Madonna Catholic School Parent/Teacher Council

Meeting called to order at 7:10pm, November 19, 2020, taking place online via google meet

In attendance:

Jennifer B	Erin C	Kim G	Jenness S
Kerstin A	Shauna L	Isabel R	Sue-Ann Devlin

- 7:10 pm Shauna L opened with prayer
- 7:12 pm Approval of last meeting's minutes by Jenness S, seconded by Erin C

7:12pm Admin report presented by Shauna L, via Karen A's notes:

Thank you for your support:

- Supper for parent teacher interviews, Halloween Treats, and Cardio Drumming equipment
- Parent Teacher Interviews → All meetings were virtual or by phone and went very well.
- NEW LEARNING for all teachers was the digital portfolio. I am very proud of how they have taken this on. It's not perfect, but it is excellent.

Covid Protocols:

- We are Covid free so far! It is going very very well and we ThankYOU to the community.

- We must Be Cognizant of Fatigue with the protocols.

- A family's information is their personal info. You do not have to prove COVID test results. share with us

- New Protocol check the Smore

Covid 19 protocols

-November 8th Catholic Education Sunday 12:30 Mass went very well.

- Second CTM occurred \rightarrow Grade cohorts talked about every student in their class with the leadership team, specifically literacy. Looking for Strategies to support students.

-Teachers first Numeracy PD session this Monday, Nov. 23rd

-Karen met with all teachers went over PGP's, Long Range Plans and Emergency Sub Plans

- All parents should now be in their child's google classroom for daily communication, etc.

-School purchased Toboggans (2 per class)

- Karen will put in the next smore, parents with snowblowers to come out to the school and make a small hill by the ball diamond on the west side of the school yard (Malvern dr).

Christmas at Madonna:

• Daily, Song at the Advent Wreath & Jesse Tree reading and reflection

- School will be decorated for Christmas ... each class will do an ornament .. snowflake popsicle sticks
- Advent Celebration → Kindergarten Pathways to Gr.4. each class will do a song and poem or 2 songs. We will record, and put it all together and send out to parents on Dec.18th.
- Recording will occur on Dec. 14 .. students are to come to school dressed up like they would for the concert. We will record them that day. Please note this is not a concert, it will be snippets spliced together of all the classes doing their 2 items.
- 22nd Afternoon, Carolling & Snack (orange ,cookie & crock pot hot chocolate) and the students watching their Advent Celebration Video.
- Please ask School Council for a Christmas Orange & Cookie (no candy),
- We need to support Valeda House at Christmas (merged with a new house) still under Sign of Hope.

-We will do a bend the rules the day before Christmas. -Also, will add a link to donate to Valdea House when we send out the Advent Celebration Video.

*Do you know of families in need? Let Karen know only. The staff will be putting together 2 hampers that can go to families. The staff will also be collecting mittens, and socks for Valeda House.

- 7:36pm Teacher's report presented by Kim G. *see attached
- 7:54pm Treasurer's report presented by Erin C: nothing to report

7:55pm Chair report presented by Jennifer B:

- Cardio drumming total cost was \$585.33
- Jennifer & Kerstin continue to look at updating bylaws
- Council to provide oranges & sugar cookies for Christmas party

8:04pm Open discussion

• Great feedback from kids regarding cardio drumming

Meeting was adjourned at 8:06pm by Jennifer B

Fundraising Meeting was called to order at 8:07pm

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Isabel R	Le-Ann E		

Save on Foods - 5% gift back on groceries purchased. Parents/families must save & send receipts to the school, to be submitted to Save On Foods for reimbursement

Cobbs donating back to Madonna. Simply mention you're with Madonna at check out

Meeting adjourned at 8:11pm by Jennifer B

Meeting minutes were recorded by Jenness S and submitted to <u>madonnacses@gmail.com</u> November 19, 2020