

**CANADIAN MARTYRS CATHOLIC SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING
Tuesday November 5, 2019**

Attending: Mr. Fletcher, Ms. Martindale, Claire Beauvais, Lerida DeLuca Drosi, Greg McCormick, Magdalena Sztajnec, Stephanie Roberts, Julie Deane, Lina Cannella

Regrets: Eva van Vollenhoven, Jordan Finucane, Kathryn Wiersma

Opening Prayer – Ms. Deane

Principal's report:

- a) Progress reports will be going home on Tuesday November 12, 2019.
- b) Parent/teacher interviews scheduled for Wednesday November 13, 2019 – information going home to request times.
- c) Awards assemblies – based on the Report Card Learning Skill was *Responsibility* (SIP Focus pillar of Serving).
- d) Halloween fundraiser – great participation; kids were happy.
- e) Trips occurring:
 - i. Borris Brott
 - ii. Grade 8 and FDK pumpkin patch – Empathy building and Assemblies (SIP pillar of Serving).
- f) Robotics occurring in Niagara Falls Tournament on Saturday November 30, 2019. Students being picked up at 6:00AM at Canadian Martyrs; back by 6:00pm.
- g) SIP focus on Achieving – number sense when solving mental math and struggling to compute in an efficient manner – presentation by Ms. Niemiec.
- h) Church construction will begin in 2 weeks; have to focus on parent pick ups closer to the second parking lot. Construction fence and trailer will be placed on the 4 parking spots that exist by the playground fence of the church parking lot. Father Marcus here to discuss further.

Treasurer's Report – Ms. Sztajnec

**Canadian Martyrs Catholic School Council
Treasurer Report
From September 3, 2019 – June 26, 2020**

Opening Balance as of September 3, 2019 \$1,878.31

Description	Income	Description	Cheque #	Expenses
SEPTEMBER 2019				
		Mrs. Deane – CSC Mulch for school garden	2329	\$37.56
		Mrs. Deane – CSC Mr. Messina parent council goodbye/thankyou gift	2330	\$58.75

Closing Balance as of September 30, 2019	\$1,782.00			
OCTOBER 2019				
CSC Halloween Haunt Move-A-Thon Fundraiser Unlimited Donation (Cash Online)	\$383.00	Playscape Inspection & Consulting Service Inc. Inspection for compliance with CAN.CSA – Invoice # 11959	2368	\$508.50
Closing Balance as of October 31, 2019	\$1,656.50			

Chair's Report – Ms. Deane

- a) Halloween move-a-thon recap.
- b) Book Fair (one per year) – volunteers needed. November 12 – 14, 2019 with the book fair staying open during Parent/Teacher interview night on November 13, 2019. Ms. Deane to coordinate with Mr. Fletcher times that volunteers are needed.
- c) Update on Christmas Store with 10,000 Villages. Mr. Fletcher to give us a date for a “preview day” (tentatively booked for Tuesday December 3, 2019). Also need a date for the Christmas Store (tentatively booked for Thursday December 5, 2019). Ms. Drosi to look at wrapping paper “stash” on our council room. Ms. Deane to coordinate communication. Also need volunteers for the day of the event.
- d) Update on Turkey Lunch:
 - i. Ms. Martindale to check on tables and chairs available at the school.
 - ii. Date confirmed for Monday December 16, 2019. Mr. Fletcher to book the gymnasium for set up the weekend before.
 - iii. Ms. Deane to work on communication/flyers/etc.
- e) Pro-Grant application and funding update – defer to next meeting.
- f) Parish report – defer to next meeting.
- g) Christmas bizarre at the Canadian Martyrs Church – do we want a children's corner? Voted no - not this year.
- h) Topics for future meetings:
 - i. End of Year Trips
 - ii. Outdoor Natural Playground
 - iii. Pro Grant Application
 - iv. Parish Report

Thoughts, ideas, notes:

- Next Council meeting is set for Tuesday December 3, 2019