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ITEM	DETAILS	ACTION
<b>Meeting</b>	Minutes to the School Council Meeting	
<b>Date</b>	May 10, 2023 6:30pm – 8:30pm School Library	
<b>Opening Prayer / Land Acknowledgement</b>		
<b>Introduction</b>	Welcome and introduction of all present  <u>In Attendance (12):</u> Cathrine Duke, Kelly Silva, Joy Lusk, Robin Patinios, Andrea D’Souza, Kathleen D’Souza, Alex Piasecka, Alia Vaz, Agnes Madej, Kemse Unah  <u>Absent (2):</u> Fred Mathews, Steffi Jose, Lorraine Pereira, Linda Marcuzzi	
<b>Approval of Agenda</b>	Agenda for the May 10, 2023 meeting was previously distributed.	<b>Motion:</b> “The agenda of the meeting held on May 10, 2023 be Accepted”  <b>Moved:</b> Robin Patinios <b>First:</b> Andrea D’Souza <b>Second:</b> Agnes Madej <b>Carried</b>
<b>Approval of Previous Minutes</b>	Minutes from the meeting held on March 8, 2023 were previously distributed.	<b>Motion:</b> “The minutes of the meeting held on March 8, 2023 be Accepted”  <b>Moved:</b> Robin Patinios <b>First:</b> Alex Piasecki <b>Second:</b> Kathleen D’Souza <b>Carried</b>

