

CSAC Meeting Minutes: 11/02/2021 @ 5:30 PM (virtual)

Interviews

- Virtual Interviews: Wednesday November 24th
- Scheduled centrally through office
- Google Meet or Microsoft Teams. Preference to be communicated by classroom teacher

Virtual Christmas Concert

- TBA

Christmas Mass for Students

- January 2022
- Lead by our Grade 5/6 class
- Shared virtually with schools within Lake Huron Catholic Family of Parishes

School Play

- Due to safety protocols in place, we cannot welcome visitors at this time (including directors Harriet and Dianne)

Visitors

Those currently permitted to visit include:

- Priests
- Officer Stanley
- Board leads

Shed Update

- Shed we had planned on purchasing was sold
- Second option available is not winter friendly
- Looking into other outdoor storage options

CSAC Meeting Dates/Times

- Feedback from community: 5:30pm difficult time for some families to attend
- Wondering: is 7:00pm better?
- Ashley to connect with committee members and invite parent feedback on Friday memo to check preference

Financial Report

- No new report
- No money spent
- \$640 received for Parent Engagement Fund

"Let's Talk Literacy" Videos for Parents

- Compilation of videos from St. Boniface teachers, support staff as well as Board staff on how to support your child's literacy skills at home
- Connects to goals on School Improvement Plan

Fundraising

- Huron Ridge Gift Cards
 - 9 orders to date (Nov 2)
 - \$1000 worth of gift cards purchased

Spirit Wear

- 13 orders to date (Nov 2)
- \$800 worth of product ordered

Hot Food Lunches

- Not permitted to welcome volunteers at this time
- Support Staff required to disperse lunches. Not currently possible

Rock the Playground

- No updates yet

School Generated Funds

- Plan has been submitted to board
 - Huron Ridge Fundraiser
 - Charity: Donation to St. Andre Bessette (\$100)
 - Online Scheduling Program for scheduling interviews (\$50)

Fundraisers

- White Squirrel Pizza night?
- Rock the Playground: Paused until we can do as per plans
- Are there other community vendors who we could partner with for fundraising?
 - Please contact Ashley with ideas

Principal Report

- *Christmas Feast, Shrove Tuesday*
 - Parents/volunteers still a hurdle
 - Wondering: Is there another option for community building at Christmas time in lieu of Christmas dinner?
 - Christmas craft kit (students to create to give at Christmas time)
 - Ashley to connect with committee members for other ideas
- *School funds*
 - Money spent to align with goals on school improvement plan
 - Whipebooks
 - White boards
 - Math resources (number line)
- *Health & Safety Update*
 - If a child is sick and symptomatic they must stay home (with siblings)
 - If student falls ill at school, they go home with their siblings
- *Lake Huron Catholic Family of Parishes*
 - Call the parish office. Speak with Erica re: sacramental prep (First Communion, Reconciliation)
 - One class will be joining Friday mass beginning soon
- *Student Parliament*
 - Halloween Parade on Friday October 29th

- Haunted House (lead by Mr. Becker)
- *Emergency Drills complete*
- *Diagnostic testing occurring:* Woodcock Johnson, Psychoeducational assessments

Policies for Parents to Review:

- Go to board website: see "Board Policies"
 - Concussion Policy
 - Harassment Policy

Grants to Explore:

- Canada Post
 - Up to \$5000
 - Application must be submitted by March