

School Council Minutes September 19th, 2023



Christ the King School

Chair: Agatha Lesage

Recorder: Mandy Rantucci

Trustee: Dawn Miller

Teacher Rep: Nageeb Khawaja

Attendance: Nicole Russell, Corinne Keller, Dean Heck, Mandy Rantucci, Agatha, Dawn Miller

Opening Prayer: (Dean)

O Holy Spirit, source of truth and grace for those entrusted with the development of our children, enlighten our minds, strengthen our wills, and fill our hearts with generosity so that our homes, our parishes and our schools may co-operate effectively with you, and with one another in the exalted mission of catholic education. We make our prayer through Christ, Our Lord.

Amen.

Treaty Acknowledgement: (Mandy)

We respectfully acknowledge that Christ the King School is located on Treaty 6 territory and traditional lands of First Nations and Métis people whose footsteps have marked this territory for centuries. All of us who live and work here benefit from the signing of this Treaty and have a responsibility to ensure that the spirit of Treaty 6 is honoured and respected.

Items for Discussion:

- School Report (Mr. Heck)
 - Enrollment for all grades 408 - Question to capacity of school. Dean will find this out for our next meeting.
 - Aviation is almost all set up. Hardware is in, just waiting for the install of software - We will continue to look at offering interesting options to attract students to our high school.
 - New video wall in the gym - was on display for our first school Mass today.
 - School events hosted - The Welcome Back barbecue had more students than parents in attendance. We will look at a different structure for next year as we would like to see families attend along with their kids.
 - Outreach move and renovation is almost complete - Attached to CTK but its own space. Access and security are separate. This is making it much easier for students to get to Outreach to work on their module classes.

Events:

- Welcome Back BBQ September 15th.
- Upcoming events report at Christ the King: (Mandy Rantucci)
 - Terry Fox Walk - October 3rd
 - Division Learning Day October 6th

- Orange Shirt Day - Sept 28
 - October 16th picture retake day - Pictures should be available by the end of the week with the link sent home.
 - Parent teacher interviews - 1st Session **Oct 19**
 - Volleyball teams have been made and the season is underway. Great turnout for all teams. Senior teams have a tournament this weekend. Golf team - one golfer played today.
 - Senior Travel trip being planned for an International trip for next year (2024-2025) Grade 10-12.
- Board Report: Trustee - Board approved Grade 9 field trip to Victoria. Board Meeting tomorrow at 1:30.
 - school council dates (third tuesday of the month) - Dean will check with Father Leduc to ensure our times and dates are okay.
 - November 21st 6:00
 - January 16th 6:30
 - March 19th 6:30
 - May 21st 6:30
 - Other items to discuss
 - CTK is starting to send out a week at a glance to families on Sunday. We can put important school information in that announcement . Just email Dean
 - **Feedback** - Parents like the Week at a Glance - we will continue with this and remind teachers to get their items into the Weekly.

Discussion Items:

- Facebook Page to be set up - Mandy will look into linking to the Facebook page / add the Week at a Glance to the Insta and Facebook.
- Keep in mind that we are looking for a dynamic speaker to bring into the school

****Next Meeting Date is November 21st at 6:00**
Mandy will bring a snack to the meet