

## St. Therese of the Child Jesus

Catholic Elementary School 6930 Forest Park Drive, Mississauga, ON L5N 6X7 Ph. 905-785-0066

ITEM	DETAILS	ACTION
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Meeting	Minutes to the School Council Meeting	
Date	Wednesday September 29, 2021 6:30pm-8:30pm Zoom Meeting	
Opening Prayer / Land Acknowledgement		
Introduction	Welcome and introduction of all present	
	In Attendance (14): Cathrine Duke, Cristina Roda, Brea Corbet, Joy Lusk, Mrs. Silva, Robin Patinios, Andrea D'Souza, Alex Piasecka, Lorraine Pereira, Sean Mehrotra, Anthony Verzini, Alia Vaz, Sarah Periana. Rocio Acosta.  Absent (1): Kathleen D'Souza.	
Approval of Previous Minutes	Minutes from the meeting held on May 26, 2021 were previously distributed.	Motion: "The minutes of the meeting held on May 26, 2021 be accepted"  Moved First: Lorraine Pereira
		Second: Sean Mehrotra Carried
Principal Report	School Council Positions Elected for 2021-2022:  Chair: Robin Patinios (Lorraine Pereira, Andrea D'Souza)  Treasurer: Lorraine Pereira. (Andrea D'Souza, Robin Patinios)  Secretary: Robin Patinios  Parish Rep: Pending  Fundraising Chair: Andrea D'Souza (Robin Patinios, Joy Lusk)  OAPCE Report: Alex Piasecka (Lorraine Pereira, Joy Lusk)  Teacher Rep: Mrs. Silva	
	<ul> <li>Parent At Large:</li> <li>1. Sean Mehrotra (Andrea D'Souza, Alex Piasecka)</li> <li>2. Kathleen D'Souza (Lorraine Pereira, Sean Mehrotra)</li> <li>3. Alia Vaz (Alex Piasecka, Sean Mehrotra)</li> </ul>	



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	4. Rocio Acosta (Lorraine Pereira, Sean Mehrotra)		
	See attached document for all information shared		
	<ul> <li>Halloween DJ Dance Party is being tentatively planned.</li> <li>Due to Covid-19 the September 2021 BBQ night is cancelled. There was discussion of holding a Google Meets session for parents per classroom, nothing confirmed at the moment.</li> <li>Mrs. Roda is a Part-Time VP and will be at our school: Monday, Tuesday &amp; every other Wednesday.</li> <li>The school will be designating a portion of the library to Mrs. Wild: Take a Walk on the Wild Side.</li> <li>Picture Day is Tuesday October 5, 2021</li> </ul>		
Treasurer Report	<ul> <li>2020-2021: Opening Balance is \$1952.61</li> <li>Due to Covid only one small fundraiser was executed the previous year: FlipGive.</li> <li>The Committee spent more money than previous years on Grade 8</li> </ul>		
	Graduation. Due to no lunch banquet, swag bags were handed out.		
Guest Speaker	Brea Corbet, Trustee DPCDSB attended the meeting to introduce herself & explain her role.  DPCDSB Trustee Mississauga Wards 9 & 10. C: (905) 301-9373 Brea.Corbet@dpcdsb.org		
	<ul> <li>Brea, talked about how she works closely with parent, educators, Trustees, school communities as well as our municipal and provincial elected representatives. She believes in a collaborative approach in partnering for our children and community.</li> <li>Trustees are responsible for the board budget. They bring school issues and concerns to the Board who in turn escalate these issues to the Province.</li> <li>Trustee's meet on Tuesday's (October 27, 2021 at 7 p.m, November 24, 2021 at 7 p.m, December 15, 2021 at 7 p.m). Meetings are open to the public and feature open public question periods.</li> </ul>		
Chair Report	No Report Given		
Parish Report	No Report Given		
OAPCE Report	No Report Given		
New Business	<ul> <li>Robin Patinios:</li> <li>Would like to investigate new spirit wear design? The council was open to this idea and will look at revamping the Spirit Wear collection.</li> <li>The question was raised if the school Twitter account was effective and should we look at switching social media platforms to FaceBook,</li> </ul>		
	Instagram.		



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	Board would prefer schools use  Starting a new social media pla person to coordinate school inf	The latest Terry Fox tweet was viewed by 230 pp and the Board would prefer schools use Twitter.  Starting a new social media platform would require a full-time person to coordinate school information to be posted. The school does not have the bandwidth to take on this project at the moment.	
Closing Meeting	"A motion is made to end the meeting."	Moved: First: Andrea D'Souza Second: Alex Piasecka Carried	

## NEXT MEETING: Wednesday November 3, 2021 @6:30pm

- November 3, 2021 6:30pm
- January 12, 2022 6:30pm
- March 2, 2022 6:30pm
- April 20, 2022 6:30pm
- June 1, 2022 6:30pm