

Madonna Catholic School
School Council Meeting
September 19, 2019
6:30pm – 7:23pm

Prayer: Lead by Karen Antoniuk

Roll call: Jennifer Brownlee, Natalie Sanderson, Brandi Pacholik, Karen Antoniuk, Kristy Partridge, Kerstin Adamson, and Jenness Stang .

Introductions

Motion to approve last meetings minutes:

Motioned by Janness Stang

Seconded by Natalie Sanderson

Teacher's Report Presented by Karen Antoniuk:

- Update on all Classes.
- Lots of field trips planned for the year, all starting now.
- Swimming and Flex starting in October
- On October 21st Elections Canada will be in the school all day.
- Halloween parade is the same as swimming for some kids - looking at solutions.
- Face to Face ministries coming in Dec.
- Christmas Concert at OLPH Church on Dec 13th.
- Winter Wonderland being planned.
- School wide year-end field trip is to Elk Island National Park. Parent Council will provide the hot dog lunch!
- Family wellness worker has already started working with every child, she is an huge asset to Madonna!
- School theme is The Sharing Circle.
- Spirit wear being sold in November at parent/teacher interviews.

- Karen Antoniuk will be leading Brighter Beginning this year, she will do an amazing job with them 😊
- Need more social media presence – Natalie Sanderson will take this on this year.
- Madonna's budget is balanced, will be provided at the next meeting.

Chairs Report by Jennifer Brownlee

- First Hot Lunch will be Nov 18/19
 - Adding: Burrito Bar, Freshii and Perogys/Sausage (parent council cooking)
 - Deleting: Extreme Pita as Marjorie is no longer able to assemble.
- Kristy Partridge is coordinating the Toy & Turkey Games night this year.
- New photographer for school photos is Stephanie Pasutto Photography, parents not happy with last years.
- Mundare will be October's fundraiser.
- Looking at replacing Big Box with Purdy's for Easter season.
- Family wellness worker putting something together for a Bullying/Home Safe lesson for the Gr. 3/4s.
- Family dance will be May 1, 2019.

Treasurers Report: presented by Lindsay Tomalik.

- Attached

Open Discussion:

- Donations for baskets and prizes for the Toy & Turkey. Need to brainstorm.
- Set up meetings for the school year:
 - Oct 16th
 - Nov 20th
 - Jan 15th
 - Mar 11th
 - May 13th
 - All meetings will start at 6:30pm and end at 7:30pm

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7:30pm – Meeting was adjourned by Jennifer Brownlee.