



St. Simon Stock Catholic School Council Minutes of the Meeting – February 1, 2024

In attendance: G. Roy (non-voting), A. Belmonte, J. Guzzo, X. Robinson, P. Power, V. Slusarczyk, A. Mauro, T. Benko, J. Joseph, M. Lariviere, S. Mazzeo, V. Correia, M. Dias, D. Capicotto (14 voting members present)
Absent: J. Lopez, K. Ejzenchart

Opening prayer, welcome, and introductions

Review and approval of November 20, 2024 meeting minutes:

- ✓ Motion to vote – 14 votes
- ✓ Motion to approve – 14 votes

Teacher's report (Ms. Guzzo and Mrs. Belmonte)

- Upcoming term 1 report cards and parent-teacher conferences
- Spirit week and 100 days of school celebration
- Planning for Grade 8 graduation trip

OAPCE representative report (V. Slusarczyk)

- Shared the OAPCE newsletter and resources
- OAPCE Dufferin-Peel regional meetings are held virtually and/or in-person
- OAPCE annual conference in April

Parish report (A. Mauro)

- Reconciliation and First Holy Communion for Grade 2s, Confirmation for Grade 7s
- Rosary bracelet workshop on February 26

Chair's report (X. Robinson)

- Thank you to the school community for the generous donations to the Angel on the Tree Christmas donation drive! Toys, gift cards, and grocery cards were donated to EveryMind that is a charitable organization that works with families in need
- Pancake Tuesday on February 13
- Volunteers needed to prepare and serve pancakes
- Exploring options for spring fundraiser
- Suggestions: chocolates, doughnuts, pizza kits, popcorn, cookbook, cookies, etc.

Principal's Report (Mrs. Roy)

- Barry Communications will install the new sound system this month (funds raised in 2022-2023 school year)
- Sports teams update (soccer, basketball), School clubs update (chess, board games)
- Ski lessons optional, paid activity
- Eco Club update
- Black history month initiative lead by Ms. Bascomb
- Morning broadcast: Organized and anchored by the Grade 8s