

**Holy Family Catholic
School Community Council
Location: Holy Family Catholic School Library Meeting Room
June 6, 2018 (7:00 pm – 8:30 pm)**

Present: Connie, Bonnie, Carmen, Louise (Preston Learning Center), Blair, Yvette, Tim, Amanda, Curtis, Anthony

Regrets: Jenn, Brad, Karen, Megan, Sarah

- 1. Welcome and Opening prayer-** Curtis
- 2. Approval of Agenda:** Carmen
- 3. Approval of May Minutes:** Bonnie
Correction: Carnival and Bingo are NOT in the same year. They alternate. Bingo will take place next year.
- 4. School Report**
 - Principal Connie Tenaski
 - Vice Principal Curtis HoweSee report.

Thanks:

- For the continued support for the efforts of the staff in our instructional and programming initiatives.
- To those of you who attended our meeting today – your presence is valued and your input into the decision of the school is greatly appreciated!
- Thank you for your support during the year!

Looking Back:

- Our Dig It production was a huge success! The Magic Mill” Japanese Folk Tale presentation in the music room was outstanding!
- Our track athletes represented themselves and our school so well yesterday at the GSCS Track
- The sun shone on the Gr. 4-8 Track meet. We are looking forward to our Playday on June 18th

Learning

- **Math**
 - By June 2018, 80% of students will increase one grade level in the number strand, as measured by the Basic Concepts (BCM)
 - By June 2018, 80% of students working significantly behind grade level in the number strand (1 year or more) will improve 1.5 grade levels as measured by the BC

- **Literacy**
 - By June 2017, 80% of all students in grades one to eight will be reading at grade level or higher based on end of year benchmarks using the BAS (in late May or early June).
 - Those students in red and yellow will improve at least one grade level from where they began the year.
- **FNM**
 - Students in K-8 will be able to demonstrate an understanding of the First Nations and Metis history and culture through learning about the treaty making process.
 - Students and staff will have an understanding that we are all part of Treaty 6 living on Treaty 6 land.
- **EYE**
 - 80% of K's will be in the green level on the Language and Communication domain of the EYE

Looking Ahead:

- The barbeque has been booked for Sept. 18th ?– Welcome Barbeque and Meet the Staff
- June 14th Year End Mass @ HF Cathedral 9:30AM (Families welcome!)
- June 13th – Grade 8 Farewell
- Tuesday, June 22nd– Year End Swim @ Riversdale (Families welcome!)
- Last day of classes, Thursday, June 28, 2016. Assembly @ 1PM
- Staffing for next year - 18 teachers (+1), 3 Ks.
- Bulk School Supplies Ordering – *Pilot for next year Gr. 1-3*
- CSCC Year End Staff Gifts Chandree Gudmundson & Anna Loenz (teacher librarian retiring).

Motion to change the dollar amount for staff. First year at Holy Family \$25.00, and add an additional \$10.00 each year the staff works: Carmen

Second: Tim

Amanda to pick up cards and Indigo/McNally gift cards next week and provide to Connie.

- September 18th Welcome Back BBQ

Format of the Welcome Back BBQ. Want families meeting staff, staff meeting families (more interactive). Teachers have developed a hand out to provide families. Committee plans this welcome back BBQ. Last year, introduced staff via video.

Could we try?: Placing everyone on the stage, or risers on the side of stage? Use Leo, running around to gain attention. Organize the tables in a different way because it is difficult to walk. Perhaps only have half the tables set up, where chairs are up front so people can see the video.

Curtis thanks everyone for working with the school and the team work.

5. Old Business

- **Clothing update**

Opted to go with Motif Company due to cost. Picked out joggers with zipper pockets, socks, shorts, Baseball T, Soft T-shirt and sweatshirt being priced. T-Shirt is pre shrunk and will be sold at 13.00\$ (taxes included). Not looking at clothing as a fundraiser. We pay \$30.00 per setup.

Taking Leo and using as a hand sketch. Sweatshirt Holy Family initial, established in 2014.

Golf Shirt? Last year only sold one polo. If there is interest, may look for it.

Option: If enough staff want the golf shirt may look at asking the supplier.

Designs will be received this summer, and will sell at BBQ. Only have one color grey.

- **School Supply update?**

Heard from some parents-

95% think the school supply is an awesome idea, while 5% missed that this was an option. Parents want to know what the supply list includes. Please keep in mind, that supply costs go up as the children get older.

Supreme will be supplying the school materials. Materials go straight to the classroom, not sent to the homes.

