

Blessed Marie Rose School
2018-2019 School Council Meeting Minutes
Feb. 5, 2020
DRAFT FOR REVIEW

Attendees

School Council Executives	Chair – Edward Tse Treasurer – Gabriel Emordi	Vice-Chair – Bettina Diaz-Matkoric Secretary – Peggy Tse
Administration	Principal: Tony Dal Cin Vice-Principal: Sabrina Lee-Lieu	Teachers: Susan Belkie
Parents	Jen H., Andrea W., Kathy D., Sara C., Jen. M, Lori B. Gabriel C., Daniel,	

Agenda	Speakers	Discussions	Decisions & Actions
1. Call to Order, Opening Prayer, Territorial Acknowledgement	Father Adrienne	Time: 6:40 pm	
2. Approval of Minutes from Nov. meeting	Edward	Actions reviewed. ACTION: Lori to look into costs of compostable forks.	Moved by Lorie. Second by Jen H. MOTION CARRIED
3. Chairperson's Report	Edward	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Email for volunteers about fun lunch and photo day was effective and volunteer positions have been filled. - Alberta Ministry of Education released a new directive for the education curriculum and there are opportunities for feedback. See info. in bulletin. - Extend invitation to community for International cultural event. 	
4. Administration Report	Tony	- See attached.	ACTION: Tony to include link to School Council's website from the BMR School's website.
5. Treasurer's Report	Gabriel E.	- See Treasurer's report attached to agenda	
6. Committee Reports	Various	See below	n/a
6.1 School Volunteer Coordinator	Jen M.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Link for parents: Bmrparents.com - Providing instructions to anyone on School Council who 	ACTION: Add student name and teacher text field to donation form

		<p>need volunteers and event planning to set up their own Sign-Up Genius forms.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Email by School Administration is very effective and should be added to the event reminder/notification process 	for Mr. Alexander's head shave fundraiser
6.2 Fundraising	Jen H.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Flip Give and Cobbs Bread have low participation rates right now. - Pledge forms for Read-a-thon ready for distribution after teacher's convention. Read-a-thon to be scheduled week of March 23. 	<p>ACTION: Jen H. to contact barber for Mr. Alexander's head shave fundraiser</p> <p>ACTION: Jen to put together pledge form</p>
6.3 Fun Lunch	Andrea R. & Kelly J.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Feb. 28 fun lunch through Costco. Back-up date Mar. 2. - March 27 for butter chicken fun lunch. - 	
6.4 Social	Lori B.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Movie Night March 12: Idea for poster competition wins specialty seats to increase attendees for fundraising event. Same night as sandwich making for Mustard Seed. - Volunteers in place for Shrove Tuesday. - Cultural event: May 21 evening 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. - Teacher's Appreciation Potluck lunch: May 6 	
6.5 Community Liaison	Peggy T	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No update provided. 	
6.6 Parish Liaison	VACANT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No update provided. 	
6.7 Parent Education Seminars	Bettina	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Parent seminar with speaker Michael Chiasson: - What are you doing today that our future selves will thank us for? - Explains that what we say and what we do echoes in measures. - Spending time is a management in priority not management in time. 	

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - As parents we need to find what's overwhelming our kids so we can help them. - 7 things kids want parent to know most: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Overstimulation 2. Comparison 3. Want to be seen and be acknowledged 4. Want to be noticed. 5. Want to be heard. Ask why. Be persistent. 6. Want to feel safe. - 7. Love for parents. 	
6.8 Education Society	Sara	- Met with Rebecca to identify additional funding/grant opportunities including Canada Post and Honda Canada grant	ACTION: Sara to send Tony information re: charitable designation
7. New Business	Various	See below	n/a
7.1 Fundraising plan/activities for 2020	Edward	- Concentrate fundraising efforts	
7.2 Cultural Fair	Edward	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Date changed to May 21. - Interest in seeking sponsorship from businesses to support costs of performances, and potentially food orders 	ACTION: Ed to coordinate with people involved to schedule separate committee.
8. Proposed Agenda Items for next Council meeting	Edward	- Student Voice survey results	
9. Adjournment	Edward	Meeting adjourned: 8:16 p.m.	

Next Meeting: Wednesday, Mar. 25, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. at BMR School.

Administration Report February 5, 2020

Upcoming events:

February

- 7 Black History Month – potluck in the small gym
- 12 Student Convention/Spirit Day – St. Valentines Red/White/Pink
- 14-15 Teachers Convention (No classes)
- 15 K of C District Level Basketball Free Throw Competition at Bishop McNally High School. The start time will be at 8:30am
- 17 Family Day Holiday (No School)
- 21 Gr. 6s @ CPS Interpretive Center 8:10-2:30pm
- 25 Shrove Tuesday – Pancake breakfast in AM by School Council
- 26 Ash Wednesday Liturgy 8:30am
- 27 Pink Shirt Day P2 CCC – Anti-bullying Virtue RESPECT
- 28 SC Fun Lunch

March

- 12 Progress Reports go home
- 12 SC – Mustard Seed Sandwich making Event/Movie Night
- 13 Pi Day 3.14 (Math)
- 16-19 Scholastic Book Fair in the Learning Commons
- 17 St. Patrick's Day Spirit Day Wear Green
- 18 Mental health presentation: S. Warbarton: Gr.3-6 8:20-9:05, Gr.1-9:20-10:05, Gr.2-10:15-11, Gr.7-12:05-1:00, Gr.8 1-1:45, Gr.9 1:45-2:30pm
- 18 Parent Conferences K-9 3:30 – 7:00pm
- 19 Parent Conferences K-9 8-11am, 12-2pm
- 20 Professional Development Day
- 24 Gr. 3M Ukrainian Church Field Trip
- 24 Parent/Trustee Forum 7-9pm
- 25 School Council Meeting 6:30pm
- 31 Gr. 3H Ukrainian Church Field Trip

Junior High Athletics

Basketball: Play-offs begin February 6 th TBA

Danceworks: Gr.3-9 starting in January and finishes in April Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. Hamrak, Mrs. Igbelina

Badminton Starts – March 2

Accountability Pillar Survey

Survey from Alberta Education for Gr. 4, 7, 10 Teachers and Parents from those grades.

How the Alberta government helps schools and school authorities build transparency and accountability into the education system.

Student Convention Day – February 12

School Threat - Jan 27