St. Michael Catholic School Council Virtual Meeting
Thursday December 15, 2022
6:30 – 8:00 pm

*“We would like to asknowledge that this is the sacred territory of the Mississaugas of Credit First Nation, and we thank them for being stewards of this land “*

**In Attendance:** Mr.Tantalo, T.Vincent, Maria Moran, Gabriella, Diane Borelli, Mike Brunetto, C.Lindsay, Vanessa Eliseo, Josie Lorenzon, Natalia Agostino, Debbie Famele

Opening prayer (5min)

**Approval of previous minutes**: Gabriella, Diane

**Teachers report:**

1) Vanessa Eliseo – updates on students life

2) T.Vincent – updates on Chaplaincy:

- school mass for Advent, open mass

- raised money for gift-cards $800 to local families

- Chaplaincy group Wings-of-Faith had Advent activities

**Principal report: Mr.Tantalo**

* the new VP at school C.Lindsay, welcome
* Ms.Tania Altieri was promoted for VP at St.Thomas Aquinas school
* first bus cancellation today due to weather
* gates installed for parking lot, custodian team will be in charge to close/open gates
* washrooms been monitored; still continue to be a case then max occupancy – 3 at the time to monitor the groupings

**Co-chairs report:**

1) **Maria** – updates on:

- Pizza fund raising, different company the Pizza Panini could come to school for future fund raising

\*VP C.Lindsay suggested Krispy Kreme as option

- March 2, 2023 date for Paul Davis presentation at school on Cyber Safety,

Other local schools are sharing the cost of fee $1000, that comes $200 per school, each of them to send money here at our school.

Paul Davis will address his presentation for parents of community at the meeting; parents can bring kids too. His presentation will touch base on various topics like Social media, Cyber Safety, Sexting/ Child Pornography, Digital Trails, Smartphones, Online Security and more.

Paul relates to kids as a father figure during his speech. All his presentations are targeted so that each audience leaves with a wealth of knowledge and empowerment for their respective age level.

\*Voted in favour by Maria, Debbie, Natalia, - Motion approved

**Mr.Tantalo shared**: Student Council has some updates on Instagram, process and suggestions in how to prepare for exams; Monday/Tuesday tutoring after school

\*Parent question: Debbie asked regarding info for Grads

Mr.Tantalo: June 28 – Prom, June 29 – Grad ceremony, it will be advertised; School-cash-online available after Christmas for payment.

Academic awards will be done later, reports are going into a new system now, we will know after January who is a winner, by February reports would be generated, right now we don’t have access to old system.

2) Mike – updates on:

- ruffle draw not going tonight due to inclement weather, hopefully next Monday

- Mr.Tantalo will send thank-you note to community

-next meeting in February

**Treasurer report**: Dianne Borelli

* $1757 in the bank,
* we had $767.11 as an opening balance in the beginning
* $500 – Parent Engagement Grand
* $400 – income, we made on Christmas baskets
* $162.00 – debit -Visits to Town of Caledon-PIP students Invoice##

Questions/Answers

Mr.Tantalo on behalf of administration, thank you to parents and community, happy and blessed holidays.

Closing prayer

Adjournments