



## St. Patrick's Community School Council Meeting

Tuesday, November 14, 2023

6 PM

**Call to order 6:00pm**

**Prayer - Angela**

**Introductions/Attendees -**

**Approval of the Agenda**

Motion to Approve - Nicole

Second - Carol

**Approval of Minutes from last meeting:**

Motion to Approve - Nicole

Second - Kimberley

**Reports**

**Trustee Report -**

Murray Hollman

- Last board meeting oct 22nd, struck committee funding around administration
- Nov 22 Engagement Summit
- K-5 school Blackfalds
- Disqualified Lagrange, no scheduled bi-election yet

**Principal's Report**

**Kudos - Thanks to all who came and supported the Family Halloween Dance**

**End of term 1** - Please check out your students' marks on Schoology. Connect with your child's teacher if you need support signing up.

**Remembrance Day Liturgy** - The grade 8 class did an amazing job of honoring this day.

**FacetoFace Retreat** - This is a faith based group that tours around and helps students know Jesus through song and prayer. The elementary students participated in this on October 20th and the middle school has their retreat on November 24th.

**Sam Dema - November 14** -He is a young best selling author that provides a message of hope, mental health and kindness. He travels around with a huge backpack to represent the things that we are carrying around that stop us from expressing and loving ourselves.

**Skills Day is Dec 5** - Working on seven skills to prepare students for the following opportunities  
 This year's theme is Water Conservation - Plumbing, Graphic Design-Logo making, Sheet Metal, Photography, fashion design, electrical installation, wood working.

**Parent Teacher Interviews** - These were very well attended

**Student Teachers** - 4 teachers from RDP in the 3rd year of program.

**New Business:**

1. **Christmas Craft Night** - Lead Nicole. Student teacher interest. DATE: Tuesday, December 12.

School Council table- Nicole 6-7:30pm

2. **Coffee with Council**

Set 4 Dates for Coffee with council

Nov 27th 2:30pm joint with Parent prayer

Jan 25th 2:45pm

Set next 2 dates in January

3. **Athletics Logo Input and School Logo**

Council feedback

4. **Engagement Summit November 22** -RDCRS Engagement Summit - Red Deer Catholic Regional Division (RDCRS) Board of Trustees looks for ways to regularly engage our community to help form the decisions and direction of the school division. The RDCRS Engagement Summit allows an opportunity for parents, staff, and community members to provide input into two key areas of our strategic planning. The two areas for this Summit are (1) helping to establish budget priorities for future planning, and (2) feedback on developing RDCRS exit outcomes for learners. We would like to send 5 people. If you would like to attend, please let Mandy Reed know.

6-7:30pm

**Council Committees** - Looking for volunteers/leaders for the following Council Committees.

Coffee with Council	Melissa, Chelsea
Staff Appreciation	Melissa O
Family Fun Nights	
Christmas Craft Night December 14	Nicole, Student Council, Student Teachers
Family Movie Night	Alona

Spring Dance	
SPARC & BBQ	
Cultural Potluck	
Shrove Tuesday	Carissa Anderson, Carol, Melissa, Chelsea, Nicole, Kimberley
Cultural Library	Bola & Melissa
Parent Prayer Group	Melissa, Kimberley
Others?	

Parent prayer group 2:30pm Nov 27th joined with Coffee with Council

**Next Meeting:** Tuesday, January 30

**Announcements:**

**Next Meeting:** Tuesday, January 30

- a. February - no meeting
- b. March 5
- c. April 23
- d. May 21
- e. June 11

**Meeting Adjournment**

**6:33pm**