

## Parent Council Meeting held October 21st/2024

### **Part 1:**

#### **Welcome, Prayer and Approval**

Call to order 6:09@pm by Lauren Unrau

**Attendance:** Ed Kucy (Principal), Nancy Morgan (Assistant Principal), Ted Paszek (EICS Trustee), Marysia Waritsky, Andrea Minarchi, Rachel McMaster (Staff), Leanne Evans (Staff), Lauren Unrau, Jeff McDonald, Jessica Khoeli, Randa Rempel, Charlene Zacharuk, Nicole Hartley and Ciara Stickle

Welcome and Opening Prayer by Ed Kucy

Treaty Acknowledgement by Ciara Stickle

Introductions by All

Approval of meeting minutes Sept 16<sup>th</sup>/2024 - Approved by Andrea Minarchi/ Marysia Waritsky 2<sup>nd</sup>

Approval of agenda October 21<sup>st</sup>/2024 - Approved by Andrea Minarchi/ Marysia Waritsky 2<sup>nd</sup>

\*Adding Staff Wish list to the agenda- Approved by Andrea Minarchi/ Marysia Waritsky 2<sup>nd</sup>

### **Part 2: School Updates**

#### **Staff Updates by Leanne Evans and Rachel McMaster**

-Both teachers are having a great start to the year and loving working together teaching grade 6.

- See Attachment for Kindergarten to Grade 8 School Updates

#### **Administration Report by Ed Kucy**

-Thanked Leanne and Rachel for coming to our meeting. It's been great seeing them work together teaching our grade 6's.

-Been a busy month at our school since our last meeting.

-Teaching mass with father jim at OLPH Church went very well.

-Nancy and Ed went to an EICS retreat for administration at Pigeon Lake and it was a great 2 days.

-PD day had ever active come and join them, which was an amazing day for teachers.

-November will have meet the teacher the week before our fall break Wednesday and Thursday.

-We had a truth and reconciliation day with Mr Arcand doing a hoop presentation and the kids really enjoyed it.

\*\*\*-Nancy Morgan has started doing Gr. 2 to 6 pull outs for extra literacy based on the results from their assessments currently.

#### **District Updates by Ted Paszek- EICS Trustee**

-His role is to be present and to represent the board. As a trustee this is nice to be able to come and attend.

-They have a meeting in camrose this upcoming week and changes throughout the 4 locations every month.

-Camrose and Fort Saskatchewan has had a big growth this year.

-Opening day was a great success at the beginning of the year.

-Catholic education is so important and they are keeping the pressure on the government for more funding.

-He made a note that the Rooted in Christ theme artwork was designed by a grade 9 student at ABJ.

-He added a fact that 30% of the population have students in school currently.

-Any questions please reach out and he's very grateful we invited to the meeting.

**Meeting Adjourned 6:43@p.m**