

# École Père Kenneth Kearns Catholic School

## School Council Meeting Minutes

October 24, 2017

IN ATTENDANCE	
Natalie Wallace - Chair	Carla Weyland –Treasurer
Charles Ward – Vice Chair	Dora Berry – Fundraising Chair
Tony Matos – Acting Secretary	Barb Crowley
Amanda Gaudet	Diana Gaviria
Heather Bonokoski	Heather Weiss
Pamela Aloisio	Leanne DiMarcello
Aimee Banack	
SCHOOL STAFF	
Mme. Janelle Tremblay – 1J	Mme. Carmen Emery – 2E

### I. Call to Order

- Natalie Wallace called the meeting to Order at 7:30 pm
- Opening Prayer – C.Emery
- Approval of June 2017 & September 2017 minutes – Charles Ward and Carla Weyland
- Approval of Agenda with ammendments: Barb Crowley and Leanne DiMarcello

### II. Old Business

None

### III. Reports from Council

#### a. Administrative Report (J.Tremblay & C.Emery)

- ABJ Scholarship of \$250 was given out to Raven Landry
- Business cards were offered to be handed out for Halloween
- The Shoe Drive brought in more than 600 pairs of shoes
- As a part of the Community Initiative fund, Dr. Jody Carrington will be presenting at St. Theresa's on November 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. on Emotional Connection
- If any parents are interested in volunteering to lead the Jump Rope for Heart this year, please contact Mme. Gravelle

- Reminder of the nutrition policy from AHS and to try to bring healthier alternatives for treats to the school for birthday celebrations and classroom celebrations. New links on the website for healthier choices
- The three schools (EPK, OLPH and ABJ) with immersion programs have met to discuss ways to partner and promote the program.

**b. Executive Report – Natalie Wallace**

- Our two west playgrounds are up for replacement in 2019 through Strathcona County. As partners, we are asked to lead the process with a playground committee. The first meeting will be November 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30 p.m.
- The three year plan has been updated and can be accessed on our webpage through the school's website. It includes the new playground project
- OLPH will be purchasing pink shirts for anti-bullying day and will offer them for purchase at EPK as well.

**c. Report of Upcoming Events and Celebrations – Charles Ward**

- Oct 26<sup>th</sup> - Class Photos & Retakes
- Oct 28<sup>th</sup> & Nov 5<sup>th</sup> - Reconciliation Retreat at OLPH (1-3 p.m.)
- Oct 31<sup>st</sup> - Halloween! (in the afternoon...send costumes to school)
- Nov 1<sup>st</sup> - Spirit Day (PJs) and early dismissal
- Nov 5<sup>th</sup> - Day Light Savings Time ends
- Nov 6 & 8<sup>th</sup> - Three way conferences
- Nov 6 - 9<sup>th</sup> - Scholastic Book Fair (French)
- Nov 7<sup>th</sup> - Belt Looming
- Nov 8<sup>th</sup> - Hot Dog Lunches
- Nov 9<sup>th</sup> - Remembrance Day Celebration 10:45 a.m.
- Nov 10 - 17<sup>th</sup> - No School (Remembrance Day & Fall Break)
- Nov 25<sup>th</sup> - First Reconciliation OLPH 9:00 a.m.
- Nov 28<sup>th</sup> - School Council Meeting 7:00 p.m.

**IV. New business**

- Discussion on the Lice situation and tips for stopping the spread  
Club Moo is in desperate need of volunteers – please email Natalie Lavigne at [pchefnatalielavigne@outlook.com](mailto:pchefnatalielavigne@outlook.com)

**V. Adjournment**

- Meeting was adjourned at 8:46 p.m. 1<sup>st</sup> Barb Crowley 2<sup>nd</sup> by Natalie Lavigne

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### I. Call to order

- N. Wallace called the meeting to order at 8:46 p.m.

### II. Treasurers Report

- B. Crowley will submit last year's Annual Return
- C. Weyland submitted the budget for 2017-18. Motion to accept the budget for 2017-18 - Approved 1<sup>st</sup> Barb Crowley, 2<sup>nd</sup> Natalie Wallace-

### III. Fundraising Report

- D. Berry highlighted that the Grade 4's have raised \$440 through the bottle drive and reminded people that the next bottle drive will be right after Christmas break
- Christmas Cards should be sent home soon
- Prairie Perogies order forms will be going home this week
- February 19<sup>th</sup> will be the EPK Oil Kings fundraiser night. We hope to have tickets available before Christmas. This will be the first fundraiser for the playground

### IV. Adjournment

- N. Wallace adjourned the meeting at 8:58 p.m.