

ST. DOMINIC SAVIO CATHOLIC SCHOOL PARENT COUNCIL MEETING
Meeting Minutes
Wednesday March 22, 2016

Opening: Meeting of the St. Dominic Savio Catholic School Parent Council to order at 6:00 pm

Present:

Mrs. Desroches	Mr. Clotildes	Mrs. Wareham	Dr. Ash
Ms. Paek	Ms. Chua	Ms. Schroeder	

A. Introductions

B. Opening Prayer & Welcome

C. Approval of Agenda:

Mrs. Chua motioned to approve
Ms. Desroches seconded

D. Approval of Minutes from Jan 27, 2016

Mrs. Chua motioned to approve
Mrs. Desroches seconded

E. School Activities Report / Principal's Report

1. Staffing for 2015 – 2016/K Registration (17)
2. School Budget
3. Safe School Team Update – meeting TBA
4. Catholic Education Week May 1 - May 6 “Opening Doors of Mercy”
5. School Improvement Team - SO GRANT mid-year visit
6. ECO Schools update
7. EQAO (Grade 3 + 6) – May 25 – June 8
8. CAT/4 (Grade 2, 5, 7) - May 2 – June 10
9. Upcoming Dates
 - April 1 – Autism Awareness Day
 - April 11 @ 12:30 – mass/ followed by reception – *Mr. Clotildes to check with Father if mass can be changed to April 12, 13 or 14*
 - April 17 – Holy Communion
 - April 19 – 22 – Grade 8 trip to Quebec/Montreal
 - April 29 – Spring Photo Day
 - May 1 – Confirmation
 - May 4 – Musical Performance
 - May 5 (TBC) – Jump Rope for Heart
 - May 11 – Track and Field Divisional
 - May 24 – School will have WIFI
 - June 23 – Grade 8 Grad

F. Special Presentation by Dr. Ash

- Dr. Ashleigh Malloy (aka Dr. Ash) is a researcher and teaches at York University
- Started program for people living with Down Syndrome and partnered with schools and students – is a win/win situation for both students and people living with Down Syndrome
- Dr. Ash regularly provides motivational speeches
- upcoming events:
 - The Ontario Association of Parents in Catholic Education (OAPCE) – May 6 and 7 @ Montecassino Hotel & Event Venue. Register at oapce.org
 - Toronto Catholic District School Board – April 30 @ 9:00-1:00 pm
- For more information on Dr. Ash refer to www.transedinstitute.org or e-mail amolloy@transedinstitute.org

G. Chair Person's Report

1. CPSC lunch to changed from April 1 to 8; April 22
2. Milk days – April 12, 19, 26
3. Volunteer appreciation after Mass – TBC April 12, 13 or 14
4. Savio Student Appreciation Day - free hot dog lunch and dance -May 20
5. Celebration for sacraments - May 6 (TBC)
6. CSPC BBQ - June 16
 - Fire truck – Ms. Schroeder to contact
 - Talent show (TBD if it's on this year)
 - Fair (hot dogs, ice cream, games)
7. Yearbook
 - Yearbook committee to be lead by Ms. Chua and Mrs. Desroches
 - Program has to be installed - school computers cannot download
 - Google drive – Ms. Schroeder will add and share photos
 - Mr. Clotildes to raise in staff meeting
 - Mrs. Desroches to send order forms by first week of April
8. Pro-grant - deadline is May 29 – most schools focusing on health
9. Earth day - donate \$100 to Eco school
10. Book Fair - Mr. Clotildes to look into

G. Treasurer's Report

Balance as of Feb 29, 2016 is \$4,803.18

H. Correspondence and any other business

- Next meeting scheduled for May 17 @ 6:00 pm

I. Adjournment:

Lucy adjourned the meeting at 7:36 pm.

Minutes submitted by: Eileen Paek March 28, 2016

Approved by Lucy Desroches, March 28, 2016