

Catholic School Community Council Meeting

(May 12, 2025 in the Saint Matthew School Library)

Meeting Minutes

The regular council meeting was called to order by Mary Ellen at 6:30 p.m. who welcomed everyone present and led the opening prayer.

Present: Yvonne Sirdar, Natashia Schoenroth, Alison Swehla, Sabrina Youck, Andrea Thomas, Mary Ellen Mann, Rebecca Ryan, Jacinta Chandrasekaran and Nevin Dube. Joining online: Tammy Pettigrew

Adoption of Minutes from March meeting – Motion made by Mary Ellen Mann

- Seconded by Andrea Thomas

Adoption of Agenda – Motion made to adopt the agenda by Mary Ellen Mann

Seconded by Sabrina Youck

Principal's Report – see attachment for more information

- 40% VP for next school year
- Kindergarten Orientation for June 6 – Would be great if a CSCC member would be able to attend to say a few words.
- School track day successful
- Band has a busy week
- Mass May 22 at 9:30 p.m.
- Assessments in full swing
- Grade 8 parent groups fundraising for their event
- Land based educator to visit tomorrow
- Drop the backpack plans underway for next fall – Thursday, August 28 from 4:30 – 6:00
- Yvonne confirmed she will continue at Saint Matthew's School for 2025 – 2026.

Finance Report – presented by Andrea Thomas

Only addition to the sheet is the small profit from the movie night canteen.

\$113.35 profit from the movie night

Fundraising Update – No news

New Business

Clothing delivered today

AGM nominations live on Edsby – Positions open are treasurer and member at large.

Meeting – June 9 at 6pm for AGM with regular meeting to follow

Year end BBQ – Tuesday, June 17th – CSCC Volunteers needed for 11:00 – 12:30 ish. Discussion for having it outside this year to have it more of a community event.

Mary Ellen will tally ticket sales for the basket fundraiser. Yvonne will do the early bird draws on Wednesday.

Tammy brought forward Growing Smiles and Card Boxes as possible fundraisers.

Yvonne applied for a Walmart grant.

There will be some departing staff. Discuss next meeting about what the CSCC might do.

Closing Prayer led by Mary Ellen Mann.

Meeting Adjourned

Next meeting – June 9 following the AGM

Minutes as taken by CSCC Secretary Sabrina Youck