Note: Mable Label fundraising- info in newsletters.

Teachers may ask for help if needed re- labeling/counting

- **First Communion gifts.**

How should they be distributed?

Blair has all the gifts available. Medallion, and envelope with prayer card. How should we distribute them? 34 students. Under \$2.00 per children. Year end assembly or mass to distribute? Are there children who should be on the communion list outside of the Holy Family church? Connie will look into this.

Any committee member wanting to distribute year end gifts and present to the children at the assembly? Blair can help put the gifts together. Bonnie and Carmen can help present at year end assembly **10:45am not 1pm.**

6. New Business

- WUHCA update

From Jenn: Committee has a lot of members resigning.

These are the positions

President

Vice-President

Treasurer

Secretary

Membership

Adult Coordinator

Youth Coordinator

Basketball Coordinator

Kindersoccer Coordinator

U5 Soccer Coordinator

U7 Soccer Coordinator

Social

Equipment

Booking

Media Coordinator

** Bonnie would volunteer for one of these positions.

AGM: September 5, 2018 at Willowgrove School. Online registration goes live that evening. First come first serve. So anyone that comes to the AGM will get first chance to register prior to anyone registering online.

If we don't have a turn out at the AGM and no one volunteers our registration will not be opened for Willowgrove and programs will not be available to the community without a volunteer for the positions. We are going to try our hardest to recruit people before hand by talking to friends and neighbours, and marketing it on magnetic signs and on Facebook. Any help the school can do by recruiting members will help out a lot.

Rink Update:

Rink shack has been sent in for permit approval. 10 x 20. This will be built this summer/fall. City of Saskatoon will be fixing the spray park and the playground and

the drainage in that area, when they do that they will trench in our water and power lines. Then we will put a shack up. We have had inquires about naming the rink the Humboldt Broncos Memorial Rink or the Evan Thomas memorial rink. I now have to contact these companies that want to donate to this affect. We we receive the full amount of \$150,000 to build the rink then we will put a motion forward to name it this. We will have to take a lot of extra steps in talking with the Thomas family, and the broncos etc... before we proceed. This is not public knowledge yet. We have to receive all most all of the funds in order to do this b/c WUHCA is our biggest donor right now of \$57,500 so far. So in terms of a skating arena part that is on hold till we have further funds to do the concrete. I am still looking to do fundraisers. We had to cancel the street hockey tournament. We had 4 volunteers and needed 30 and we only had 3 people enroll to play in the tournament.

Is the Friends of Holy Family willing to donate any funds? I saw that the school did a fundraiser driven to the rink fund, so thank you for that. We appreciate any and all that you do for it.

School- about 500\$ collected to support the rink, says Connie.

Street hockey was cancelled last weekend. Only 3 people registered.

Naming the rink? Concerns have been brought forward about the connection between the rink and Humboldt Broncos.

Also, this is a community rink. There is no parking close by, why is it wanted in this area? Spoke about it being within walking distance for the children, rather than driving, children can walk.

Anthony to check with Rich Winter. He is with the company, Winter Sports Ltd. May be able to chat with him to help out with the rink. The rink provides an opportunity to all children who may not be able to afford to play hockey.

- Fundraising update

500\$ perogy truck. May not have 5000\$ to float into the new year. Fundraising approved for agendas, and field trips for 2018/2019 year. Bingo is a hit- was not done this year.

- Parish Update

Parish News- Fr. David on Sabbatical. St. Phillips Parish- Fr. Emile will continue serving the parish.

If Fr. David is officiating the mass is there something we could do to thank him for being part of the community? Send basket of cheese, fruit? Blair will find out what he likes.

Carmen moved to provide Father David 50.00\$, and provide it to him at the assembly June 28 (if he can attend) or at the church.

Second: Tim

Vacation bible camp- this is the last Sunday to register. Children can register if they are under grade 5. Grade 5 students can volunteer.

7. Other Business

Next meeting prior to the AGM:

Goals:

1. Look at the members from this past year:
Members at large- Megan, Bonnie, Carmen, Karen (1 year served) Jason (1 year served), Blair (1 year served)
Vice chair- Tim (1 year served)
Secretary- Amanda (1 year served)

Individuals can be at the meetings, regardless if they have a position. Is there anyone planning to leave the team?

2. Make sure have the back to school BBQ set up.

8. Adjournment: First: Bonnie Second: Carmen

******Next meeting date will be September 12, 2018 (accommodating Willowgrove AGM)**