



St. Nicholas Catholic School Community Council

Tuesday, November 26, 2024 @ 6:00pm

Agenda

Members Present: Carlene Horan, Bart Cote, Paul Owens, Marcia Kowalski, Jessica Redler, Tasha Thompson, Tanis Melanson, Lauren Toppings, Jolene Robson, Jenna Wiesner, Amanda Landry, Kristen Clauson, Ryan Pattullo

Regrets: Janine Fischl, Rachelle Silzer

Agenda Item	Decision/Action Taken	Person(s) Responsible
1. Welcome, Call to Order	6:00pm	Tasha
2. Land Acknowledgment & Opening Prayer		Paul
3. Introductions		Tasha
4. Review and Approval of Previous Minutes	Tasha moved that the previous minutes be accepted. Carlene seconded the motion. Carried	Tasha
5. Review and Approval of Agenda	Tasha moved that the agenda be accepted. Ryan seconded the motion. Carried	Tasha
6. Admin Report Bart		Paul &
○ Education Week – Learning is a Journey - Two activities ○ Conferences – Thanks for everyone’s patience while navigating the snow storm. ○ TRC – National Indigenous Day – November 8th - Louis Reil Day – November 16th ○ Attendance as of today. . . 524 up 20 students in one years’ time. ○ Student Activities - Spirit Days -Halloween, Western Day – November 22nd - Virtue – Gratitude, Virtue Assemblies -Rider Day – Gainer and Rider Cheer team - Leadership teams - Special Lunch Day		

- Swirl world
- Emergency Procedures
 - Lockdown completed
 - Fire Drills – 3 times
- Liturgies
 - Remembrance Day
 - Holodomer – On Monday
- Advent
 - December 17th – A journey to Bethlehem (6pm – 7:30pm)
- a. Welcome Intro – Video
- b. Choir Song and K- 3 Songs
- c. Christmas Stations in classrooms
- d. Passport for the night
- e. Parent Draw for the night
- f. Exit gift as families leave
- School Hampers
 - We are looking to so 21 Hampers.
 - 9 for families of St. Nicholas
 - Added to Signup Genius today
- Service Project
 - Each classroom will do a service project in the community
- Fundraising
 - United Way Fundraiser – January
- Fundraising
 - Candy grams
 - Popcorn Sale
- Extra- curricular
 - Boys and girls Volleyball – Playoffs this week
 - Mini Tournaments – Boys lost today, Girls to Cities
- Reading Initiative
 - UFLI – Success
- Writing and Math new focus
- Book fair
- Youth Ballet tomorrow

Upcoming Dates to Note:

December 2nd – First Week of Advent - Mrs. Burns

December 3rd – Healthy Hunger Lunch -Booster Juice
 December 6th – St. Nicholas Feast Day Mass & Wreath Blessing
 December 9th -2nd Week Advent - Mrs. Redler
 December 12th – Healthy Hunger Lunch – Dairy Queen
 December 16th – CSCC -Christmas Meal
 December 16th -3rd Week of Advent – Ms. Alay
 December 17th – Family Advent Night
 December 17th -CSCC Christmas Meal
 December 17th – CSCC Muffin Club and Swirl World
 December 23rd – January 3rd – No School for students – Christmas Holidays

7. Financial Report	○ Halloween Dance – Profit -\$3,000 ○ Swirl World -Profit \$ 5,900 ○ 50/50 Raffle Update -We still have some tickets coming in but it looks like we will be over \$10,000 ○ Total Fundraising – Total fundraising to date is roughly \$19,000. We have met out fundraising goal for the year. ○ Upcoming Expenses - \$100 for 21 classrooms (to be used by Jan 31st) - \$2/ plate purchased for Christmas Lunch	Lauren
8. Items for Discussion – Old Business	8.1 Halloween Dance – DJ Caleb \$300 – He was really good -Canteen – We should do either popcorn or chips next year as we had left overs of both - We had too many candy bags – But were able to use them for our prizes for the raffle - No issues with tickets. 8.2 Fall Fundraiser – (5-/50) Update – - As of today, we have raised \$19,969 - We are still outstanding ticket booklets – ALL CALL to bring them back. 8.3 School Clothing Sale - There were several minor issues this time to resolve with the seller. They were happy to help make the orders correct.	Tasha Tasha Jolene Lauren

	8.4 Christmas Lunch - December 16 th & 17 th -Lunch - Volunteers needed Juice boxes and desserts needed as well	
9. Items for Discussion – New Business	9.1 Taking Care of our Community -CSCC to purchase care baskets for classrooms: they will include socks and hygiene items. 9.2 Family Event for the New Year - Bingo Night Feb. 27 th – Arrange for guest announcers! 9.3 Check/Update Indoor Recess Activities - Tasha and Lauren to check the bins and see what is needed.	Exec Tasha Tasha
10. Open Table Talk	Sean Chase has announced his retirement.	
11. Closing Prayer		Paul
12. Adjournment	7:36pm	Tasha
Next Meeting Dates	Tuesday, January 14, 2025 Thursday, March 6th, 2025 Wednesday April 9 th , 2025 TBA -AGM June 2025	