

Location: 180 Katimavik Rd, Kanata, ON K2L 4A9, Canada

Date: Tuesday, December 16, 2025

Scheduled Time: 7:00pm – 8:30pm

Attendees: Cori Pinault, Alison Watters, Danny Gress, Nana Obeng, Joycelyn Glover, Ashley Picco, Erin Coffin, Chantal Lacombe, Saba Kamran, Jennifer Thompson, Nellana Chamungwana, Jesse Watson

Regrets: Jacqueline Payne, Cathy Koss

CALL TO ORDER: 7:04pm

QUICK INTRODUCTIONS

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS: Ms. Cori Pinault

PRAYER: Ms. Cori Pinault

MOTION TO ADOPT AGENDA

1st: Erin Coffin

2nd: Saba Kamran

MOTION TO ACCEPT PREVIOUS MEETING NOTES:

1ST: Ashley Picco

2nd: Joycelyn Glover

Reports

Teachers Report

- Band night was a success, Everyone looking forward to the next performance at MusicFest in February
- Girls Hockey won their championship. Second in three years

Principals Report

- OSSLT (Ottawa Secondary Standards Literacy Test) for Grade 10 – Required to achieve diploma. Test broken in two. One in fall and one in Spring to give everyone a chance
- 7/8 Parent-Teacher Interviews went well
- Luv 2 Grove – Great student engagement
- Advent Homeroom Prayers
- Canoe was built over 2 weeks, teachers would book class time to observe, depending on which process in the build, students can help. There will be a launch in Spring. Goal is to have one canoe at each high school
- Launch – Used to be on the same day as Take Our Kids To Work. Main career day for 9 through 12. 3 or 4 school boards participate across the province

- Advent Liturgies – Dec 11 Father Paul from Holy Redeemer, Kids say Prayers of the Faithful in home languages
- PD Day
- Level Up – EY Centre – kids interested in skilled trades
- 2nd Annual High School Formal – Great success
- Spirit Week – 7/8's Candy grams, dress up
- Holy Redeemer Dance Collaboration – Our Hight School dance class reached out to Holy Redeemer to teach primary grades to offer dance lessons
- Movie Day – 7/8 went to see Zootopia 2 at Landmark Theatres
- Christmas Break
- Grade Photo Retakes will be Jan 8
- United in Black Day – Jan 15
- Exams Jan 22,23,26,27. (28,29 reserved for make up days to inclement weather etc)
- Grade 8 Elective Day Jan 28 – Grade 8's chose electives for Grade 9
- Student Census – Mandated by province for students K-8 Last year had low participation due to the Derecho storm. Will be doing another census a year earlier in the spring.

Parish Report

- Youth Grouo Friday, December 19th Theme: Christmas Party Night - Gr 6-8: 6:30-8:30, Grade 9-12: 8:30 – 10
- Penance Service: Wednesday, December 17 @ 7pm, 8 priests to hear confession. French and Spanish speaking priests available
- Christmas Carolling, Sunday, December 21 @2-4pm – Start at Holy Redeemer at 2, going door to door on Rothesay. 30-50 mins dependent on temperature
- Christmas Masses: Dec 24: 4pm, 7pm, 9pm, and Midnight; Dec 25 9am, 11am
- New Year Masses in honour of Mary, Mother of God – Dec 31 @ 5pm; Jan 1 @ 9am, 11am

CSPA Report

- General Meeting – November 17 Topic Mental Health with a focus on Mindfulness
- Healthy wellbeing promotes productivity
- Educating the difference between context vs content
- Online spending
- Google with board to introduce AI/Gemini

Treasurer's Report

- School Cash Online as of Dec 1 \$1101.88
- Funds raised from Paint Night - \$961.50
- Balance as off Dec 4 \$2,394.21
- Parent Council put in request to principal for idea on where to donate funds

Chairperson's Report

- PRO Grant re-submitted
- Requesting a portion of PIC towards refreshments for Social
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Other Business

- Paint Night Recap – Went well. Atrium was a good location, tables were good, BSA was happy with the canteen and would come again
- January Social – Budget \$800 – Planned for Friday, January 23
- Student Bursary – Council to vote in February on whether to increase quantities or value of bursaries
- Pancake breakfast – Feb 17- Council to pay for ingredients. Volunteer to bring cooking equipment and grill cooks. Co-chair requested something in writing. Looking for volunteers for running.

Meeting Adjourned: 8:15 pm by Alison Watters

Next Meeting: January 20, 2026 @ 7:00 pm