

LSC Minutes
January 21st, 2025

Attendance: Mr. Palahicky, Erica, Allison, Stephen, Teresa, and Kian

Apologies: Renita, Fr. Alfie, Mrs. Amos, and Brianna

Minutes: Teresa

Opening Prayer: Erica

Approval of Minutes: Kian and Stephen

Approval of Agenda: Kian and Allison

Correspondence: Nothing

Administrator Report

The report is attached for more details.

Wednesday will be a school mass.

Pro D development for teachers is a literacy webinar. Discussion occurred around the possibility of LSC receiving a summary of sessions.

Catholic Schools Week February 3-7th. LSC to provide coffee and treats for the staff on Feb 6th.

Teacher development on February 7th will focus on universal designs of learning and other planned events.

Tri-Council reached out about a possible meeting in March.

Extra-curricular activities: badminton, swimming, volleyball, musical, and dancing. Grade seven had an amazing race on Friday and it was well-received by students and parents.

A grade four teacher going on Maternity leave and a new teacher has been hired.

Mark Nolin has retired and Pansy Bennet has taken on his 3 hours.

Victoria Tri-Council

Erica will follow up with Angela about goals for a meeting in March.

Committee Reports

PSG Liaison

Report attached.

January meeting cancelled. February meeting to take place before the Digital workshop.

February 6th Music Bingo

Finance

Nothing to report

Building and Grounds

Light pole damage by MVA last year is now fixed.

Uniforms and Marketing

No used uniform sales till late February or Before spring break.

New space found for used uniforms storage. Uniforms have been moved and will be purged.

Parish Liaison

Absent

Teresa to request an email go out to the Parishes to promote Sister Act.

Chair

No new business

Secretary

Absent and nothing to report

The meeting adjourned at 7:18 pm.

Principal's Report

Local School Council

January 21, 2025

- Reconciliation in action- January 1 First Nations Group (Ahousat) use of the gym
- Enrolment is still 373.
- School wide Mass on Wednesday, January 22
- Pro D on January 24- local- focus on literacy. Another ICS Pro D at SARHS on February 7th on Universal Design of Learning
- Catholic Schools Week February 2-7. Different events planned.
- Active extra-curricular: Badminton, swimming, volleyball, musical, dancing (festival)
- Tri- council initiative - hoping to meet in March.
- Construction of our New ELC is coming in January. A number of adjustments for our staff: notably access to the gym only from the tarmac outside, loss of 1/2 the front yard, adjustments of entry now that the corner back entrance will be closed. Used uniform and Hot Lunch Rooms temporarily located in downstairs Storage Room.
- Mark Nolin handed in retirement notice- his 3 hrs has been offered to our other employee Pansy Bennet
- Ms. Audibert will be going on Maternity leave starting March 1.

Thank you for your support.

Glen Palahicky

Principal

**PSG Liaison Report
January 2025 LSC Meeting**

PSG meeting Dec 10, 2024

Used Uniforms \$1538.50
Hoodies \$740.00 - P.E. Dept.
Bake Sale YTD \$1005.00
Gaming \$18,709.09
General \$51,471.36

Art Cards
Early deadline - will revisit next year

Christmas Concert seat auction
Sharon Allen (afternoon)
Jenn Souter (evening)

Parking Lot Auction
Deferred till 2025 due to construction

Welcome Class Reps

Bingo Night Feb 6th - Food @ 530 pm
Bingo 6-8 (Hilary McIntyre)

B&C Foods Fundraiser (Spring 2025)
Looking for a champion.

Fundraisers to come:
Musical - March 6th, 7th & 8th
Spring Mini Photo sessions - Date TBA
Tiki Tiki - June 13th

Parent Education Night
Feb 11th following 6:15 pm PSG meeting

Rec programs:
Gymnastics, swimming, skating, and bowling.

Next Meeting Feb 11th, 2024 (January meeting cancelled)

Sincerely,
Stephen W.
Local School Council PSG Liaison