

St. Kevin Elementary School

2023/2024 School Council

Meeting Minutes, March 20, 2024 Meeting, 6:00-7:44PM

Attendees: Michelle Thompson, Nancy Capobianco, Lindsay Crowe, Jennifer Duque, Melissa Monaco, Emma Germanese.

AGENDA ITEM & NOTES	ACTION ITEMS / PEOPLE RESPONSIBLE
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Opening Prayer & Land Acknowledgement	Lindsay
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Approval of Agenda	Motion to Approve Agenda: Melissa Second: Jenny All Approved
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Approval of Minutes<ul style="list-style-type: none">• March 20, 2024.	Motion to Approve Agenda: Melissa Second: Jenny All approved.
<ul style="list-style-type: none">1. February was busy with Black History Month, Valentine's Day and the beginning of Lent, Ash Wednesday Liturgy2. SGF – \$9838.853. Book Club has started for staff – Me and White Supremacy, by Layla Saad4. Easter activities donations5. Possible School Council Donations<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Play Day donation- Graduation donation- Sacrament donation- Tech donation6. Important dates<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mar. 10 Daylight Savings time begins• Mar. 11 MARCH BREAK BEGINS• Mar. 19 GZilla BBall Tourney Int. Boys• Mar. 20 MBC Chess Tournament at St. Jude• Mar. 21 Grade 7/8 vaccine clinic• Mar. 25 SEE HEAR Clinic – forms going home before March Break• Mar. 26 SEE HEAR Clinic• Mar. 27 GRAD PHOTO DAY• Mar. 28 Stations of the Cross• Mar. 29 Good Friday – no school• Mar. 31 Easter Sunday• Apr. 1 Easter Monday – no school	Michelle

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Apr. 2 Share Life Spirit week begins• Apr. 8 PA Day• May 5 CEW begins• May 28 EQAO begins• May 31 GRAD Trip• June 19 GRAD liturgy and luncheon• June 20 GRAD ceremony <p>Jessie has removed herself from council as community representative. We need 3 plus 1 member to have quorum.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Teacher's Report<ul style="list-style-type: none">1. Extra Curriculars:<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Intermediate Boys & Girls Basketball teams are practising for their mini-tournament in April.• Intermediate Boys Basketball team went to the G-Zilla tournament yesterday, and came in second place; they move on to the finals on April 4th• Beach Volleyball will be starting practises after Easter.• Primary, Junior and intermediate Chess Team participated in the playoffs, Great teamwork, perseverance and dedication• Crochet Club continues to meet at lunch once a week.• Choir in ongoing for various liturgies and assemblies.2. Eco Club initiatives:<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Big Crunch was held before March Break; some intermediate students made a video presentation that was posted to Google classroom to explain the initiative.• Big Gulp is on Friday – bring waterbottles.3. Scientists in the school:	Nancy

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">Teachers have booked presentations for their classes, and are having hands on, experimental lessons with their students.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Treasurers Report<ul style="list-style-type: none">BALANCE FORWARD – March 20, 2024 = \$2466.72Money out:<ul style="list-style-type: none">Dance-A-thon - \$319.77Bank service Fee - \$24.75School Council General - \$1109.83 (paid to council)Total = \$1454.35Money In:<ul style="list-style-type: none">Dance a Thon - \$2653.45Pro Grant - \$500TOTAL Money IN: = \$3153.45TOTAL BALANCE<ul style="list-style-type: none">\$1699.10 (Difference between in/out money)Ending Balance as of March 20, 2024 = \$4165.82	Kushli
Community Rep Report: N/A	Jessie has removed herself from council as community representative. No report at this time.
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Parish Rep Report<ul style="list-style-type: none">Ash Wednesday Mass February 14; 7:30am, 9:30am, 12:00pm & 7:00pm.Stations of the cross every Friday during after mass during Lent at 7:30pm2024 Refugee sponsorship program is you are interested in Sponsoring a refugee family please contact the parish office.Day light saving starts March 10, changed clocks 1 hour ahead.2023 Tax receipts have been mailed out to families.Holy Week Schedule:	Melissa

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<p>Holy Thursday March 28th - 7:30pm Mass of the Last Supper.</p> <p>Good Friday March 29th – Celebrations of the Lords Passion; 1:00pm & 3:00pm</p> <p>7:30pm Stations of the Cross</p> <p>Holy Saturday March 30th – 8:00pm Easter Vigil</p> <p>Easter Sunday March 31st – Regular Sunday Schedule.</p>	
<p>OAPCE Rep report</p> <p>Key points to share with parent Council:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OAPCE Survey is still open – https://forms.gle/nUqxkpmaL6AWhfAg8 • Read Article in the Catholic Register celebrating our 85th! • Subscribe to OAPCE Parents4Parents • Check out the website for many updates and additions – Share with parents. • Check out the new Family Curriculum launching this fall: https://iceont.ca/new-family-life-education-curriculum-and-support-resources/ • Conference registration opening soon: All Day conference is \$35pp/ Gala Dinner \$75pp • Now on Instagram: @oapce85 • What is Chat GPT? Chat generative Pre-trained Transformer. An AI chat box that is designed for natural language processing tasks Parents insight on Exploring the benefits and Drawbacks of ChatGPT and AI technology. • OAPCE85th Celebration April 13, 2024: oapce.org/events Conference hosted at Monsignor Percy Johnson Catholic high school 9am – 4pm Guest Keynote speaker: Karl Subban Gala dinner: Sandman Signature Toronto Airport Hotel- 6pm & reception 7pm Dinner starts. 	<p>Emma</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chair Report 	<p>Lindsay</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pro-Grant Ideas: \$1000 (\$500 from last year) Lindsay to get pricing/cost for Day & Night event 6-8pm Tentative dates: May 8th or 9th Parent engagement night: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trade Arts (Adults) Freeze DNA – Cartoon Art (kids) Kids movie night Magician night Drum night circles – Jeff Salem Sacrament Gifts for communion and Confirmation May 18th, 2024 – Discuss March council meeting. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Confirmation necklace with cross Communion bracelets, kids will make for themselves. Graduation: Cookie & freezie towards Graduation – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bus & restaurant \$300 Hoodies for grads to sign. Yearbook print out. Lunch Liturgy Camp retreat and Bowling Tech Donation – Order Chrome Books - \$1000 June Play Day – To Discuss at later meeting. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ice cream truck (Mrs. Spinelli) Prizes Freezie Friday Journey into Learning May 7th – Kindergarten night Council Table (cookies as a gesture for signing up) 	<p>\$1000 Pro Grant motion Forward: Lindsay Second: Melissa Approved: All</p> <p>Vote on motion to spend \$200 on Sacrament gifts. Motion forward: Jenny Second: Melissa All approved</p> <p>Vote to spend \$300 for Graduation: Motion: Jenny Second: melissa All Approved</p> <p>Vote to Donate money for class Chrome books: Motion: Lindsay Second: melissa All Approved</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Other 	<p>Michelle</p>

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<p>✓ <u>Reminder of future meeting dates:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Wednesday April 3, 2024 @6pm -Meeting Cancelled• Wednesday May 1, 2024 @ 6pm <p>Additional Notes: N. Capobianco retirement June 6.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Next Meeting –<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Discuss upcoming events for ShareLife Dance-a-thon in May, sacraments, and Graduation details.	Michelle
MEETING ADJOURNED: 7:44 p.m.	Motion to Adjourn: Lindsay Second: Melissa All approved