

June School Council Meeting Minutes  
St. John XXIII Catholic School, 9526 89 St, Fort Saskatchewan, AB  
June 1, 2021

In Attendance:

Bonnie-Lynne Boehm (Principal)

Rita Astalosch (Vice Principal)

Sherry Charron

Michelle Johnston

Shawnene Wallgren

Alana Seymour

Shannon Dahlseide

Leslie- Anne Oshust

Bonnie McLellan

Dawn Pinder

1. Call to Order: Alana
2. Prayer: Michelle
3. Approval of Agenda  
Motion to approve  
First: Sherry Charron  
Second: Michelle Johnston
4. Approval of Minutes from May Meeting  
Motion to approve  
First: Shawnene Wallgren  
Second: Sherry Charron
5. School Report:
6. Administration Report- Bonnie-Lynne Boehm & Rita Astalosch
  - i. School Council Executive  
Huge thank you and appreciation from the Admin to our Parent Council for continuing to show up in this crazy year. The hard work and dedication to sharing the joy with the kids even when parents cannot be in the building has been greatly felt and appreciated by staff this year.
  - ii. School Fees 2021-2022  
Proposed fee schedule is what is hoped for for 2021-2022.  
Fees were reimbursed last year due to covid and there were not field trip fees for this past year.

iii. **Year-End celebrations:** Grade 4 Farewell, Year-end Mass, Grade level Year-end celebrations

Year-End Mass: June 17th 11:00 am for all For Saskatchewan Live streamed

Grade 4 Farewell will take place June 17 @ 1:00 pm. Grade fours and their teachers and admin will have their farewell in the gym; prayer celebration, crosses, Animoto, colour exchange and a video will be taken to share with parents after.

Grade 4: Why can we not have some form of in person celebration for parents? Divisionally and school based, it has been decided (based on Re-Entry Protocols) that grade 4 farewells will not be able to include parents this year. This is a decision that is from the EICS re-entry protocols and we are not allowed to have parents gather for school activities, even outside, despite provincial guidelines being changed to up to 10 people.

Someone will be there to take pictures of each student as well as the banner and other important items included in the grade 4 farewell. These will be shared with the parents too.

Year End celebration: June 21st for all grades

School will do 5 year end celebrations in a row in the gym, cohorted. They will be recorded as well as the Christian leadership awards. Each family will receive the video of their child(s) grade celebration.

Kindergarten celebration is to be announced.

Talent show is still going forward.

iv. House Systems next year

Goal for next year is to combine cohorts and go forward with this.

7. Treasurer's Report- Leslie-Ann Oshust

Highlights: if we don't spend any more money this year we would be carrying forward \$5510.58

We still have to spend on retirement gifts, teacher appreciation, and year end celebration so that total will change.

8. Old Business

a. Grade 4 banner

It is finished and parents who worked together on it will be thanked on social media.

b. Yearbook update

Shannon, Bonnie-Lynne, and Dawn are meeting after this meeting in order to discuss and make plans for how that will go.

9. New Business

a. Year end farewell

Staff feel like the drive thru isn't something that is needed since the students are in school this June and there will be year end celebration within the classrooms.

The idea behind the drive thru through last year was to replace the year end bbq. How can we get parents involved this year?

Discussed and decided that we do a beginning of the year kick off rather than a year end celebration in order to start out the new school year on a high note. This will be put into the Smore as well.

b. Teacher gifts

Putting more money towards the teachers this year since we won't be doing a year end celebration for the school. Decided that putting our money towards the teachers would be a great way to thank them and show our gratitude for everything they have put in this school year.

Motion to increase gift budget to \$616

First: Sherry Charron

Second: Dawn Pinder

Sherry will talk with Enhance it Embroidery to discuss options, whether it be tshirts or something else. Anyone can look at their catalogue online to see what else they have that may be awesome and bring their idea to Sherry.

c. Retirement gifts

\$100 in the budget \$50 each for Rita Astalosch and Lisa Morin

Rita: golfs, athletic, outdoors, loved being at St John XXIII

Lisa: wine, loves the lake, has been teaching at St John XXIII for 34 years

Her quote: 'I'm older than the furniture'

Decided on Insulated mugs that will be personalized and a bottle of wine.

Rita: choose joy and perhaps a St John xxiii logo

Lisa: her quote

Sarah Schaub is able to cricut letters and Alana will reach out to her about it.

Shannon will pick up wine for the gifts.

10. Next Meeting –Sept

11. Adjournment