<b>Treasurer Report</b>	<p>No report was submitted for this meeting.</p> <p><b>What action is required:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lorraine &amp; Robin to reconnect in the next 2 weeks to review the finances and finalize 2022-2023 commitments.</li> <li>• Lorraine will distribute the Treasure Report after the May reconciliation to Council Members.</li> </ul>
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<b>Fundraising Report</b>	<p>Fundraising Ideas for 2023-2024:</p> <p><b>1. Chocolate: Laura Secord</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Chocolate Option 1: \$5 each/ 30 units</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ \$150 per box/ \$60 profit per case</li> <li>○ \$75 shipping after Dec</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <i>Chocolate Option 2</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ \$3 each/30 (limited to the fall)</li> <li>○ \$90 per box/ \$36 profit</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>2. Created by Kids</b>  Art day at school with paper supply  25% profit per order (\$2-\$5)  Fundraising page with code</p> <p><b>3. Cookie Dough</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Terracotta cookie/ \$15 for 1.7 lb (40 cookies). \$6 profit per</i></li> <li>• <i>Aunty Peggy's/ \$20 for 3 lb tub (96 cookies). \$5.50-\$6 per</i></li> </ul> <p><b>4. Danceathon</b>  Students donate and have pledge form</p> <p><b>5. Popcorn</b>  Farm to table/\$27.40 for 32 bags. We price to sell</p>	<p><b>Motion:</b> “Approve the Dance-A-Thon Fundraiser for the Fall 2023 school season”.</p> <p><b>Moved:</b> Robin Patinios  <b>First:</b> Kathleen D’Souza  <b>Second:</b> Agnes Madej  <b>Carried</b></p>
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<b>OAPCE Report</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Last Meeting was March 29, 2023</li> <li>• Guest Speaker: Teresa Harnett - God’s Design for Us: Who are we Called to Be and Who are we Capable of Being</li> <li>• OAPCE Provincial Conference in Kingston Saturday April 22, 2023</li> <li>• Next OAPCE Dufferin Peel regional group meeting is scheduled for</li> </ul>
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	<p>May 25, 2023 (in person)</p>
<p><b>Parish Report</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Baby Bottle Campaign for 2023 is officially over this year the campaign raised over \$8,500 for the JFJ Hope Centre.</li>   <li>● Carnation for Mom - \$5.00 each <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Saturday, May 13, after 5:00 pm Mass Sunday, May 14,</li> <li>○ By the Catholic Women’s League of St. John of the Cross Church. Proceeds will go to various charities</li> </ul> </li>   <li>● SPRING FLING - Knights of Columbus <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Saturday, May 27th, 6:30pm Nessinger Hall</li> <li>○ Click to register: <a href="https://bit.ly/kocspringfling">https://bit.ly/kocspringfling</a></li> </ul> </li>   <li>● SUMMER CAMP - Registration - Grade 1-Grade 6.. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Week 1: August 14-18</li> <li>○ Week 2: August 21-25</li> <li>○ Registration forms are available in the office or in the parish website. <a href="https://bit.ly/sjocsummercamp2023">https://bit.ly/sjocsummercamp2023</a></li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>Principal Report</b></p>	<p><b><i>Catholic Faith Life</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Rosary of Apostolates continues monthly</li> <li>● Mother Mary of the Cape liturgies took place today – Primary and Junior/Intermediate – This was directly supported by our home parish, St. John of the Cross and in collaboration with Mrs. Mill’s our Adult Faith Ambassador and our Youth Faith Ambassadors</li> <li>● Ice cream liturgy for students in grades 2 &amp; 7 will take place on Friday, June 2<sup>nd</sup></li> <li>● Volunteer Appreciation Tea will take place Wednesday, June 7<sup>th</sup> to acknowledge all our volunteers. Mrs. Ramlogan’s grade ¾ class will also have a presentation and liturgy. Invites will be sent out in a couple of weeks</li> <li>● Volunteer of the Year Award to be acknowledged in the Fall of 2023: Robin Patinios</li> </ul> <p><b><i>Assessment For, As and of Learning</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Literacy Lead: Mrs. Laura Mathers has been assigned to our school for a 7 week intensive work period to work within our primary classrooms to support the literacy program. She spends time in classes from FDK - 3</li> <li>● All Star Reading Program is thriving, and our students are loving working with our volunteers</li> <li>● EQAO will take place on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Grade 3 – May 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup></li> <li>○ Grade 6 – May 31<sup>st</sup>, Jun 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup></li> </ul> </li> <li>● Students will be writing their tests using Chromebooks for 2 working periods, 1 in the AM &amp; 1 in the PM. Scores will be shared with parents/guardians in the upcoming fall</li> <li>● Primary teachers have signed up for Scientists in the School are on going</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● FDK classes will be using butterfly kits and learning about butterfly cycles</li> <li>● FDK classes and grades 1's &amp; 2's will be visiting Country Heritage Park to explore and learn about farms through various activities</li> <li>● Secondary School supports have been visiting the school throughout the past 2 months connecting with our grade 8 students to prepare them</li> </ul> <p><b>General Updates</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Catholic Education Week too place May 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>: during that time, we had specific daily prayers that focused on Catholic Education, special guest readers to primary classes, Public Speaking for Junior and Intermediates, ECO initiatives, The Variety Show &amp; Jump Rope for Heart, various activities centered around faith</li> <li>● Jump Rope for Heart: May 5<sup>th</sup> was a huge success raising over \$1940. Prizes were given to students who were randomly selected based on their \$10 donations</li> <li>● FDK Registration is continuing- Journey Into Learning will take place on May 18<sup>th</sup> (6:00pm – 7:15pm)</li> <li>● Swim to Survive Program Gr 3's : May 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, Jun 30<sup>th</sup></li> <li>● Secondary School Visits: Gonzaga – May 2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; Mount Carmel May 29<sup>th</sup></li> <li>● Grade 8 Trip – Teen Ranch (\$20 added to support student cost- Outdoor Ed Grant)</li> <li>● June 12<sup>th</sup> Report Card Writing Day</li> </ul>
<p><b>Chair Report</b></p>	<p><b>We need to set up a Graduation Sub Committee:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Graduation Luncheon &amp; Awards: Thursday June 22</li> <li>● 4 Volunteers needed for set up.</li> </ul> <p><b>Canadian Parents for French Ontario</b> will be offering free French virtual programs for students from Senior Kindergarten to Grade 12 in Core French, French Immersion and Extended French.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ These programs, funded by the Ministry of Education, will be offered from May to August to support FSL students</li> </ul> <p><b>Equity Books</b> - Equity, Diversity and Inclusive (EDI) Department sent a variety of books for schools to carry in their library and classrooms.</p> <p><b>What action is required:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Robin to purchase the following food items for upcoming events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Freezes, Chips, Ice Cream Bars, Board games</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

## **NEXT MEETING:**

**Volunteer Appreciation Tea**  
**Wed June 7 - Details to Come**