

## St. Michaels School SCC Meeting - Oct 18th 2023

**Attendance** - Kaitlyn Mysko, Sabrina Gulka, Kiteen Manil, Taylor Hoffman, Cali Benko, Melissa S, Erika Maurer, Jen Matyjanka, Melissa B, Allyson VanRoon, SRC SCC Members - Shanzei & Abby

**Additions to Agenda** - Voting member change. Mellisa S adopts changes. Taylor 2nd.

**Accept Previous Meeting Minutes** - Motion made by Melissa S. 2nd by Taylor.

### Outstanding Business

- None at the moment.

### New Business

- Jen and Sabrina had a meeting with Gwen/ school division and some of the takeaways from the meeting were focusing on parent engagement in the school and plans for current funds. A big part of our parent engagement is hot lunch for our school and getting parents to volunteer. Engagement for every school is different as there are many different families in every school district. Also, engagement is different for every family with how much or how little they want to do. Jen is meeting with the Legacy School SCC to see what they are doing at their school and to bounce around some ideas. A couple of ideas that were mentioned for parent engagement were a school-wide craft idea, reading night, or having different stations throughout the school that had different things to do. Talked about a possible partnership with Collaborative Arts for a school-wide craft night, reach out to them after Christmas to see about interest and price-out options.
- Plans for current funds - The school division was wondering what the plans are for the future use of the money that is in the account. SCC usually likes to keep a good-sized nest egg in the account for when a "big ask" happens and the SCC puts funds towards it. For any future events that the SCC is part of we have to identify a purpose for said event like either fundraising or family engagement.
- John Paul has given up his voting spot for SCC. Cali Benko was voted in for that voting spot

### Committee Reports

#### SRC Report - Shanzei & Abby.

- Skittles Day in October had a ton of engagement. The SRC was very happy to see how many people were dressed up. Other events in October are Face Paint Day, Halloween Dance, Movie Night, and Halloween costume day. Some events they are planning for November are Winter Wonderland, Age Swap Day, Crazy hair day, and anything but a backpack day. Also discussed that the SRC & SCC should partner up for some events so we can help out.

#### Principals Report - Sabrina

- Upcoming events
  - Oct 19 - Face Painting Day
  - Oct 29 & 31 - Girls Volleyball Tournament
  - Oct 23 - Picture day retake
  - Oct 25 & 26 - Hot lunch - lasagna
  - Oct 26 - Halloween Accessory Day
  - Oct 28 - Boys Volleyball Tournament
  - Oct 31 - Celebration of Light & Halloween Costume Day
  - Nov 3 - SRC Dance 7-1030 pm
  - Nov 7 - Mass at school led by Gr 5 @ 10 am
  - Nov 9 - Remembrance Day Ceremony with Colour Guard @ 11 am
  - Nov 13 - No school
  - Nov 17 - 4-6 Drama Production
  - Nov 21 - Report Card marks due
  - Nov 22 & 23 - Hot lunch
  - Nov 24 - Report cards are released
  - Nov 27 & 29 - SLC's 4- 745pm

-Nov 27 - Nov 30 - Book Fair  
-Dec 1 - Faith Day

- Information
  - Volunteers for book fair are needed if SCC doesn't fill these positions an email will go out to parents asking for help.
  - Stamps were designed and made by Ms. Renz to stamp the pizza coupons. The Gr 9 grad shirts and vinyl were ordered
  - Division will look into doing e-transfers
  - A St. Michael mural by Robert Satre will be painted at the school.
  - Lifetouch picture feedback was shown to be negative this year. Took quite a while to get pictures done and this year you have to pay a fee to get a class picture and photo ID card that was previously included. Explore options with other photo companies.
  - A Nutrition grant has become available. 1 snack per month and it will be at no cost to us and a partnership with the Knights of Columbus
  - There has been a significant increase in snack demand.
- 2023-2024 School Goals
  - Catholic Distinctiveness - Maintain a profile of Catholic Distinctness with a focus on supporting students to demonstrate Catholic Values in their lives.
  - Mental Health and Wellbeing - Enrich and enhance mental health and well-being capacity in students
  - FN and Metis Education - Actualize the vision and goals of "Inspiring Success; First Nations and Metis PreK-12 Education Policy Framework"
  - Reading - 80% of Gr 1-3 students will be reading at grade level according to provincial standards
  - Readiness - 90% of Kindergarten students will be ready to learn according to EYE
  - Transitions - Enhance opportunities for learners and families and support transitions for learners.

#### Hot Lunch Report - Erika

- The schedule for sorters is done. An idea of asking the Red Wings/ Beavers to volunteer for hot lunch was brought up. Kaitlyn can be the connection for that.

#### Fundraising Report - Allyson

- More Labels orders have happened. Not sure of the dollar amount for SCC. The creative Eats fundraiser is going to happen end of Nov - Dec

#### Treasurer Report - Melissa S

- The dashboard was updating but Melissa still couldn't get in to access the report.

Next Meeting Nov 15h @ 6 pm