this evening is Dr. Jean Clinton who will be presenting “Love Builds Brains- the Heart and Brain connection- Rise Together to Resilience”.
5.	<p>Report from Council Members:</p> <p>Treasurer:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. There is a balance of \$1272.04.

	<p>Parish Rep:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> CWL Spiritual Bouquet: The Catholic Women's League is organizing a Spiritual Bouquet for the men who are being ordained to the priesthood and diaconate this year. If you would like to offer your prayers for them throughout the year 2022, you will find the forms to be filled out located at the exit of the church, completed forms can be dropped in the box until the 26th of January 2022. Healing Mass: It has been organized by the Divine Mercy Prayer group on February 9th, at 7:00 P.M. celebrant Rev. Fr David Avila and the theme of the service "Your faith has saved you" Matthew 9:22. All are invited Formed.org (Catholic resource site) St Joseph's Parish is excited to offer formed.org to our entire parish for free with award-winning studies parish programs inspirational movies family friendly kids programs all available on formed.org all you need to do is register for a free account using the parish code V9WRHN and you can have access to unlimited resources <p>OAPCE:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> N/A
<p>6.</p>	<p>Report from the Principal:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Course selection and Collection of \$65 Student Activity fee for the 2022-2023 school year: This information was provided to students in December through class visits from the Guidance Counsellors. The deadline for course selection and payment is Friday January 21st, 2022. Ministry of Education Announcements: Return to a semester schedule February 3, 2022; More information will be forthcoming from the Ministry and the Board School Photos: were taken in December; students will receive student ID cards via their homeroom teacher School Generated Funds: Update regarding the Use of School Generated Funds: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - New PA system was installed - Library painting has been completed - Gym Painting has been completed; in the process of getting a mural designed for the gym which is tentatively scheduled to be painted during the March Break Parent Engagement Funding of \$500: The funding was provided to school boards from the Ministry to support the implementation of programs, strategies and initiatives that involve parents. This funding also supports the parent engagement activities of the school board's Parent Involvement Committee and School Councils. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Suggestions – send to Rosina Ariganello by Monday January 24th, 2022; she will forward ideas to the Co-Chairs
<p>7.</p>	<p>School Reports:</p> <p>Chaplaincy Report:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -fundraising for St. Vincent De Paul Christmas Gift Cards (approximately \$3000 was collected through school cash online; -Week of Christian Unity prayers this week -this Friday-Friday Night Praise with Fr. Michael Corpus at 7 p.m. (will send Zoom link to interested students) -February 14th, 2022 deadline for the Friar's student Writing contest (see last newsletter for details); will re-send students the reminder -Ash Wednesday Service recording-will be scheduling with Fr. Michael when he gets back from his break

	<p>-Black History Month planning-focus this year to invite and empower interested students to take the lead including being part of the conversation; Possible in-school Black Advisory Council; Board definition of BAC: is a council that works collaboratively to construct methods to eliminate anti-Black racism and improve educational outcomes for Black students.</p> <p>School Report: Religion Department will be hosting Catholic Organization for Development and Peace speaker in all religion classes in Semester 2. Will continue this moving forward.</p>
	<p>Meeting Adjourned at 8:25 p.m.</p>

<p>Meetings Dates:</p>
<p>Monday October 4th, 2021</p>
<p>Monday November 22nd, 2021</p>
<p>Monday January 17th, 2022</p>
<p>Monday February 28, 2022</p>
<p>Monday March 21st, 2022</p>
<p>Monday May 30th, 2022</p>

<p align="center">School Council 2021-2022</p>		
<p>Position</p>	<p>Name</p>	<p>Attendance January 17, 2022</p>
<p>Principal</p>	<p>Rosina Ariganello</p>	<p>Present</p>
<p>Vice Principal</p>	<p>David Parisotto</p>	<p>Present</p>
<p>Vice Principal</p>	<p>Geraldine Roy</p>	<p>Present</p>
<p>Co-Chair</p>	<p>Antonio DSouza</p>	<p>Present</p>
<p>Co-Chair</p>	<p>Michael Smolders</p>	<p>Present</p>
<p>Treasurer</p>	<p>Katharine Wieczorek</p>	<p>Present</p>
<p>Secretary</p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>Parish Rep</p>	<p>Shamin DSouza</p>	<p>Present</p>
<p>OAPCE Rep</p>	<p>Rashmy Lobo</p>	<p>Absent</p>
<p>Teacher Rep</p>	<p>Dee Pereira</p>	<p>Present</p>
<p>Member</p>	<p>Nicole Mills</p>	<p>Present</p>
<p>Member</p>	<p>Sandra Silva</p>	<p>Absent</p>
<p>Member</p>	<p>Frady Yacoub</p>	<p>Absent</p>
<p>Parent</p>	<p>Alice Thalachira</p>	<p>Present</p>
<p>Trustee</p>	<p>Luz del Rosario</p>	<p>Present</p>
<p>Lauren Fernandes</p>	<p>Student Council Prime Minister</p>	<p>Present</p>
<p>Ali Taha</p>	<p>Student Council Deputy Prime Minister</p>	<p>Present</p>