

# Blessed Cardinal Newman Catholic High School

## CSPC Minutes of Monday September 18, 2017 meeting

In Attendance: Susan Liberto, Sharon Pak, Novena Lopez, Kristina Suke, Heather Baird, Gregory Baszun, Samantha Baszun, Kristina Suke, Ronna Tsolakis, Liza Tilander, Ethel McAuley, Kisha Weir, Jackie Carlos, Marjo de Ocampo, Judy Yang, Carolyn Reyes, Ronaldo Zulueta, Cherrylyn Zulueta, Jacinta Crasta, Marta Londono, Chandi Anandappa, Feti Asmellash, Emerlinda Rivera, Twodros Tamrat, Gary McAuley, Luzolo Mbemba, Sonia Dyal, Jerrica Pasco, Ropel Pasco Trustee Nancy Crawford, Ms Carey and Mr. Potts

Opening Prayer – Ms Carey opened the meeting with a prayer

### Introductions

#### Trustee Crawford

- We are in the third year of our TCDSB Pastoral Plan “Together with one voice: Harmonizing Our Faith through Family, Parish and School”. This year the focus will be on the school.
- If you have any questions or issues please call or email.
- Updates about the new school will be posted. The Heritage Impact Assessment is being worked on to establish what if any sections of the building need to be preserved. Once we are ready to move forward parental input will be asked for.
- TCDSB is back in the black as of this year. The budget has been balanced with the unfortunate cuts to some programs.
- Consultation will begin in the fall regarding Executive Compensation Program (Senior staff have had their pay frozen for 6 to 7 years)
- TCDSB and Unions have contacts in place until 2019.

#### Principal Report – Kristine Carey

- Voice mail was sent out in error stating that the CSPC meeting started at 6pm. All Newman CSPC meeting are in the library at 7pm.
- Scar Trek will be held on October 4<sup>th</sup>. The annual fundraiser walk-a-thon from Newman to the Beaches. Once the students reach the finish line there will be a picnic and ice cream truck for them to enjoy.
- EQAO Literacy results are back for our Grade 10 students. Newman’s score was 82% (1% higher than the Provincial average). Newman’s score last year was 77%.
- EQAO Math tests will be written at the end of the semester that each Grade 9 student is enrolled in math. Last year’s results should be available in time for our next CSPC meeting.
- Most of our current Grade 9 students attended the Newman Summer School Course. There was a lot of positive feedback.
- Grade 9 students went on retreat to Camp Tawingo last week. The overnight camp went well and was enjoyed by the students, staff and mentors.
- Photo Day will be held this week
- Library Orientation will be held for all Grade 9 students this week.
- Grade 9 Activity Fair will be held tomorrow during period 4. Students can learn about the different club and group activities Newman has to offer.
- Next week all students will attend a Scar Trek Assembly.

- September 27<sup>th</sup> will be a Community Meeting Schedule. All classes will begin at 10am. It is also a Jean's Day.
- October 5<sup>th</sup> Early Assessment letters will be mailed out. If you don't receive a letter 'no news is good news'.
- October 9<sup>th</sup> Grade 12 Grad Intension forms will be handed out.
- October 12<sup>th</sup> Newman will hold a University Fair in the Café.
- October 19<sup>th</sup> Newman will hold its Open House.
- October 26<sup>th</sup> Newman will hold its annual Student Talent Night. All are welcome.
- The yearly activity fee (\$90/\$95with CSPC donation) will be put towards: agendas, yearbooks, gym uniforms, Student Council, locker locks, student ID cards, class retreats, student awards, course calendars, clubs and athletics.
- Yearbooks will be given out on Thursday September 21<sup>st</sup>.

Chair Report – Samantha Baszun (past chair)

- TCDSB has been given tickets to a Family WE Day Event. If you are interested sign up with your email address and the email with the link to get tickets will be sent to you.
- Welcome email has been sent by OAPCE for the new rep.
- Duties for all CSPC executive positions were explained.

CSPC Elections

Co-Chair – Ethel McAuley and Liza Tilander – acclaimed

Vice-Chair – Kisha Weir - acclaimed

Treasure – Sue Liberto – acclaimed

Secretary – Jackie Carlos – acclaimed

OAPCE Rep – Sharon Pak and Marjo de Ocampo - acclaimed

Community Rep – Samantha Baszun – acclaimed

Meeting adjourned

Next meeting October 16, 2017