

Mother Teresa Catholic School Council Meeting

Date

School Library

Present: Johnene Milan(Co-Chair), Amany Bastien (Co-Chair), Lori Jones (Secretary), Christine Axhorn (Treasurer), Iman Deal (Parish Rep), Tina Collicutt (Participant), Toulia Zorbas, Linda Bier (Vice-Principal), Deb Cullen, Jason Dunnings, Dave Simkins, Nicolina Scanga, Heather Michel

	Agenda Item	Responsibility	Discussion/Motions/Action Required
1	Opening Prayer	Mrs. Bier	
2	Approval of Minutes	Amany/Johnene	-minutes approved -Jason 1 st motion approved -all approved motion
3	Business Rising from the Minutes	Amany/Johnene	-discussion on Gym school sound system -Amany to contact outside company for sound system
4	Review and Approval of Agenda	Discussion All	-Christine and Heather approved agenda -All approved motion
5	Chairs' Report	Johnene/Amany	-follow up on sound system -discussion on food drive to start early -notice to go home March 1 st for Easter Food drive in the Newsletter
6	Treasurer's Report	Christine	-Christine provided balances for councils remaining funds -all totals will be determined at March meeting once confirmed -environmental club total 515.77 -General balance 4507.35 -Hot lunch program 7392.16 -lunch lady 1069.07 -Parent involvement 0 -school council balance 16343.30
7	Vice Principal's Report	Linda	-no report
8	Teacher's Report	Heather Michel	-primary 100 th day celebration was successful -Junior, Mme Clarke's intensive French program a success -Intermediate Boston Pizza night was a huge success, totals for the evening not in yet. -Grade 8 popcorn sales went well. -Skiing a success

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -CWC have donated money for the fitness friends t-shirts -Iman mentioned the success of Fitness Friends Olympic days. -next Friday Snap Magazine and the Clarington News will be visiting Mother Teresa School to take pictures and report on the Fitness Friends Program -School Board provided 57 lanyards for metal presentations.
9	Parish Report	Iman	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Father Stan is now at the Parish -Iman will be inviting Father Stan to come to School Council meeting. -Father Stan has issued a letter to the school and is posted on the school bulletin board. -First Confession will continue for the next 4-5 weeks. -Graduation mass is June 23rd 2010 -Iman to email information
10	Committee Reports a) Swimming b) Pizza c) Environmental	a) Johnene/Wanda b) Kathy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -swimming report handed out by Johnene -swimming lessons are 5 weeks in length(Tues,Thurs) -dates will be provided next meeting -new 1-2-3 swim program will enhance and develop existing swimming skills. -all students will receive a certificate upon completion of the program. -recommendation will be provided as to the next Red Cross Swim level for student to register.
11	Information/Professional Development	Linda	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -information on Safe Schools -bill 57 discussed (new laws) -new safe schools information on Ontario schools website -any member of the school staff must report on forms, any unsafe practices within the school. -Information to be added
12	New Business Review	Tina/Christine Toulas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mud Pit in Kindergarten Area -Mrs. Bier will follow up on the Kindergarten Area -discussion on cementing, or stones to be laid down in the area Fundraiser Idea -Toulas suggested Halloween fundraiser -it is suggested that Magazine fundraiser start in September.

			-school fundraiser ideas discussed and will be brought up next meeting -Bio Bag fundraiser to be promoted on Earth day.
13	Closing Prayer	Mrs Bier	-Mrs. Bier closing prayer
14	Adjournment	All	April 12 th 2010 May 17 th 2010 June 7th 2010 First Draft