

Minutes May 2009
CSAC Meeting

The minutes for April were passed with a minor modification

Ms. Thomson

Tentative Class Organization September 2009

Total enrolment about 530 students

JK	18
JK	18
JK/SK	6/6
SK	18
SK	18

AM Classes

Grade 1		18
Grade 1		18
Grade 1/2		10/8
Grade 2		18
Grade 2		18
Grade 2/3		6/10
Grade 3		19
Grade 3		18
Grade 4		29
Grade 4/5		23/6
Grade 5/6	English	10/14
Grade 5	French	25
Grade 5	French	25
Grade 6	French	23
Grade 6	French	24
Grade 7	English	28
Grade 7	English	27
Grade 8	English	25
Grade 8	English	25

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Tentative Class Organization Continued

PM Classes

Grade 5	30	English
Grade 5	30	English
Grade 6	31	English
Grade 6	30	English
Grade 7/8	12/13	English
Grade 7	28	French
Grade 7/8	15/9	French
Grade 8	28	French

The school is very well staffed. We have a half time librarian and a half time Vice Principal. The Vice Principal is assigned other duties for the remainder of his time.

Class lists will be posted again in September. However, only the morning classes will be posted as there was too much confusion last year.

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100 th Year Celebration

This is an opportunity to celebrate for:

Parents
Alumni
Students

This event was deferred because of the swim meet. Event could be held in December 2009. This would replace the Christmas concert.

The school will need parent community involvement and we will canvass the school for volunteers

Saturday

Ms. Carol is looking for a site for a dance on Saturday evening.

Ms. Thomson suggested that the Saturday evening include a fund raiser in lieu of the Fun Fair. (Presently we do not have an organizer for the Fun Fair for September 2009.) Possibilities include a silent auction and /or a raffle. Possible theme could be pioneers which ties in with some curriculum.

Consider Muskoka chairs and art for sale.

Sunday

A concert is planned for Sunday. There would be a Mass at 1 PM or at 2 PM. We can't conflict with regular church service. The school will be opened on Sunday from 5-7 so that alumni can visit.

An advantage of the Fun Fair is that it is a social event and helps to welcome new parents and students.

Consider an article for the scoop.

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CSAC Status

The ministry offers \$500 per year to promote councils. There is uncertainty as to how much we have received and Ms. Thomson will sort this out. Receipts have to be submitted.

Swimming lessons

Can they be moved to the spring or to June? If the lessons are held in warmer weather we wouldn't need buses. Buses are needed if the lessons are held in the winter as the students could be chilled.

Doug Black
Finances

Projected net income has increased to \$56,447 primarily because the Dance a Thon will be held.

Special one time expense of \$7,200 has been deferred as a committee is being formed to decide on expenditures.

Playground expense of \$2,000 won't be spent

Confirmation expense has been decreased to \$ 800 from \$1500.

Swim lessons are lower

The council approved an additional expenditure of \$1200 for bus trips. A bill was late from Laidlaw.

Sister school support

Perhaps St Dunstans or northern communities. We could subsidize students coming from St. Dunstans to see the school play.

Magazine Sales

We may use a different company. Few parents are participating. We will go ahead next year. An article for the Scoop for June.