

**St. Paul Catholic School Council Meeting
Monday October 28, 2019**

Name of Members present: G. Tass, M. Schulz, H. Eastman, J. Fraser-Downey, K. Fischer, S. Pacheco, G. Borg, L. Harlock, and S. Evangelista

| Agenda Item | Decision/Action Taken | Person(s) Responsible |
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| Welcome, Opening Prayer and Courtesies | Welcome to everyone. Prayer led by L. Harlock. Thank you to K. Fischer and L. Harlock for heading up the flag football. | L. Harlock |
| Approval of Minutes | Minutes reviewed and approved. | H. Eastman J. Downey |
| Declaration of Conflict of Interest | None declared | None |
| Chair's Report | Major fundraiser is going well. Lots of support from Council and a lot of great prizes have been sourced! Great response to help with Halloween Snaps and the fundraiser raffle tickets on Oct 31. Halloween snaps will be set up in the library. We're almost at \$6000 with around 1/3 of the school having participated so far. | L. Harlock |
| Holy Family Parish News | New "Gather Café" is running downstairs in the parish hall after all Masses. A welcoming space and much thought went into the décor. The new "Children's Liturgy" is up and running called Time Travellers and is available to children during the 9:30, 11:00 and 12:30 Sunday Masses. | L. Harlock |
| Principal's Welcome | Will look at the financial report at the next meeting once the fundraiser is complete. Fundraiser successful, shows everyone wants to support the school. Will want to debrief fundraiser in detail after. Several vendors would have donated, however it is required that to go through head office. It will become easier to gain donations as the dance-a-thon becomes more established. Suggested to start a separate committee working on prizes year-round. The school has been selected to pilot the new format of the report cards. Parents will not notice a difference it is a change in software. The school will receive 12 new iPads, which will free up funds to spend on science resources and other areas besides technology. Mrs. Borg outlined school events: orange shirt day, spirit club has planned Halloween week: orange and black, decorating classroom doors, Halloween accessory day. Spirit club will get training on mental health. Vision screening, custodian appreciation day, grade 6 students went bowling, teachers shared pre-assessments on reading and math looked to support everyone. PA day teachers had mass at Holy Family and worked on report cards. AMP | G. Borg |

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| | <p>program presented to grade 6 and 8, spirit council elections, flag football, report cards went home, DEC's day, and principals' month. Coming up we have the Halloween Dance-at-thon and final assembly Friday afternoon. Looked at EQAO report our school is one of the top schools in the board.</p> <p>Last year for Rose of Durham we purchased bus tickets, this year they are looking for baby items. Will request various items by grade.</p> <p>Christmas concert will be Thursday Dec 12 2019. Suggested to write out all the vendors who donated prizes on the back of the program. Some classes make a thank you note from the school as well. Looking into including a picture of all the students to include.</p> <p>Thursday November 7 Parent Council can set up table to welcome parents at the school for interviews to join the council. L. Harlock and H. Eastman will be here if anyone else is available to join.</p> | |
| 2019 Fundraiser | <p>Fundraiser – Halloween snaps that day. Jennifer, Laura heading it up. Alexis, Kristen & Sandy help.</p> <p>Raffle tickets – Jillian & Gina will be helping with that. We'll count the rest of the money that's come in that day. Write out the raffle tickets for all the students. Friday morning tickets can be handed out and students can put their tickets into the prizes they want to win. Will send a list of prizes out in advance.</p> | |
| Adjournment | Closing Prayer given. | G. Borg |
| Next Meeting | Monday November 25, 2019 at 7:00pm | G. Borg |