

CSAC Meeting - December 3rd, 2020 (6pm start time)

In Attendance: Dan Gracey, Shawn Terpstra, Christina Boscarato, Annette Muir, Lisa Hartman, Melissa Barton, Nancy Wojcik, Sarah Becker

Principal's Report - Dan

- First Week of Advent - Week of Hope, student artwork
- Prayer
- Inclement Weather - usually our school stays open, when in town buses are cancelled, school is closed, devices may potentially be sent home but its a TUN of work to organize this
- OurSchoolBuses App is being pushed for informational purposes about bussing, App will buzz in the morning if bus is cancelled for whatever reason - weather, driver shortage. It's the Transportation Consortium that dictates when buses are cancelled, the HPCDSB dictates when the schools are closed. App information shared about steps to set up.
- Health Unit Update - COVID, "School Outbreak" is declared when COVID has transmitted from school. Staff wear PPE always. A nurse came last week and evaluated our school - we are doing well, but need to work on spacing on the stairwells (only one direction at a time)
- Gifts From the Heart - Program run by parent volunteers who are able to continue this program which has been going on for years. Gifts will be coming home! CSAC has paid for this - many thanks!
- "Fill Our Stable, Spread the Light" Fundraiser - a great success! Thanks to all who have donated so far! We are \$35 away from \$1000!!! Additional money will go to our local Salvation Army
- Water Filling station - is a go. Perhaps being installed over Christmas Break. Thank you CSAC for approving the purchase of a water filling station.
- Graduate Artwork - from Paint & Palette - Is this something that CSAC would sponsor? Could small groups go to Paint & Palette? Could parents walk a class?
- Congratulations to the CPIC Recipient "Volunteer of the Year" - Monique Huitema for her involvement with the school flowerbeds. We are so grateful for her talents and hardwork!

Open Discussion:

- Perhaps students can attend Mass in the parish hall on Thursdays at 10am
- Shawn volunteered to call Father David to see if the Grade 7/8s can get into the Church to record for the Nativity Play
- Melissa Barton motioned that Shawn Terpstra be reimbursed for the sleds. Seconded by Lisa Hartman.
- Sarah Becker going to contact Erin @ Paint & Palette to see what can be organized for canvas artwork outside of the office for this school year

Meeting adjourned at 7:01pm