

## **Father Lacombe School Council AGENDA**



**Date: April 14, 2025**

**Time: 6:30-8:00pm**

**Father Lacombe School - Food Studies Room**

**Start 6:35pm**

### **1. Welcome & Prayer**

-Prayer by trustee, Donna

### **2. Introductions**

-introductions to the new student rep, Aloura

### **3. Approval of March 2025 Minutes**

-motioned by Leigh, seconded by Kristie, all in favor

### **4. Approval of Agenda**

-Donna has asked to move from item 12 to 5, and have a student report moved from item 11 to 8. Jenna motioned the move, seconded by Kelsey, all in favor

### **5. Trustee Report**

**\*action: attach Donna's report**

### **6. Old Business**

#### **1. Christmas Concert**

-The staff decided to keep the concert at the Catholic church, but will make decisions later on about the amount of time between performances, etc.

#### **2. Field Trip donation for 25/26**

-fee guide cannot be changed for this year. But Stephanie will look into increasing it a little for next year to help off set the need for council to contribute such a large amount each year

#### **3. Trickster Theatre donation**

-the application has been submitted. The theatre needed a full 6 weeks of uninterrupted time, so that would fall between February to mid March 2026. Council will help with some fundraisers to help pay the fee and the school will allocate the money for the rest of the funds needed.

## **7. New Business**

### **a. Administrative day April 23**

-an idea was proposed to council to give a small gift to the admin assistants for Administrative Assistant Day. Upon further discussion we decided to table the idea until next year so that we can include all special faculty days.

### **b. Mother's Day tea May 9 after assembly**

-motion from Cecilia to have a budget of \$100 to buy snacks etc for the Mother's Day tea after the assembly on May 9th. Seconded by Kaylee, all in favor.

**\*Action: put notice of mothers day tea in the newsletter**

## **8. Student Report**

-The Legion poster contest winners were announced.

-badminton has started for grades 7-9

-students are preparing for the "Chill Fair" in May for mental health awareness. The older students will showcase ways to stay calm and relax to the younger students.

## **9. Parents Questions** (Please submit at min. one week prior to fl.schoolcouncil@starcatholic.ab.ca)

## **10. Chair Report**

### **a. ASCA AGM, Voting on resolutions**

-Laurel has volunteered to attend the AGM via zoom this year

- Kristie motioned to pass on voting as council on the resolutions this year, seconded by Kelsey, all in favor.

## **11. Admin Report**

### **a. 2025/2026 Enrollment**

-enrollment is on par for next year with approximately 275 students. There doesn't seem to be a need yet for a second Kindergarten for the 25/26 year.

### **b. Kindergarten/Music/Grade 1 staffing update**

-it is in the budget to keep the kindergarten class split for grade 1, and the grade 4 class will split in grade 5.

c. Maria update

-Maria is still resting and consulting with doctors. No return date has been confirmed as of yet. We keep her in our prayers.

## **12. Teacher Report**

- a. Students are transitioning from basketball to badminton and there is a ton of interest from students.
- b. Kindergarten and Grade 1 teachers have had their babies and both are happy and healthy.
- c. Scholastic book fair raises about \$100 for each class to purchase new books.

## **13. Fundraising Committee Report**

- a. Bottle drive - didn't bring in a ton of money, but the bottle depot manager opened their fundraising bottle bin to be donated to Father Lacombe this month.
- b. Hot lunch. Gwen was not in attendance, so we will get her report at next month's meeting.
- c. Oodles of Chocolate Fundraiser update. There were 22 orders that came in, raising \$1,500, giving the council \$469.28 in profit. Well done.
- d. Mabel's Labels (May with school supply list). This fundraiser opportunity will be added to the school supply list that will be handed out next week to students.

## **14. Treasurer Report**

- No report this month as Gwen was not in attendance.

## **15. Closing Comments:**

**Next Meeting Scheduled for Tuesday May 27 @ 6:30pm**

**End 7:48pm**