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PARENT INVOLVEMENT COMMITTEE Meeting

St. Michael CHS-Library, Kemptville September 28, 2016 at 5:00 p.m.

Minutes

Present

John Cameron Kathryn Ferguson Jason Harps Jennifer Cooney

Julie Marshall

Regrets

Bill Gartland Joe Lalonde Robin Reil Laura Gerow

- 1. Prayer
- 2. Welcome and Introductions
 - Superintendent John Cameron led the opening prayer and welcomed the committee to the meeting.
- 3. Catholic School Council Summit Thursday, October 27, 2016
 - ▶ John Cameron, Superintendent of School Effectiveness reviewed this year's CSC Summit agenda and workshops were shared with PIC members. Positive feedback from PIC on the workshops. Review of the Memo to Principals and Catholic School Council Chairs was reviewed. This will be sent out September 29, 2016.
 - Jason Harps mentioned that he has been hearing good things about the summit.
- 4. Parents Reaching Out Grants 2016-2017
 - Superintendent Cameron shared a summary of 2016-2017 approved grants with the committee.
- 5. Parents Reaching Out Grants 2016-2017 Regional Provincial Grant
 - Superintendent Cameron shared that the PIC was successful in receiving a 10,000 grant. He asked members for suggestions on guest speakers and potential purchases.
 - Potential Speakers: Dr. Michael Cheng, Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario and Lynda Colgan, Associate Prof at Queen's University

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- 6. "Inspiring Your Child to Learn and Love Math" resource from CODE (http://www.ontariodirectors.ca/parent_engagement-math/en/index.htm)
 - Superintendent Cameron shared that the Math resource has been purchased for schools
 - Kits will be distributed at the PIC Summit.
 - Superintendent Cameron will connect with creator of resource Lynda Colgan to try and have her come to PIC Summitt.
- 7. OAPCE 2016-2017 Membership Fees
 - Superintendent Cameron asked the committee if they were interested in covering the cost of the yearly membership. The committee agreed to pay the 2016-2017 fees.
- 8. CDSBEO Renewed Mathematics Strategy Update
 - > Superintendent Cameron spoke about the Renewed Mathematics Strategy and the ongoing work our CDSBEO teams are doing.
- 9. Articles pertaining to EQAO
 - Superintendent Cameron shared a couple of articles on math from recent newspaper publications
- 10. Budget
 - Superintendent Cameron reviewed the budget
- 11. Other Business
- 12. Next meeting:
 - Date TBD
- 13. Adjournment