CSC Meeting Minutes Jan 22, 2025

(attendees: Guglietti, Torres, Miller, Fernandes, Fernandes, Figura, Almeida, Baranowski, Cordeiro-Virtual Coraci, Carter, Nieznalski)

- A Ellery-Fernandez opening
- Agenda approval-Almeida & Figura
- Amendment that the BBQ made money, generated profit NO profit was made
- Meeting minutes approved- Almeida and Baranowski
- Torres Principal report (insert report)
- Asks-enhancements-from the school to council (Basketball Nets reduced costs, graduation support, bussing for year-end mass,
- Grade 8 committee- asking for funding to help supports the event and hall rental
- Read Mr Matthews statement regarding grade 8
- Uniform protocol Torres spoke about how the process is done and how you need 60%
- Deferred bussing issues to next meeting
- Nieznalski thanked council for \$\$ and CWL donations to breakfast club, book fair and coding club costs
- Andrea F- insert chair report
- Rhys F financial report- see attached
- Voting on next fundraiser (chocolate) voted on by all members
- Pancake Tuesday voted on \$500 cost-voted on by all members
- Pretzels for Lent \$1000 for larger size or \$500 for smaller size voted on larger pretzel FDK smaller size and
 1-8 larger size voted by all members
- Graduation-\$3000 for grad contribution-voted yes by all members
- Movie Night \$250- voted yes by all members
- Coding Club-\$1000 voted yes by all members
- Supporting bon homme de neige costume used for french carnival- csc to support a 1/3 of the cost so \$150 approved now with \$150 for February with potential total of \$300
- September open house approval
- A Baranowski from the Parish-Anil Rodrigues from St Anthony of Padua-Grand Knight- he spoke about running school events that are for charity including a bbq, breakfast club support
- Andrea Parish report
- Jubilee year 2025
- No frills at clark n queen donated fruit to breakfast club
- K of C- st louis out reach to donate
- St Louis Outreach
- CWL public speaking contest
- Hosted sun feb 9 at 2pm at St Anthony of Padua
- Lots of support for the breakfast club
- OAPCHE report no update until next meeting in feb
- Closing prayer
- Adjournment at 7:45pm

Chair's Report:

- 1. **Mingle Jingle** Feedback to Mr. T Next year can we have the mingle jingle upstairs/downstairs and the Christmas market in the gym (he found the idea interesting can discuss further)
- 2. Cookie Dough Fundraiser Great success (sold 253 boxes and totes raised \$1374)
- 3. **Brave presentation** will check availability. it was approved last meeting. (Gr 4/5/6 6 classes)
- 4. Go Wild Grant no update. Mr. T to reach out to Ms. Ciufo to find out
- 5. Feb 6 Current Krispy Kreme Need volunteers for a) Pick up b) label and distribution.
- 6. **Uniforms Jan 21 DPCDSB meeting** policy was amended Feb 28th will be the last day for the uniform survey to be shared with parents to vote for the following school year. Now time sensitive discuss at meeting Jan 22
- 7. **Brampton Recreation** council can support if school is interested in organizing:
 - a. Tubing: students walk to ching for tubing. Gr 6 or 7. Do this every Jan/Feb for 1 grade.
 - b. Dance: in school, x 3 sessions a month apart (ballet/Acro/Hip Hop/Jazz) 1 hr at \$2.50 per student
- 8. Mar 4 Pancake Tuesday (Council to fund and prepare pancakes. Gym will be set up with tables and chairs and classrooms will be called down to sit down and enjoy. So will be managed in small groups. Will ask Mr. T if teachers can also volunteer and if we can use their griddles). Will need Costco pancake mix, Syrup, utensils and maybe hot chocolate:) (2 pancakes per student. So approx 1000 pancakes!) Will need volunteers most of council
 - Griddle \$35 Black n Decker 22"x11" Walmart
 - Pancake Mix Costco \$16 (4.5Kg) x 5 = \$90
 - Syrup Costco \$15 (3.7L) x 3 = \$50
 - Hot Chocolate Mix Costco \$ 19 (2Kg-75 servings) x 5 = \$107 or from Aquinas
 - Utensils Plates/Forks/Cups/Napkins = \$150
- 9. April 15/16/17 Lenten Pretzel (similar to last year 1 per student and staff)
- 10. April Run Chocolate fundraiser instead of 3rd KK. Based on volunteer commitment we can run it a) as we did last year (earnings 7K) or b) sell as pre sale on cash online (this might result in half the earnings as the other method). Option a is A LOT of time commitment vs option b is much easier, very minimal effort. Can decide option a or b later. But will have to vote on chocolate or KK direction
- 11. **Survey** Mr. T is onboard with a survey going out to parents sometime in April. Can discuss more. Goal would be to understand the needs of our students & families and what's priority so we can focus our efforts accordingly
- 12. May 5-16 is catholic education week.
 - a. Kindergarten parents and kids Mr. T suggested council to come in to welcome families. Great time to share what we do. May be do popcorn!
 - b. Thur May 8 Movie Night like last year. Pizza paid, cookies complementary, popcorn and bottled water maybe \$1 each
- 13. June 17 year end mass. Request to assist with bussing of kids to church. Mr. T to check bus costs
- 14. Grad SK & Gr 8 Mr. T to share priority list of items that council can commit to support each year
- 16. School Clubs (Coding/dance/crochet/chess/wellness warriors) council can show support