

The SAC Meeting commenced 5:34 p.m.

Attendees:

Christine Vince, Principal; Joanna Schipper, Assistant Principal; Kate Faught, Chair; Emily Kaminsky, Treasurer; Brian Lema, Secretary; Amanda Campbell; Audrey Hanna; Jasmine Winter

1) Welcome

- a. **Opening Prayer** – Led by Kate Faught
- b. **Treaty Six Acknowledgement** – Led by Kate Faught
- c. **Introductions** – Led by Kate Faught
- d. **Approval of Agenda**

Amanda moved to accept the agenda, Emily seconded. All in favour. Carried.

- e. **Approval of Minutes from the Sep 26 SAC AGM**

Emily moved to accept the agenda with an amendment to the Casino balance, Amanda seconded. All in favour. Carried.

2) Administrator Report – Christine Vince

Christine gave the following updates:

Celebrations:

- ☐ We will host the Demo of Learning In Person
- ☐ Lifetouch Photos went well
- ☐ Large donation of cereal boxes for ECSD schools in need

Updates & Information:

- ☐ Have you voted on the Winspear Experience?
- ☐ Do you have a copy of your bylaws? Would you be interested in having ASCA come to a meeting with the grant money to update bylaws?
- ☐ We have the \$2,275 left over from the playground (St. Monica donation) that is in our deferred revenue and can be spent. How would you like to spend it? Put towards something you have already approved?
- ☐ Judy will have invoices ready for the items approved from last year (June) that haven't been invoiced.

Thank you:

- ☐ Hot lunch was a success!

Upcoming Events:

November 1 - All Saints Day

November 2 - All Souls Day

Alberta Musical Theatre - Jack and the Beanstalk - 9:30 AM - 10:40 AM

Demonstration of Learning 4:30 - 7:30 p.m. Please book your 30-minute time online.

November 6 - Daylight Saving Time Ends. Turn your clock back one hour

November 6 - Catholic Education Sunday

November 7 - Grade 6 Immunizations

Grade 5 to No Stone Left Alone Ceremony - Beechmount Cemetery

Grade 1 - Clay for Kids - In School Fieldtrip

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Grade 2A- Visit to Riverbend Library

November 10 - Remembrance Day Celebration - 10:50 a.m. in School Gym. Please join us.

All Uniformed First Responders are invited to attend as special guests

November 11 - Remembrance Day - No Classes

November 14-15 Fall Break - No Classes

November 14 - 18 Annual Metis Week

November 16 - Lifetouch Individual Photos Retakes

November 24 - Gr 2 Creative Adventures Caravan In School Fieldtrip

November 25 - School Observation of Holodomor

November 27 - First Sunday of Advent -

November 28 - First Advent Celebration - gym - time TBA

November 30 - Dress as your favorite Holy Hero or wear blue for St. Mary

December 4 - Second Sunday of Advent

December 5 - Advent Celebration

December 11 - Third Sunday of Advent

December 12 - Advent Celebration

December 14 - Full Day Kindergarten (Optional)

Christmas Concert 6 p.m.

December 18 - Fourth Sunday of Advent

December 19 - Advent Celebration

December 22 - Full Day of School Thursday - Dismissal at 2:54 p.m. /Pajama Day & Pancake Breakfast

December 23 - Early Dismissal before Christmas Break – dismissal at 11:59 a.m.

Whole School to St. Thomas More for Mass at 9:30

December 26 – January 6 CHRISTMAS BREAK

Questions / Comments

- Kate stated that we would benefit from an ACSA meeting. Christine will follow up with the representative.

3) Financial Report

Emily reported that the Casino account stands at \$88,087.80 and the Operating account is at \$6,902.54.

4) SAC Community Building Initiatives

Moved to next meeting

5) Fundraising

Kate will set up a separate group to plan the raffle baskets for the Christmas concert

6) New Business

Emily made a motion to spend up to \$3,500 out of the Casino Account for up to 260 students to attend the Winspear Experience and provide bussing. Seconded by Jasmine. Carried.

Meeting adjourned 6:33 p.m.

Next SAC Meeting: November 28, 2022 @ 6 PM