

## St. Therese of the Child Jesus

Catholic Elementary School
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| Meeting                                     | Minutes to the School Council Meeting  |   |
| Date  | May 22, 2024<br>6:00pm – 8:30pm<br>School Library  |   |
| Opening Prayer /<br>Land<br>Acknowledgement |  |   |
| Introduction                                | Melcome and introduction of all present  In Attendance (13): Cathrine Duke, Linda Marcuzzi, Robin Patinios, Andrea D'Souza, Alex Piasecka, Alia Vaz, Steffi Jose, Joy Lusk, Kathleen D'Souza, Agnes Madej, Lorraine Perreira, Fred Mathews, Michelle D'Souza  Absent (6):, Kelly Silva, Tamara Pereira, Rachel Pinto, Monica D'Souza, Michelle Cruz, Michelle Main |   |
| Approval of Agenda                          | Agenda for the April 24, 2024 meeting was previously distributed.  | Motion:  "The agenda of the meeting held on April 24, 2024 be Accepted"  *TO BE APPROVED AT MAY 22, 2024 MEETING DUE TO NOT HAVING QUORUM*  Moved: Robin Patinios First: Kathleen D'Souza Second: Alex Piasecka Carried |

| Approval of Previous Minutes | Minutes from the meeting held on January 24, 2024 were previously distributed.  | Motion:  "The minutes of the meeting held on January 24, 2024 be Accepted"  *TO BE APPROVED AT MAY 22, 2024 MEETING DUE TO NOT HAVING QUORUM*  Moved: Robin Patinios First: Alia Vaz Second: Steffi Jose Carried |  |
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| Approval of<br>Agenda        | Agenda May 22, 2024 meeting, previously send out  | Motion: "The minutes of the meeting held on January 24, 2024 be Accepted"  Moved: Robin Patinios First: Alex Piasecka Second: Alia Vaz Carried   |  |
| Approval of Minutes          | Minutes from the meeting held on April 24, 2024 were previously distributed.  | Motion: "The minutes of the meeting held on April 24, 2024 be Accepted"  Moved: Robin Patinios First: Andrea D'Souza Second: Michelle D'Souza Carried  |  |
| Treasurer Report             | See attached Treasurer Report.  • Total Fund on hand per bank statement is \$4,801.06  • Outstanding commitments for this year total \$2,903.43 which leaves us with \$1,900.00 to possibly carry over to the 24/25 school year if we stay within budget.  Motion: "Council to Approve adding the following funds to our Commitments for the 2023-2024 school year"  • \$100 for Jump Rope for Heart Prize - (10X\$10 gift cards)  • Increasing Grade 8 Grad Decorations by \$100 (TL \$450)  • \$75 - All Star Reading Program  • \$300 for 12 new Chess sets  • \$1000 for new Microphone System - not to be purchased till September 2024  Moved: Robin P  First: Andrea D'Souza  Second: Alex Piasecka  Carried |  |  |

| Fundraising Report | <ul> <li>Halloween Dance a thon voted as the fundraiser for 2024/25</li> <li>3 scholastic bookfairs will be planned 24/25</li> <li>Evening danceathon can be planned (?)</li> </ul>   |
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| OAPCE Report       | No Update   |
| Parish Report      | <ul> <li>May 25-26 Bundle Up Collection</li> <li>May 26 Coffee Sunday &amp; Knights of Columbus BBQ at the parish</li> <li>June 1 Corpus Christi procession</li> <li>Summer Camp Registration Open</li> </ul>   |
| Principal Report   | <ul> <li>Catholic Faith Life</li> <li>Rosary of Apostolates continues monthly</li> <li>Mother Mary of the Cape liturgies took place today – Primary and</li> <li>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; Damp; 7 will take place on Friday, June 2nd</li> <li>Volunteer Appreciation Tea will take place Wednesday, June 7 th to acknowledge all our volunteers. Mrs. Ramlogan's grade ¼ 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>   |
|                    | <ul> <li>Assessment For, As and of Learning:         <ul> <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: Grade 3 – May 24 th , 25 th , 26 th Grade 6 – May 31 st , Jun 1st , 2nd</li> <li>Students will be writing their tests using Chromebooks for 2 working periods, 1 in the AM &amp; D. 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 FDK classes will be using butterfly kits and learning about butterfly cycles FDK classes and grades 1's &amp; Dering 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> </li> </ul> |
|                    | <ul> <li>General Updates</li> <li>Catholic Education Week too place May 1 st -5 th: 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, Jump Rope for Heart,</li> </ul>  |

various activities centered around faith Jump Rope for Heart: May 5 th was a huge success raising over \$1940. Prizes were given to students who were randomly selected based on their \$10 donations FDK Registration is continuing- Journey Into Learning will take place on May 18 th

