

# ST. ANGELA MERICI CATHOLIC SCHOOL COUNCIL

## Minutes, 2022-2023 School Year

Thursday, February 23, 2023 – 6:30PM | Via Teams, video call

Meeting called to order by Christina Calabrese

### In Attendance

- Ms. Taria Rossi, Ms. Regina Ukwuoma, Ms. Julie Rivero, Mrs. D. Linardic, Ms. Amy Martinez, Ms. Valerie Frantellizzi, Ms. Lisa De Leo, Ms. L Benedik, Mr. I Pingyin, Ms. McLaren, Ms. Christina Calabrese (Chair) and Ms. Agnes Adeniyi

### Regrets

- Regrets: Joseph Fernandez, Ms. E. Makatore, Mme. Brant

### Welcome and Introduction (Ms. Christina Calabrese)

- Meeting called to order by the Chair at 6:33pm

### Opening Prayer & Land Acknowledgement

- Land Acknowledgement and the Opening Prayer by Ms. Christina Calabrese's daughter

### Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting (Ms. Christina Calabrese)

- No points raised
- Motion to approve the minutes. Approved by Ms. Amy Martinez, Ms. Taria Rossi, and Ms. Christina Calabrese

### Principal's Report, Administrative Updates (Mrs. D. Linardic)

- Question raised by Ms. Amy Martinez regarding number of students coming from St. Annes → Mrs. D. Linardic confirmed that there would be around 7 classes
- Pals program starting March 1st → to promote positive social interaction
- \$6200 for sound system

### Faith:

#### LENT

- Shrove Tuesday
- Thank you to Parent volunteers for assisting with making of Pancakes
- Ash Wednesday Liturgy Feb 22 and Pink Shirt Day
- Lenten Food Drive for Knights Table
- SHARELIFE Donations–Shrove Tuesday
- Lenten Mass: March 3 @ 9:30
- Rosary Bracelets Feb 27 for Gr 2 and 7

### Black History month

- Daily Black History moments
  - Gallery Walk – Each class highlighting notable Black Canadians and will be a visual display of learning
- Drumming Assembly Gr 4-8

- Highlighting of authors – Ms. E. Makotore to do a school wide read aloud

#### Student Achievement:

- EQAO - in May

#### Community Events:

- Saidat Show: April 24, 2023
- Jungle Sport: March 21-24
- Carnaval: Feb 6-10
- Spirit Weeks
- Cookies for Valentine's Day, distributed Feb 14
- Grade 7/8 Ottawa trip confirmed April 19-21
- Order in for new sound system – Quote \$6,200
- Confirmed: St. Angela Merici to house Extended French students from St. Anne next year
  - Memo sent to community from the board

#### Upcoming Events:

**Feb 27:** Rosary Bracelets

**March 3:** Lenten Mass

**Mon. March 13 – Fri. March 17:** March break

**Mon April 3 – Thurs. April 6:** HOLY WEEK

**Fri. April 7:** Good Friday

**Mon. April 10:** Easter Monday

**April 24:** Saidat Show

**April 30 – May 5:** Catholic Education Week → We are Many, We are One

**May 1:** First Reconciliation for Grade 2 at GAP

**Wed. May 3:** Journey into Learning

**May 6:** First Communion at GAP

**April 24:** Reconciliation for Confirmandi at GAP

**May 15:** Confirmation (Grade 7) at GAP

**Mon. May 22:** Victoria Day

**Wed. June 21:** Grade 8 Graduation

**Fri. June 30:** Last day of School

#### **Treasurer Report** (Ms. Taria Rossi)

Period of December + Feb Report 2023

- Game purchase – approved by Ms. Amy Martinez, Ms. Christina Calabrese, Ms. Lisa De Leo and, Ms. Julie Rverso
- \$400 allocated to purchase board games – amount approved by Ms. Taria Rossi, Ms. Regina Ukwuoma and Ms. Agnes Adeniyi

- \$100 will be donated by Ms. Regina Ukwuoma for board games
- Pizza – Re-opened 80 more students added. Final tally of profit is still TBD

### **Fundraising** (Ms. Christina Calabrese)

#### **1. Dominos**

Feb - \$30, YTD = \$275

#### **2. Laura Secord**

- TFC Ticket donated – donated by Ms. Valerie Frantellizzi
  - Chrome Book \$300 – Donated by Ms. Ann Ghoura's company
  - Scooter \$150 donated by Ms. Ann Ghoura + M&R Security
  - Visa \$100 and \$50 donated by Mr. David
  - R. Leao - AC Milan jersey – donated by Ms. Valerie Frantellizzi
- Only need 239 boxes of 240 chocolate boxes received need to be delivered
  - Expected profit ~ \$9500
  - Next week volunteers will begin following up for payment for chocolate boxes
  - Purchase of only 1x \$50 gift card over and above the donations received. Ms. Agnes Adeniyi said she was given a \$50 donation and will use the funds received to purchase the last required 1x \$50 gift card
  - Ms. Christina Calabrese tabled adding another prized → pizza party prize to top selling families. Approved by Ms. Julie Rivero, Ms. Amy Martinez, Ms. Agnes Adeniyi, Ms. Taria Rossi and Ms. Regina Ukwuoma

### **Other Items**

- \$500 Pro Grant – During Catholic education week April 30 – May 5th
  - Migual Martinez from MTC Life – Ms. Amy Martinez, Ms. Julie Rivero, Ms. Taria Rossi, Ms. Lisa De Leo, Ms. Christina Calabrese
  - Looking at May 17th as date. Ms. Christina Calabrese to book date
  - Two options for MTC engagement available \$900 or \$500
    - Option 1: \$900 for 2-3hrs with students and evening parent engagement
    - Option 2: \$500 for parent engagement and YouTube promo video
  - Council voted and approved Option 1 – Ms. Taria Rossi, Ms. Lisa De Leo, Ms. Agnes Adeniyi and Ms. Christina Calabrese
  - Council will allocate the additional \$400
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### **Next Meeting**

- Next meeting scheduled for April 13 via Teams

### **Conclusion**

- Christina Calabrese thanked everyone for attending the meeting
- Meeting adjourned 7:25pm