



**St. Margaret of Scotland
Catholic School Council
Oct 4, 2023
Minutes**

Agenda:

1. Opening Prayer and Land Acknowledgement – K. Marsi
2. Introductions and Welcome – K. Marsi
3. Approval of Agenda
4. Approval of Minutes
5. Trustee Update – H. Vilorio
6. Election of Chair/Co-Chairs – N. Greco & I. Lodge

Discussion of Council roles, meeting protocol, bylaws
Election of Other officers – newly elected Chair/Co-Chairs
Establishment of dates of meetings for the year
Approval of minutes of last meeting
Treasurer Report
Parish Report

7. Administration Update – K. Marsi
8. Conclusion

Minutes:

Attendees: Ms. Marsi, Ms. Tollis, Keri Bedeau, Julie Webster, Chike Mofunanya, Adriana Pinto-DaCosta, Diane Teixeira, Deidra Wong, Maria Murphy, Elizabeth Moniz, Ian Lodge, Nancy Greco, Louise Roach, Melodie Freiria, Adele Del Bono, Lisa Marroquin, Katrina Wasenda, Rosemary Torres, Evelyn Gomez Lozano, Catherine Robicheau, Michael Hickey, Rita Toledo Chavez

Regrets: H. Vilorio

1. Opening Prayer and Land Acknowledgement

-Lead by K. Marsi

2. Introductions and Welcome

-Lead by K. Marsi

3. Approval of Agenda

-Motion put forward to approved agenda by Louise, seconded by Melodie

4. Approval of Minutes from June

-Motion put forward to approved minutes by Lisa, seconded by Chike

5. Trustee Update

-H. Vilorio - Regrets Sent.

6. Election of 11 council members for this school year.

- A vote was necessary as there were more interested parents than positions available.
- It was stated that a parent who does not get voted on to the Council can still participate in committee and event work.

The below individuals were voted onto the Parent Council.

1. Melodie Freiria
2. Evelyn Gomez Lozano
3. Nancy Greco
4. Elizabeth Moniz
5. Rita Toledo Chavez
6. Rosemary Torres
7. Michael Hickey
8. Deidra Wong
9. Chike Mofunanya
10. Lisa Marroquin
11. Diane Teixeira

Discussion of Council roles, meeting protocol, bylaws

- Lead by K. Marsi

Electoral Positions were chosen.

N. Greco & I. Lodge stepped down from Co-Chair role

New Electoral Positions:

Co-Chairs are Deidra Wong and Michael Hickey

Treasurer is Lisa Marroquin

Secretary is Chike Mofunanya

Parish Representative is Diane Teixeira

OAPCE Representative is Keri Bedeau

Teacher Rep is Katrina Wasenda

Non-Teaching Rep is Adriana Pinto-DaCosta

Fundraising Coordinator is Adele Del Bono

Establishment of dates of meetings for the year

- Wednesdays at 6:30 was voted to be the best day/time of the week.
- Below are the meeting dates for this school year.

Oct 4, 2023
Nov 1, 2023
Jan 17, 2024
March 6, 2024
May 15, 2024
June 12, 2024 (if required)

Treasurer Report

- \$14000 in the parent council account
- No outstanding payments
- \$600 dollars should be sent to us from Fun Scrip.

Parish Report

- No parish Update

7. Administration Update

September

19 - PA Day for reorganization. The school population increased from projection to 419, so we received a 6/7 classroom and made three full FDK, up from two and a half. Permanent DECE placed here but currently on leave, board will hire replacement
27 - Open House
29 - Truth and Reconciliation week, orange shirt day, divisional assemblies led by Mr. Shanks

October

4 - Hearing & Vision clinic
5 - Terry Fox Marathon of Hope, Food drive ends – Eden food for change
11- Junior girls' volleyball pod tournament
12 - Junior boys' volleyball pod tournament
17 - Child Care Worker and DECE appreciation day
18 - Cross country family level at Erindale park, Grade 6 students to Silver Creek
19 - DPA (Daily Physical Activity) training for students with Public Health nurse, CCCSC evening for council members
20 - Rosary Apostolate begins on Fridays until May
25 - Dental Screening begins
26 - Opening mass in gymnasium

27 - Dress purple for Children's Aid

November

3 - School Photo day

7 - Progress reports go home

9 - Interview evening as needed

6 & 17 - Retreat for intermediate students at St. Francis of Assisi parish

28 - Youth Faith Ambassadors to Dr Simone warehouse

30 - Immunization clinic

Clubs

-Coding club

-Youth faith ambassadors

-Story club

-Eco club

-Pals

Lunchbox orders – Subway began on September 6

Cookies – ordered for October/November

Pizza – Domino's to begin Wednesday, October 11, 2023

Motion put forward by Lisa to continue giving Pizza to children who need it; seconded by Keri.

Motion to spend \$1200 to book Santa for Christmas put forward by Lisa and seconded by Chike.

8. Conclusion

-Motion put forward to end the meeting by Keri, seconded by Nancy

-Closing Prayer - Hail Mary said by all

-Meeting adjourned at 8:45

School Council Members 2023-24 Attendance:

<u>Name</u>	Oct 4	Nov 1	Jan 17	Mar 6	May 15	June 12	Total
K, Marsi	Y						
J. Tollis	Y						
Katrina Wasenda	Y						
Adriana Pinto-DaCosta	Y						
Deidra Wong	Y						
Michael Hickey	Y						

Lisa Marroquin	Y						
Chike Mofunanya	Y						
Nancy Greco	Y						
Keri Bedeau	Y						
Melodie Freiria	Y						
Evelyn Gomez Lozano	Y						
Elizabeth Moniz	Y						
Rita Toledo Chavez	Y						
Rosemary Torres	Y						
Diane Teixeira	Y						