



ST. FAUSTINA CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Catholic School Council Meeting Wednesday, September 26, 2018 – 6:30 pm

Present: Esther O'Toole, Andrea Milanetti, Maureen Powell, Morena Apolito, Marc Laurente, Lori Della Bianca, Angela Tucciarone, Nancy Zlataric

Regrets: Merrita Ramnath, Sandra Krolewski

Agenda

- Welcome Prayer and Acknowledgement of First Nation Sacred Territory
- **Esther O'Toole**
 - Welcomed everyone back to school council
 - announced retirement and her plans for the future
 - wished the committee well and hopes to continue to visit schools and participate in community event
- **Approval of CSC April 23, 2018**
 - 1st motion to approve – Marc
 - 2nd motion to approve - M. Powell
- **Principal's Report**
 - School Projections:
 - Currently at 422 students. Increase of projected number.
 - Open House:
 - Thurs. Oct. 4, 2018
 - Troy's BBQ on site from 5-6:30 followed by short presentation in the gym (6:30-6:45). Classroom visits from 6:45-7:15 & 7:15-7:45pm .
 - Lunch Program:
 - Continuing with Pizza, Lunch Pails and Kids Essentials
 - Introducing Lunch Box for Tues/Thurs giving parents more lunch options from known vendors ie. Subway, Swiss Chalet, Pita Pit etc.
- **Treasurer's Report**
 - Leona maintaining records on behalf of council
 - Opening Balance report approved by council
- **OAPCE**
 - First Meeting Oct. 17, 2018 @7pm
 - New Location: John Cabot SS

- **Chair Update**
 - Marc thanks staff and parents at St. Faustina and parents for continuing to support school council efforts.
 - Looking forward to working with new members and increasing school council and initiatives.
 - Reviewed by-laws - motion was made to increase school council members to 8. Motion was approved by Council.
 - Goal for this school year is to increase school council. Parent involvement is required to help manage fundraising activities and community events. Fundraising efforts will be used to support additional technology needs within the school, school program enhancements, excursions and guest speakers
 - School Council will speak at the Open House to encourage more parents to join.

- Election for 2018-2019 school Year:
 - Nominations for School Council were presented and approved.
 - Chair: Marc Laurente
 - Secretary/OAPCE Rep: Lori Della Bianca
 - Parish Rep: Merrita Ramnath
 - Fundraising Rep: Angela Tucciarone
 - Teaching Rep: Maureen Powell
 - Non-Teaching Reps: Morena Apolito & Nancy Zlataric

- CSC Meeting dates:
 - Thursday, October 18, 2018 @6pm
 - Wednesday, December 5, 2018 @6pm
 - Thursday, February 21, 2019 @ 6pm
 - Thursday, April 25, 2019 @ 6pm

Meeting adjourned: 8:00pm