

Catholic School Council Meeting- Wednesday September 25th, 2024

Principal's report:

- School is described as a fun space, where they can be safe and learn.
- WITS is being used within our school as a strategy to deal with someone that bothers us.
- School discussion around the issue of consent and hate speech.
- Faith- opening mass today on Wednesday September 25th, sacramental prep (Oct3rd- communion, September 27th- confirmation), rosary apostolate visiting the classes and food drive.
- Equity- Truth and Reconciliation week occurring and activities are being conducted in the classrooms.

Wellbeing- public health nurse occurring, clubs to be conducted by the student council.

Achievement- Literacy and math coaches are in the school to assist with achievement in these subject areas. UFLI being used in the primary grades (FDK to use haggarty) to assist with getting students to read.

Chair report:

- organized funds for the school, the passing of two students made last year a difficult school year. A Fun Fair was organized to honour those students and the community in June.

Positions to be filled by this council:

- Chair (Leila)
- Treasurer (Leona)
- Secretary (Yari)
- Pastoral Rep. (Deena)
- OAPCE (Corinne)

- Wednesdays to be selected for Catholic School Council meetings (September 25th, November 6th, March 19th, April 30th- all meetings are scheduled at 5:30 p.m.). Possible additional meeting date may be added between November and March due to the large passage of time between those dates (January 22nd is the tentative date).

- Sprinkler cover on the field keeps being removed and may be a safety hazard.
- Talent show used to be held in June. Consideration to be given to the notion of holding a talent show at the end of the school year.
- More structured activities to assist with behaviours at recess. Consideration to be given to teaching the idea of tolerance.
- Meeting adjourned at 6:52 p.m.