

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

Date: Tuesday, March 10, 2026

Scheduled Time: 7:00pm – 8:30pm

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

Regrets: None

CALL TO ORDER: 7:01pm

QUICK INTRODUCTIONS

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS: Ms. Cori Pinault

PRAYER: Ms. Cori Pinault

MOTION TO ADOPT AGENDA

1st: Ashley Picco

2nd: Joycelyn Glover

MOTION TO ACCEPT PREVIOUS MEETING NOTES:

1ST: Alison Watters

2nd: Ashley Picco

Reports

Teachers Report

- French students have the opportunity to follow the footsteps of Canadians who fought the battle at Vimy Ridge, April 6-13. Trip to commemorate the 110th Anniversary. Students will also visit Flanders Fields, walk the streets of Paris, visit the Louvre, The Eiffel Tower, and much more.
- Special Olympics – typically HT sends the largest group of students (20+). Last week we competed in bocce. There will be a floorball tournament in April. Basketball team made Provincials in London, ON in May.
- Fitchek – student-led social entrepreneur initiative. It is a not-for-profit thrift store. Proceeds go to Children’s Aid Foundation and Operation Come Home. Students will be collecting youth clothing, shoes, and accessories (8-18 yrs) the week before and after March Break.
- 7/8 Robotics club will be competing at a Lego Robotics competition on Sunday, March 29. Robotics club meet Monday after school and have been working on this since November.
- Grade 7 music studied the blues on ukelele for Black History month.
- Grade 8 music students are working their second playing test on wind instruments

- Holy Trinity is hosting our own performance festival in April. Student who sign up can perform in front of a panel of judges. Soloists and Small group ensembles are both encouraged to participate.
- Presentations from various Ontario Colleges, including Algonquin College, scheduled for March 23rd for Grade 11 students.
- New Student Services Website launched. Link can be found on the Academics & Support page on school website.
- YMCA YESP (Youth Education Support Program) Workshops running for Grade 11 and 12 every two weeks. First session was Feb 4 on Goal Setting, Session 2 was Feb 18 on Time Management. Sign up through Google form shared in newsletter from Friday prior to session. Program includes bus trip to Carleton on March 25th.
- Grade 6 students will be coming to tour the school at the end of March Break.

Principals Report

- Black Student Association held a daily trivia event – Best homeroom won doughnuts
- Family Feud on the last day of the Black History Month. Topic included Black Canadians, Black singers, and current/millennial slang.
- Still working on the final vision for the mural in the atrium. Canvas is ready. Featured on CTV
- Shrove Tuesday was a success. May compliments and gratitude
- Ramadan begins evening of Feb 17
- Chinese/Lunar New Year is Feb 17
- February 18 – Ash Wednesday Prayer and ash distribution to be held during homeroom
- Kindness week/Spirit week Feb 16-20
- Student Census Feb 24 – March 3
- Pink Shirt Day Feb 25
- Welcome to Grade 7 Parent Night Feb 26
- Europe trip leaves March 11 – Heading to Milan, Florence, Rome, Pompeii, Athens, and Delphi
- Letters of Early Intervention will be emailed March 26
- Reconciliation Day Reflection March 25
- Students from feeder Schools to visit first week of April
- Grade 9 – Free session for literacy test

Vice-Principals Report

- Caitlin Villeneuve
- New to Holy Trinity – 18 years with the Ottawa Catholic School Board, teaches Art. Overseeing the Mural project
- Yearbook is closed for purchasing
- Graduation is Thursday, June 25th 2 pm at TD Place Lansdowne
- Students holding their own prom as the school is not providing. Prom will be June 11
- Grad retreat part 2 Friday May 15 at Sauders Farm

- Sign up for Parent Teacher interviews opening earlier than usual
- Catholic Education week – May 4-8 – Feeder schools welcome
- Deep Learning – How to Create assignments where they cannot use AI

Parish Report

- Youth group on “both” Friday’s of March Break – March 13 and 20th
- You presentation 7-8 – Stations of the cross April 3
- Catholic tutor available for reading/writing/math and transition to college
- Easter liturgies:
 - Holy Thursday: Apr 2 @7pm
 - Good Friday: Apr 3 @ 3pm
 - Easter Saturday: Apr 4 @ 8pm
 - Easter Sunday: Apr 5 @ 10am

Treasurers Report

- Trivia Night \$826.99
- Council Fund \$2,089.29
- Pancake Breakfast (\$280.54)
- Cash Online Donations as of March 10 \$1,318.00
- \$100 of PIC fund reserved for presentation

Chairperson’s Report

- All Saints reserving \$200 of the PIC
- All Saints asked police officer in human trafficking to speak as well.
- Dates available April 23, and 28.
- Vote to use remaining PIC funds – All in favor

Other Business:

- Bursaries – Forms to go out after March Break – due date will be 2 weeks prior to May Parent council meeting (May 19)
- Inquire how much funds can be carried over for dance next year
- Pancake Breakfast Recap – Everyone very happy. Leftover food was donated, including 11 boxes of pancake mix to Ottawa Food bank
- Appreciation card to be sent to Pat
- Trivia Night – 30+ parents attended

Next Meeting: Tuesday. April 21 @ 7pm

Meeting Adjourned: 8:03 pm