

St. Kevin Elementary School

2024/2025 School Council

Meeting Minutes, February 5, 2025 Meeting, 5:30pm – 6:30pm

Attendees: Michelle Thompson, Laura Da Costa, Lindsay Crowe, Jennifer Duque, Melissa Monaco and Emma Germanese.

AGENDA ITEM & NOTES		ACTION ITEMS / PEOPLE RESPONSIBLE
- Opening Prayer & Land Acknowledgement		Jennifer
- Approval of Agenda		Motion to Approve Agenda: Lindsay Second: Jen All Approved
Approval of Agenda	L. Crowe	
Secretary	J. Duque	
Approval of Minutes	L. Crowe	
Principal Report	M. Thompson	
Teachers Report	L. Da Costa/ L. Gouvis	
Treasurer Report	K. Pereira	
Parish Rep Report	M. Monaco	
OAPCE Report	E. Germanese	
Chair Report	L. Crowe	
New Business	All	
Adjournment	All	
- Approval of Minutes Nov 5, 2024.		Motion to Approve Agenda: Jenny Second: Lindsay All approved.
ADMIN REPORT – ST. KEVIN CSC FEBRUARY 5 @5:30PM 1. Financial Report – SGF balance - ~\$12 000.00 Monies spent on: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Scientists in the Schools- Black History presenters- Lego Club- Gym Equipment- Dance Team – March 6th- BHM Update – School Board theme – A Look Back, A Look Within, A Look Ahead , Speaker Series, Read-Alouds- Babarinde, Madskillz- Each presenter is just over \$1000 each- Showcase – Feb. 28		Michelle

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Lion King musical o Play – A World without Black people o Choir presentation 2. 2025/2026 Projections <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Est. 15 new JK's – 14 grade 8's leaving - 199 - September estimate TO BE VOTED ON.... 3. Black History décor/props/costumes 4. Valentine's Dance décor – February 13 5. Shrove Tuesday Pancakes UPCOMING DATES Feb. 10 Respect Assembly @9:20 – Fleming/Perkovic Feb. 10 BOOK FAIR BEGINS Feb. 11 Term 1 Digital Reports sent through student email Feb. 11 Earth Rangers presentation at 9:50 – 10:50 Feb. 12 Math Hip Hop Sessions – Hibbitt and Belmonte Feb. 13 Parent/Teacher conference in the pm Feb. 13 Valentine's Dance Feb. 14 PA DAY – Parent/Teacher conferences Feb. 17 Family Day – no school Feb. 19 Digital Storytelling – Dias – am, Fortin – pm Feb. 20 Jr. Basketball Ball POD at St. Kevin Feb. 21 IEP's go home Feb. 21 Black Literacy Day with St. Augustine BSA's Feb. 25 Michelle at Staffing session in the pm Feb. 28 Black History Showcase Mar. 4 Shrove Tuesday Mar. 5 Ash Wednesday Liturgy Mar. 10 – 14 MARCH BREAK Mar. 26 ROUND 2 VACCINE Mar. 27 GRAD PICTURES 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Teacher's Report February 2025 • Lots of great things going on: • Ms. Belmonte/ Ms. Silva - Girls at Bat Group soon to be starting - leadership through baseball 	<p>Laura D</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• So many BHM activities: poster contest, choir song for assembly, gr. 4/5 play and Michelle's Special play, various presentations, bulletin boards look amazing• Pink shirt day February 26, 2025• the white boards are a big hit...teachers are using them in small groups for both literacy and math. The students are super engaged. Thanks so much!• teachers have been busy doing report cards and preparing for interviews• Chess club has started up - Ms. Hibbitt• amazing new pictures - Yolanda Williams Black Excellence					
<p>- Treasurers Report</p> <p>MONEY OUT</p> <p><u>December 2024</u></p> <table><tr><td>Family night</td><td>\$1110.79</td></tr><tr><td>White boards</td><td>\$360.79</td></tr></table> <p>MONEY IN</p> <p>Dance a thon deposit \$40</p> <p>Ending balance as of December 31, 2024 \$2672.89</p>	Family night	\$1110.79	White boards	\$360.79	<p>Kushli</p>
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<p>Community Rep Report: N/A</p>	<p>N/A (No Rep)</p>				
<p>Parish Rep Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Confirmation candidates have second session this Saturday Feb 8 2025 10:30am – 12:30pm- Thanks for everyone who joined us for our Jubilee Celebrations with Francis Cardinal Leo- 2025 Sunday offertory envelopes available.	<p>Melissa</p>				
<p>OAPCE Report:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Instagram and Twitter is available to follow along.- Parents for Parents (updates and info)	<p>Emma</p>				

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Newsletters are done every month or posted on QAPCE website.- New director for Dufferin Peel Catholic district school Board.- On going improving communication and Clarity.- Dangers of online safety cyber presentation with kids and parents. Teaching tips & Tricks for safe cellphone usage.- Taxes file number of kids for funding.- Talking about bullying.- Lots of engagement for kids and parents in the works.	
Chair Report Members voting to spend on: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Shrove Tuesday: Sunset Grill (Kennedy & Steeles)- Valentine's Dance decor:- Black History Month: Décor/ Props and costumes Fundraiser ideas for spring / Easter next year: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Big Box Cards \$35/ Box (\$11/ Box school earnings) Will run for 2 wks after family day weekend (Feb 18 – March 1, 2025)- Cookie dough or terra cotta cookies:	Lindsay Vote to spend up to \$300 for Shrove Tuesday: Motion: Lindsay Second: Mel All Approved Vote to spend \$50 on Valentine's dance decor: Motion: Lindsay Second: Mel All Approved Vote to spend up to \$150 for Décor/Props/ costumes: Motion: Lindsay Second: Melissa All Approved Fundraising ideas: Motion: Laura Second: Mel All Approved

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Will run Monday April 1 st – April 11 Just before Easter Monday on April 20th 12 Flavours & 40% profit of earnings	
- Other ✓ <u>Reminder of future meeting dates:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• April 2 @ 5:30pm• May 14 @ 5:30pm	Michelle
Next Meeting: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- This Friday Feb 7th is Drumming Sessions.- Reminder when filing your taxes to check off the box on Supporting Catholic schools.	Michelle
MEETING ADJOURNED: 6:30 p.m.	Motion to Adjourn: Jen Second: Mel All approved