(6:00pm - 7:15pm)

- Swim to Survive Program Gr 3's: May 16 th, 23 rd, Jun 30 th
- Secondary School Visits: Gonzaga May 2 nd & Double May 29 th
- Grade 8 Trip Teen Ranch (\$20 added to support student cost-Outdoor Ed Grant)
- June 12 th Report Card Writing Day
- Gr 8 Mount Carmel Visit AM
- Whole School Panoramic Photo for purchase
- PA Day June 10th Reporting and assessment
- Elections at school June 10th
- June 11th Gr 4-8 Track & Field Event
- Welcome to Extended French Morning Friday, May 14th
- Grade 8 Trip Teen Ranch June 17th
- FDK Splash Pad Trip June 17th
- Year End Mass June 19th with Father Joyson
- Graduation & Ceremony June 20th
- SK Celebration June 21st
- Last Day of School June 28th

## Discussion items

Free Wheeler Bike Event: supported by Peel Health Nurse (Region of Peel) all students will have an opportunity to ride their bike to school and the participate in a series of obstacle courses, receive bike safety, helmet checks, prizes, and lots of fun - May 27th

Hopes Stone Retreats - vetted by the Board Potentially for Gr7&8 intermediate retreats \$425 (2 staff) for 1 class; \$550 ( for 2 classes and \$700-735 for gr 5-8

Wish List
Microphones for Performances

| Chair   |  |                              |              |   |                       |  |
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| Report  | Month  | Week (Date)                  | Time         | Event                                     | # Vounteers<br>Needed |  |
|         | May  | Wed May 22                   | 6pm - 8pm    | Parent Council Meeting                    | 0                     |  |
|         |  | Wed May 22                   | All Day      | School: Track & Field Day (Gr. 4-8)       | 4                     |  |
|         |  | Thurs May 23                 | Morning      | Gr. 8 High School Tour - Mt Carmel H.S    | 0                     |  |
|         |  | Mon May27                    | Morning      | Free Wheeler Event (Bike Rodeo)           | 7                     |  |
|         |  | May 28-30                    | Morning      | EQAO: Grade 3                             | 0                     |  |
|         |  | Tues June 4                  | 2pm 3pm      | Sacramental Ice-Cream Liturgy: Gr 2 & 7's | 3                     |  |
|         |  | June 4-6                     | Morning      | EQAO: Grade 6                             | 0                     |  |
|         |  |                              | 11am -       |   |                       |  |
|         |  | Friday June 7<br>Mon June 10 | 12:30pm      | Volunteer Appreciate Tea PA DAY           | 0                     |  |
|         |  | Wich same 20                 |              | Track & Field Competition -               |                       |  |
|         | June   | Tues June 11                 | All Day      | St.Marcellinus                            | 4                     |  |
|         |  | Mon June 17                  | 9:15am - 8pm | Grade 8: Teen Ranch                       | 0                     |  |
|         |  | Wed June 19                  |              | Year End Mass                             | 0                     |  |
|         |  | Thurs June 20                | 11am - 3pm   | Grade 8: Gradution Ceramony               | 8                     |  |
|         |  | Fri June 21                  | Morning      | Kindergarten Graduation Celebration       | 0                     |  |
|         |  |                              |              | Play Day: Grade JK - 4                    | 3                     |  |
|         |  | Fri June 28                  |              | LAST DAY OF SCHOOL                        | 0                     |  |
| Closing | Motion: "A motion to close to end the meeting"  Moved: Robin Patinios First: Andrea D'Souza Second: Michelle D'Souza Carried |                              |              |   |                       |  |

## **NEXT MEETING:**

Wednesday October 2, 2024 @6:00pm Open House - Sept 25, 20224 Re-Org Day Sept 16, 2024