St. Anthony's School Council

October 14th, 2026

Time @ 1910

1.Welcome and Introductions

Principle Celeste Schrock
Vice Principles: Susan Currie
Chair: Véronique Ram
Vice-Chair: Julia MacDermid
Treasure: not present
Secretary: Kia Stahl
Trustee: Louise Henrickson
Teacher Representative: Mr. Rowland
Parents In person: Fatima Rivera, Jennifer Zacharuk, Ally Dekeyser, Brittany Gendron, Ally Ens, Kael Dalton
Online: Sadie Williams, Chidinma Asogwa

2. Opening Prayer, Land Acknowledgement, Mission Statement

3. School Presentation- Technology at St. Anthonys

- K-3 technology is used as an instructional aid, to promote education, literacy, encourage movement etc.
- Grade 3 will start learn how to use chrome books for research this year. Controlled and limited access online. Later in the year students will learn how to make a google doc or slideshow.
- Grade 4-6 start to create slideshow presentations, teacher has access to all google classrooms through their lens. Learning how to do research and type on the computer.
- Grade 4-9 teacher use google classroom to post homework, Only kids can join google classroom.
- Google classroom for homework, powerschool will show the grade. Students Grade 7 and up can login to powerschool to check grades independently.
- Grade 4 and up parents can get an email for daily or weekly notifications for homework.
- School uses a protected domain. On school wifi social media is blocked.
- Mobile device for grade 7-12 used during non instructional time only.
- Elementary school have to keep phones in locker. No apple watches.

4. School Update - Celeste Schrock

- Ward meeting brought together school and parish leaders for meaningful conversation about catholic education at St. Anthony's School. Ward meeting included Father Lukas, Father Ian, Louise Henrickson, Veronique Ram, Celeste Schrock and Superintendent Dr. Andrea Holowka. Meet three times in the year. Opportunity to share update about the school, parish and parent council.
- School will start taking students by bus to the church for mass. More information to follow.
- Christmas Concert Dates December 9th K-grade 1.

- December 14th Grade 2,3,4.
- December 15th Grade 5,6 band and junior band.
- Catholic Education week Oct 18-23
- Post Secondary Fair October 23rd start 8:30- 10 AM 25 tables total in Padua Hall. For Grade 10,11,12

5. Update from chair- Veronique Ram
- Halloween Dance 5-7pm on December 23rd.
- Veronique put motion for $500 for dance, Julia second motion. Julia to bring float for sales.
- DJ to arrive at 4pm. People will come at 4pm to decorate. Mrs. Currie will open doors.
- Kia to organize craft table
- Have concession set up to sell chips, pop, juice and glow sticks.
- Sign in sheet for parents and kids. Adult to stay and supervise.
- Will advertise for families to bring cash.

6. Fundraising Update – Julia McDermid
- Growing smiles 29 orders so far. Profit so far is $484.20 kindergarten class in lead with 23 sold Senior high students have sold 12 plants.
- Team fund meat fundraiser open February 1st open for 36 days. Ends march 8th delivery march 17th. 11-2pm
- Mr. Rowland presented created by kids fundraiser. Kids upload art and parents buy products. Will start in January 2027.

7. Board of Trustee Update- Louise Henrickson
- Teachers provided new faith toolkits. Working on strategic plan- identified faith and governance as learning focus for 2026-2027.
- New Teacher Orientation in August welcomed 45 new teachers, introducing them to CTR's faith-centred culture.
- Community hands out $30,000 scholarships for grade 12, school is very grateful for community support. Highlighted the generous donations from the community to help students further their education.
- Policy development and review. All policies are reviewed every 3 years.
- Next meeting October 23rd for board of trustees.

8. Financial Update- Rithesh Ram
- Closing balance $18,169.28
- Veronique put motion forward to cover cost of award nigh medals $3,172.05 Julia second motion.

9. News from Parish
- Registration open for First Communion
- Parish is fundraising money to cover cost of Bell Tower renovations.

Meeting commenced @ 2015
Next meeting date – November 18th @ 1900