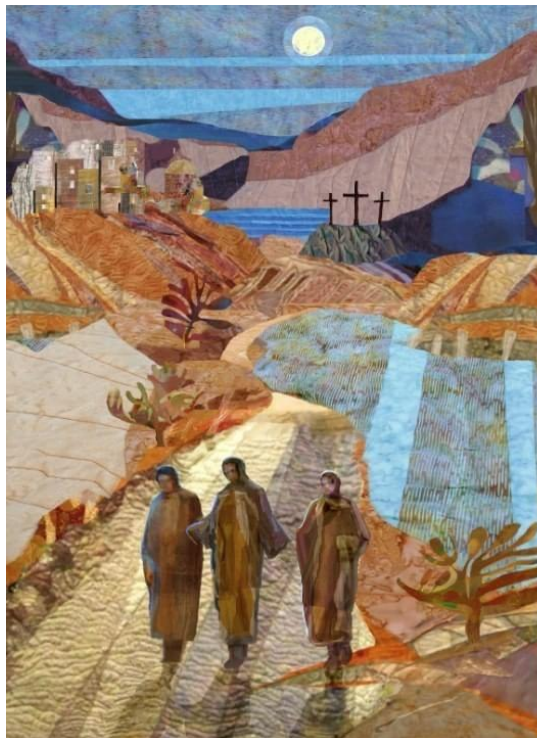


**CATHOLIC SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2022
7:00 P.M.
MICROSOFT TEAMS/IN PERSON MEETING**

Agenda Item	Speaker
Welcome and Prayer	Andrea Leroux
Call to order and recording of attendance	Andrea Leroux
Introductions	All
Nominations and election of chair/co-chairs, secretary, and treasurer	Andrea Leroux
Financial Report	Andrea Leroux / Sarah Elliott
Council Business	All
Principal Report	Andrea Leroux
Parish Report	Marg Brickman
Closing Prayer	All

OPENING PRAYER



Together on the Journey:
Encounter, Accompany, **Transform**

Loving Jesus,

As we continue to walk together on this sacred journey, grant us the grace and courage to be transformed in mind and soul, as You transformed the lives of the disciples on the road to Emmaus. Your loving presence led them to open their doors to You. Your wisdom and knowledge opened their hearts and minds to You. Your love and kindness moved them to invite You to the table and share in the breaking of their bread. Bring us to the awareness that by being like You, we fully realize who You created us to be. Guide us to share Your transformation with others for in doing so we bring your love and hope into the world.

May we never abandon anyone by the roadside.
May we always remember that You're walking with us side by side.
May we always share our bread with those in need.

Amen



IN ATTENDANCE

In person: Cindy Blue, Megan Lunn, Alissa Bartlett, Nicole Paola, Andrea Leroux
Virtual: Marg Brickman, Janelle Muir-Phillips

CHAIR/CO-CHAIR ELECTION

Janelle Muir-Phillips will serve as our CSAC chair for the 2022/2023 school year. Thank you, Janelle.

TREASURER ELECTION

Financial reports will come from the office to the entire group.

SECRETARY ELECTION

Andrea Leroux will provide minutes after each meeting.

FINANCIAL REPORT

St. Aloysius School		Category Umbrella Overview Report(Select Date Range)			Report #5
Libro				Date ... Range	
Libro - St. Aloysius School				04/25/2022...09/13/2022	
		<u>Balance Forward</u>	<u>Expense</u>	<u>Revenue</u>	<u>Balance</u>
Elementary - Student Activities/Resources					
School Council					
1718 Fundraising (Library)	3015	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Food/Milk #1	3020	\$151.21	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$151.21
Food/Milk #2	3025	\$1.54	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1.54
Food/Milk #3	3030	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Food/Milk #4	3035	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
HST Rebate - Council	3000	\$990.79	\$326.66	\$0.00	\$664.13
School Advisory Council	3010	\$461.89	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$461.89
School Donation Letter Campaign	3005	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Umbrella Total:	\$1,605.43	\$326.66	\$0.00	\$1,278.77
	Umbrella Type Total:	\$1,605.43	\$326.66	\$0.00	\$1,278.77
	Grand Total:	\$1,605.43	\$326.66	\$0.00	\$1,278.77

COUNCIL BUSINESS

Hot Lunches

- We will resume hot lunches as soon as possible.
- Hot lunch will stay on Mondays.
- We do not currently have a refrigerator for milk so we will bring that back when we have a new refrigerator.
- Pizza makes the most profit for hot lunches.
- We will start with pizza until the next CSAC meeting where additional options can be considered.
- Nicole Paola will coordinate the orders and send the orders to Dominos Pizza.
- Janelle Muir-Phillips will investigate pricing for pitas and pasta for the next meeting.

Open House

- On Wednesday, September 21 from 5:30 – 7:00
- Includes book fair
- School will order the pizza and get the juice for everyone
- CSAC will assist in distributing food in the gym

Fundraising

- There is no specific fundraising goal for this year at this time.
- Fundraising for a swing set for the school yard was suggested and unanimously agreed upon as a great addition for our students. We will discuss this at our next meeting.
- CSAC funds have been used in the past for graduation costs, which will continue this year. That cost is approximately \$2 000 each year, with \$1 400 coming from CSAC last year.
- CSAC funds are also used for the pizza/drinks for the open house. This will continue this year.

PRINCIPAL REPORT

Class changes

- Due to increased enrolment (which is very positive), we have had to change some of our classes as we are over the class cap in 3 classes. We are only permitted to be over the class cap in 1 class this year. We must have only 1 class over the cap by September 30, 2022.
- Grade 4/5 moved to Grade 3/4
- Grade 6 moved to Grade 5/6
- Grade 7 moved to Grade 6/7
- This resulted in 30 students needing to move to a different class.

Upcoming events

- Terry Fox Run – September 23
- Book fair and open house – September 19 – 23
- Junior and Senior soccer – September 28 and 29

New staff

- Kristie Morin in our DECE. Heather Schoonderwoerd has moved to St. James, Seaforth
- Kerry Bleck is our OA as Sarah Elliott is away for maternity leave (no baby yet!)
- Sue Salter is our VAP teacher.

Volunteers

- School will send out volunteer info and generate list for different events that people are able to volunteer for. This is included on the attestation each year, but will be helpful for new volunteers.



PARISH REPORT

- There are a lot of good things going on with Project Precious, even though the trip to Haiti had to be cancelled for this October.
- This year, Project Precious has raised \$70 000.
- Class retreats have resumed for this year.
- Altar server training is coming up. School will share info.
- Children's Liturgy is starting again at mass. School will share info.

FUTURE MEETINGS

Next meeting date was set as: **Thursday, October 20 at 7:00 p.m.** at St. Aloysius in the library.

CLOSING PRAYER

Lord of day and night,
of beginnings and endings,
as we prepare to conclude this meeting,
we once again lift up our hearts to you,
The Divine Source of All Life.

We thank you for the gifts that have been
present within this act of service to you, O God.
We are grateful for the gifts of fellowship and understanding,
of mutual respect and shared vision,
of perseverance and insight into the common concerns we share.
For these and all other graces, we are thankful.

As you have blessed our coming together,
now bless our departure and journeys
homeward.

May your blessing be upon us,
in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Amen.