

BLESSED SACRAMENT PARENT EDUCATION COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF MEETING held on Thursday April 21, 2022 at 5:00pm

Present:

1. Sean Greenhalgh ("SG")
 2. Reine Mykyte ("RM")
 3. Fr. Miguel Segura ("MS")
 4. Alex Kurnicki ("AK")
 5. Gabriela Oteiza ("GO")
 6. Brian Duong ("BD")
 7. Carla Matias ("CM")
 8. Elia Domingos ("ED")
 9. Alaine Maxwell ("AM")
 10. Ami Sanyal ("AS")
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A. Opening Prayer (MS)

B. Adoption of the Agenda

1. Kids on roof and Quebec trip added to the Agenda
2. GO moved CM seconded

C. Approval of Minutes of the March 2022 meeting

1. AK moved, GO seconded

D. Updates

1. Pastor (MS)
 - a. Children's liturgy has returned
 - b. Food and coffee after mass will also be making a return imminently
 - c. Repairs to the rectory continue
2. Principal's Report (RM)
 - a. See written report;
 - b. School deep into athletics;

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- c. Salmon released into the Renfrew Ravine
 - d. Recess is no combined making planning easier;
 - e. More opportunities for parents to volunteer and supervise;
 - f. Madame Pimentel celebrates passing the 30 day mark;
 - g. All staff have indicated they are coming back save for kindergarten, and one EA.
 - h. PALS program has been a success
3. Chair (SG)
- a. Nothing to report
4. Finance (GO)
- a. Things are looking good, ahead of budget, looking at a 100k surplus; the per student grant went up, expenses are coming in under budget, and fundraising is performing well.
5. Building and Infrastructure (AK)
- a. Met with StudioHub prior to this meeting
6. Community Relations (AM)
- a. Auction Launching April 25 closing May 3 with a 15k goal
 - b. 150 items donated is an increase from the previous year
 - c. 75 hours worth of volunteer opportunities
 - d. Mark Romanish of PAG has questions re Grant and what PEC wants to do - BD to follow up
7. School Rep (Mme Domingos)
- a. Holy Thursday retreat for the school
 - b. Badminton, Track, and Soccer overlapping
 - c. Teachers given opportunity to explore the Open Parachute Mental Health Program
 - d. FSA results printed and sent home
 - e. PALS (Playground Activity Leaders in Schools) had over 30 applicants

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8. Elections - AK and SG to serve on the nominations committee
 - a. AS moved, CM seconded

9. Kids on the Roof
 - a. School to engage in additional efforts to dissuade climbing including through signage at key locations.

10. Quebec Trip 2023
 - a. Overall, PEC supports the Quebec Trip, conditional on support from parents for the trip via a poll.

E. Closing Prayer (MS)

Meeting adjourned at approximately 6:35 pm, next meeting May 31, 2022 at 5:00pm