

OLMCY Catholic School Council: February 28, 2023 @ 6:30PM

In Attendance: L. Marchand (Principal), K. Stephenson, N. Shea, K. Chan, M. Anderson (Virtual), J. Brancaleoni (Virtual), S. Shehadeh (Virtual)

Regrets: M. D'Souza, K. Box (Teacher Rep). L. Shenoudah

Meeting Commencement @ 6:34

Welcome, Prayer, and Land Acknowledgement: Kayla Stephenson (Co-Chair)

Motion to add a presentation to the Agenda

- Motion carried
- Approval of Agenda: 1st : Nadia Shea; 2nd . Karen Chan

Timed Presentation @ 6:45: X Movement

- Offering same price to have them in the last week of December again (\$2400 most came from outdoor grants last year)
- This would include a Community Engagement Night
- Council agreed to have X-Movement return next year
- X-Movement will be saving the date for us

Approval of January Minutes: 1st . Nadia Shea; 2nd : Karen Chan

Chair's report

- OAPCE conference April 13, 2024: Kayla will be attending
- Parents can sign up
- May 29, 2024 next meeting for OAPCE

Principal's Report

Events since our last meeting:

- Junior Boys and Girls Invitational Soccer Tournaments
- Grade 7 Teaching Mass @ Merciful Redeemer
- SERC/Sanctuary "Focus on Nature" Trip
- Junior Boys and Girls Basketball
- Grade 1 and FDK 100th Day of School activities
- Shrove Tuesday: Pancakes from LunchLady
- Ash Wednesday Mass: Father Edmund
- Lenten Reflections during Morning Announcements
- Valentine's Day
- Black History Month Workshops (all three divisions)
- Black History Month Class presentations during Morning announcements
- Term One Reports/Interviews
- Math PD
- FI ArtShine Workshops

Coming up:

- Intermediate Girls and Boys Basketball
- Chess Tournament
- Graduation Photos: March 22, 2024
- French Immersion Speech Competition
- March Break!
- Rocks and Rings: Curling Workshops
- Stations of the Cross: Holy Thursday @ 1:00
- Easter
- April PD Day: Change of Date for Eclipse

We will be saying Goodbye to Ms. Box on March 8th as she has accepted a Consultant Position in the Indigenous Education department. Ms. Pandullo and Ms. Petruccelli will take over her portfolio of ESL and SERT. Ms. Petruccelli will have ESL and Intermediate SERT. Ms. Pandullo will have K-6 SERT. We are working through a very thorough transition process to inform parents, and ensure support continues for all our students.

We will be hiring an LTO teacher for full-time Planning Time teacher to cover the PT classes that Ms. Pandullo and Ms. Petruccelli will no longer be able to do.

Graduation: Mississauga Convention Centre has backed out of our date. I am currently looking for a new venue. Considering trying to do both the Lunch and ceremony on the same day at the same location. This will help us save time with decorating and will be more comfortable than the hot gym for the ceremony.

Camp Muskoka: 31 students have paid to attend. More information will come out to families early next week for the next payment.

Our April CSC Date will need to be changed to April 24th to coincide with the Board Budget Consultation meeting. This will be a conflict with Divine Mercy, but all schools have been asked to hold Council on this night.

Treasurer's Report

- \$249 and \$484 came out for Scientist in the School
- Balance is \$13,167.36
- \$9,000 for the mural, Council approved supporting this initiative financially. The school will now move forward and survey parents and students regarding contents for design.

Fundraising Report

- Nothing new to report

New Business

- Will survey families on a third lunch option through LunchBox
- Aladdin parent group: costumes, set design to support the Production team

End of meeting: 7:43 pm

Motion to Adjourn: 1st : Nadia Shea

2nd : Karen Chan