

School Council Meeting Minutes

**Our Lady of Angels Catholic School
9622 Sherridon Drive, Fort Saskatchewan, AB
7:00 pm on October 11, 2018
Staff Room**

Attendees

Staff: Sandy Weller (Vice Principle) and Natalie Earle (Teacher).

Council: Heather Spracklin (Chair), Sam LeDrew (Vice-Chair), Jade King (Secretary) Julie Berardi (Treasurer), Terra Slaby, Stephanie Dul, Jacqueline Holder, Nadine Stang, Amber Eastman, Laura Zerr, Kendra Reist.

1. Call to Order/Prayer

Heather Spracklin – 7:11 pm

2. Approval of Agenda

1st Stephanie, 2nd Laura

3. Approval/discussion of minutes from September meeting

1st Laura, 2nd Stephanie

4. Teachers Report – Natalie Earle

SEE REPORT BELOW

5. Principals Report – Sandy Weller

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6. Treasurers Report

a) Approval

- b) \$13659.52 from St. John XXIII
- c) St. John XXIII is funding OUR Mathletics program and we would like to sincerely thank them for their generosity.
- d) Boston Pizza has offered a hot lunch offering with an additional 5% of purchases made at any restaurant with the receipts brought into the school.
- e) Mikes hair has offered to cut hair and donate 50%.

Approved by group.

7. Meeting dates for the rest of the year

November 22, 2018 – 7:00 pm

December 6, 2018 – 10:00 am

January 24, 2019 – 7:00 pm

March 7, 2019 – 10:00 am

April 11, 2019 – 7:00 pm

May 9, 2019 – 7:00 pm

June 6. 2019 – 7:00 pm

8. School Program Updates

Milk Program - Jacqueline Holder and Jade King

-Forms are out and milk will officially start being offered October 23, 2018.

-Hot lunch website is almost complete. Venders will be solidified after consulting the Health and Wellness supervisor as well as St. John XXIII.

-Halloween dance will be October 26, 2018. It will be set up through hot lunch to buy tickets.

-Poinsettias will be the same as last year at St. John XXIII. Order forms go out November 6, 2018.

9. New Business

Logo for the school will be the Mary and baby Jesus.

10. Next Meeting

November 22,2018 – 7:00 pm

11. Adjournment

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Teacher's Report – Natalie Earle

October 11, 2018

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Grade 3's

- Visited the Ukrainian Village today.
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Grade 4's

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Principles Report – Sandy Weller

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Leadership Report

1. Thank yous: Sam/Heather spray painting. Amber volunteering in K, milk program.
2. Inclement Weather:

AP- discretion of the principal

-25 (with or without the wind-chill) they are not out longer than 15 min.

**In cases of extended periods of inside recess, a msg will be sent to parents stating kids will be sent out for recess

What we know about playing outside in the cold:

- Less exposure to bacteria; children do not get sick from being cold. More likely they are sick from recirculated indoor air
- Continued gross motor development and physical fitness
- Vitamin D exposure
- Necessary sensory experiences
- Helps them focus on their learning

3. Halloween Plans/Nutrition Policy:

Dance party in the gym: 1:20 - 1:50 then recess, then our classroom celebration. Nutritious food only. No treat bags, cupcakes etc. Teachers will communicate this to their parents.

4. Sleep Stars Focus/ Power of Positivity
5. Read-in-month - love more volunteers!
6. Jr. options - Jan to June. Asking \$100 per teacher for the year (8 teachers)
7. Real Foundation covering ½ cost of grade 4 bibles, CWL is gifting \$250 towards the bibles
8. Introducing Alex Labarda and his role at OLA
9. Volunteer request: Painting BBs

Sandy Weller