



ST. FAUSTINA CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Catholic School Council Meeting Thursday, October 18, 2018 – 6:00 pm

Present: Andrea Milanetti, Marc Laurente, Lori Della Bianca, Angela Tucciarone, Nancy Zlataric, Merrita Ramnath

Regrets: Sandra Krolewski, Maureen Powell, Morena Apolito

Agenda

- Welcome Prayer and Acknowledgement of First Nation Sacred Territory
- **Approval of CSC Sept 26, 2018**
 - 1st motion to approve – Marc
 - 2nd motion to approve – Angela
- **Principal's Report**
 - Community Partnerships:
 - Open House – thank you for involvement and support
 - CCCSC meeting October 25, 2018 for chair (meet trustee & superintendent)
 - Bylaws: updated
 - Pizza Days: thank you to Angela and team of volunteers
 - Municipal Elections – October 22 in school gym
 - Learning Environment
 - CCAT testing in grade 4 – next week
 - Sports: Cross Country – 7 students advancing to the boards Jr. Volleyball, Flag Football underway - thanks to coaches
 - Cash Online – available – encouraging parents to register and use
 - CPS & CCCC - looking for a volunteer – Nancy Gigliotti
 - EQAO results – shared, available online
 - Cannabis Legislation – power point presentation reviewed with council
 - Parish - Home – School
 - Opening Mass – October 24 at 10:00 a.m. No cost for transportation – for K-gr. 3, gr. 4-8 walk
 - Physical Environment: new LED lighting system

- Competed:
 - Annual School Council Report – October 31
 - Annual School Council Survey – October 31

- **Treasurer’s Report:** September closing balance report approved by council

- **OAPCE**
 - Pro-grant applications put on hold. Parents can provide feedback to the government on Pro Grant and other areas of education system at: <https://www.ontario.ca/page/for-the-parents>
 - **Important Dates to Note in Calendars**
 - Saturday, November 3, 2018. **Training for Catholic School Council Executive Members.** St. Joseph Secondary. 8:30am
 - Saturday, April 13, 2019. **In-Service and Market Place.** St. Joseph Secondary. 8:30am
 - Thursday, June 13, 2019. **Volunteer of the Year Award Presentation** Board Room & Chapel. 6:30pm
 - **Winter Family of Schools Pro-grant workshops/speakers**
 - Mississauga Brampton Central| Wednesday, February 13, 2019. St. Augustine SS.
Presentation: **Cannabis**
 - Mississauga East| Wednesday, January 23, 2019. Father Michael Goetz.
Presentation: **Game-bling**
 - Mississauga North| Wednesday, January 16, 2019. St. Joan of Arc SS.
Presentation: **Joy of Single Parenting**
 - Mississauga South| Wednesday, February 6, 2019. St. Joseph SS.
Presentation: **Game-bling**
 - Brampton East/Caledon/Dufferin/Malton Thursday January 17, 2019. St. Marguerite d’Youville
Presentation: **Human Trafficking**
 - Brampton North East| Thursday, January 24, 2019. Notre Dame SS.
Presentation: **Joy of Single Parenting**
 - Brampton West| Wednesday, January 16, 2019. St. Roch SS.
Presentation **Game-bling**
 - **Hot discussion topics**
 - Changes to the Health and Physical Education Curriculum - We use Fully Alive and these changes do not affect us in the same way they would public schools.
 - **Additional resources for parents**
<https://www3.dpcdsb.org/news/news-archives/community-information-bulletin-health-physical-education-curriculum>

- **Fundraising:**
 - Council agreed to run chocolate fundraising in early February
 - Angela will contact company rep to secure details for February

- **Fundraising Ideas from OAPCE Meeting:**
 - Indigo FUNRAISER Program: Consider for: November/early December – Christmas Shopping
 - Students go to Indigo/Chapters Book store, sing carols, guests make their Christmas purchases and the school gets a percentage of sales
 - Based on eligible purchases made by your group's invited guests during your event, there are two options to receive your funds: Receive 15% of the total purchases in the form of a cheque OR Receive 20% of the total purchases in the form of an Indigo Gift Card*
 - More information about the program: <https://www.chapters.indigo.ca/en-ca/fundraising/>
 - Might be something to consider for the school choir to participate in to raise money for the school.

- **Upcoming CSC Meeting dates:**
 - Wednesday, December 5, 2018 @6pm
 - Thursday, February 21, 2019 @ 6pm
 - Thursday, April 25, 2019 @ 6pm

Meeting adjourned: 7:30pm