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CSC Meeting Minutes (6:30pm – 8:00pm) December 9, 2020

Time	Topic	Owner
6:30	Land Acknowledgment: Opening Prayer:	S. Blackmore
6:35	Opening Business: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Call meeting to order Approve previous meeting's minutes – November 2020 	Approved by: L. Valente & C. Owusu-Gyimah
6:40	Principal's Comments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Covid-19 Updates – There were 2 classroom closures due to a positive covid-19 test. Both classrooms stayed home learning from remote/on-line for 14 days until January 4th, 2021. Covid-19 Restrictions- Peel Region remains in lock down. Peel Public Health, has updated their "Symptom Assessment Protocol Check list" for students before arriving to school. If anyone is exhibiting just 1 of the symptoms from the check list. All members of the house hold should stay home for 10 – 14 days and Isolate pending Covid-19 test results. There is no spread in schools. Churches have closed. For 1st Communion/Confirmation information, please call Church or see https://stmargueritedyouville.archtoronto.org/ website. Church hopes to restart sacraments once lock down restrictions lessen. November School Reorganization - There is a total of 220 Students at FCT, 33 Students in Remote Learning, 112 Students in Hybrid Model, & 75 Students In-person learning. There are 8 each Face to Face classes. Teachers on remote learning are: Mrs. Bowles, Mrs. Najem, Mrs. Lukavecki, Madame Medvidovic. In-person teacher for Hybrid grade 6/7 – Mrs. La Rosa from St. John Paul II Remote learners have been mostly together from our school. Currently no ESL, FSL or Librarian/Planning Time teacher (SES/Health) assigned. Either a supply teacher 	S. Blackmore

	<p>where possible to fill in or this block can be used as a Work Period. Lack of supply teachers available.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students able to switch from In-person to Hybrid Model – When possible, please allow 48-hour notice for office to arrange it and for teachers to prepare materials needed for students. Must verify at school if you plan to change method of learning. Call school to verify. • Cameras are on all day to make sure kids are learning. Mics turned off at the start. Exceptions; Camera & Mics off only for daily announcements b/c improves quality. • Advent Activities – December is the Virtue of HOPE! Virtual School Mass held on December 16th, at 9:15am on St. Marguerite d'Youville Youtube Chanel families to join in. https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCZysm9ZXZdYHgK7P9OCzx1Q • Sacraments for grades 2 and 7 postponed for now with information to follow from the parish when they can be updated. • Christmas Week Advent activities - Selfie Week, families continue to send in their photos and videos for our Virtual Christmas Event. We are having our Announcements online; Prayers, O'Canada, and daily Birthday acknowledgments. We continue as a school community to focus on Wellness using Mr. Rogers core beliefs. Afternoon Announcements continue daily with Christen Meditation, 2 minutes of silence, and Catholic guided closing songs. • The Rosary Apostolate – Are not visiting schools b/c of covid-19. They will be holding prayers once a month on their YouTube channel located here: https://www.youtube.com/channel/Uckj8m2-NZkMaIRt51WPam1Q They will provided a special medallion for students. So lovely! • Helping Hands Drive – Thank you to all who have generously helped with our drive. We have some 4 FCT families who have been identified as needing assistance. Those whom are still able to help, please do so by; December 15th or if possible, sooner. We have been able to collect through donations the following this far: 2- printers, 2-lpads, and \$400.00 dollars worth of gift cards. Since we expect a possible increase in our families needs after the holidays, we have decided to hold on to any unused gift cards, and use them <p>Con't</p>	
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> to continue support our families with there needs, before sending them to our Church. 	
6:45	<p>Chairperson's and Council member Comments –</p> <p>Q. Where are the Students keeping their belongs, i.e; Snow boots and pants? How are they managing?</p> <p>A. Keeping most coats and belongs at desk, with staggered cubby use. Snow boots are being kept in the hallway with 1 metre apart marked distance.</p>	Council Members
7:00	<p>New Business - Follow up at January's Meeting.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fundraising – Council will look into which App method is best for raising funds for our School. Options are: FlipGive https://www.flipgive.com/ and Fundscrip https://www.fundscrip.com/ (January's Agenda) Breaks/Clubs – To be presented at School Staff meeting. (January's Agenda) Family Paint Night – To look into what host other schools who have held an Art night have used in the past. (January's Agenda) Pre-Existing Commitments (Budget) – Sacraments 1st Communion/Confirmation (last year \$45.00) For our grade 2/7 classes CSC will be giving celebratory gifts to all students. -<u>Agendas</u> for all students (last year \$1,967.00) purchase by CSC. This year CSC to pay half. Consider giving additional money to teachers to upgrade for kids in classrooms. School Budget SGF (School Generated Funds) - \$3,279.00 for this year. Awarded for last year \$522.63. Looking into Chair Grant for the School Year. Budget for this year – (SGF 20/21 school year – Sharelife, \$200.00, Also a school donation to the following; Terry Fox and Poppy Day. School games - \$1,500.00, Graduation - \$1,550.00, Families in need - \$500.00, Agendas - \$1,000.00, AussieX - \$334.00. Consideration – Virtual Guest Speaker. Past budgets can be found on our FCT school website: https://www.dpcdsb.org/FCTIP SGF, School Board Venders to purchase computers – Family pro-grant. January 13th, 2021 – Agenda, Fun Fair – Virtual Saturday Event! 	Council Members & S. Blackmore
7:30	Additional thoughts	S. Blackmore

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children's School Yard – During outdoor breaks, once class at a time per yard space, in their same class cohort. Most students don't see each other throughout their school day, due to cohorts. School continues to start at 8:30am. School doors are unlocked from 8:15am to 8:30am for student arrivals. *Please be on time* • Goals/Gym – We will remain to be as active as possible, with all Covid-19 protocols in place. We continue to use outside yards and when possible, our school Gym. We will not be sharing any school equipment, as it will need to be cleaned between every class use, following directives, and times may not permit. Teachers have continued to use Movement Apps to encourage and aid them in physical activities. 	
8:00	Adjourn meeting	S. Blackmore
	Next Meeting Wednesday, January 13, 2021	Date to be presented