

Blessed Sacrament School Parent Council Meeting
 Wednesday February 11th, 2026
 7:30 pm

Members in attendance:

Katie Hines Alicia Givens	Brooke Botting Zoey Heltner	Victoria Laurie Nancy S
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Melissa Marr Mark Finocchio

Opening Prayer	Began 7:34pm Led by Melissa
Last meeting minutes	Meeting notes approved by Brooke and Zoey
Principal Report (Mark)	<p>Communion retreat for Gr 2s in connection with students from St. Teresa.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Ran by the CWL at the diocese with a pizza lunch (April 8) -Schools to begin running retreats for their students <p>Playground Equipment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -SGF cannot purchase a playground -Private donations required -Minimum cost is 60,000\$ <p>Septic Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Agreed to add drainage to the field this summer -Waiting on the "Provincial Go Ahead" <p>Will be "caught up" with Shelly's absence with the new admin.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Accessing money for council, contact Vanessa while Shelly is away. <p>Bussing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Adjusted bus line up for student safety -Deliveries are stopped during drop off and pick up <p>Snow removal</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Touched base with board in regards to safety of the snow and ice <p>Kickstart for Kindergarten</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Still waiting for update -If approved, then held before March Break

Teacher Report (Melissa)	McKay requested for graduation budget increased to 100-200\$ -200\$ to be provided on top of 500\$ for Graduation. -all members approved Intermediate Science material requested (thermometers). -Council to review materials and costs. Still investigating curling kits.
Financial Report	None at this time
Family Bingo (Zoey)	-Tentative date to be the third week of April at 5:30pm -Pizza and prizes for students
Popcorn (Sarah)	-678 bags sold, raised 1356\$ -Council to sort bags -Pick up is Feb 12 and 13th
New Business	-Outdoor equipment donation drive (Led by Zoey) -After March Break to school community -List to be provided on a poster -Email to parents before March Break -Outdoor use of parking lot (Zoey to contact Doreen) -March 28th tentative date for collection
BBQ (Nancy)	-HH Burford to follow up closer to Spring (hoping for a deal!)
Spring Raffle	-Donations from community -Raffled held May June -Themed baskets as prizes -Tickets sold on SchoolCash -License required from County -Money needs to allocated specifically
Meeting Dates	March 11 April 8 May 6 June 10

Next Meeting: Wednesday March 11th virtual