



# St. Dominic Savio C.E.S. Catholic Parent Involvement Committee Meeting Agenda



## Section 1: General Information

**Date:** Monday, February 24th, 2025

**Time:** 5:00 to 6:30 p.m.

**Location:** Learning Commons

**Attendees:** Claire, Erik, Chantalle, Erin, Liz, Shannon, Al, Karen, Joanna

**Regrets:** Val, Yara

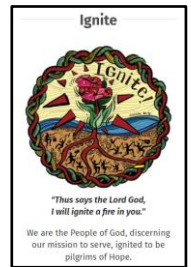
**Co-Chair:** Erik Wehner and Chantalle Turgott

**Secretary:**



**Community Rep:** Erin Zunic

**Treasurer:** Yara Beltrami

1. [WCDSB Pastoral Plan](#)
2. [Multi-Year Strategic Plan](#)
3. [WCDSB Board Improvement and Equity Plan 2023-2024](#)
4. [WCDSB Equity, Diversity and Inclusion](#)
5. [WCDSB Well Being](#)
6. [Catholic School Council Handbook](#)
7. [APB 004 School Generated Funds](#)
8. [Parent Council Answers and Questions](#)
9. [School Council: Guide For Members](#)

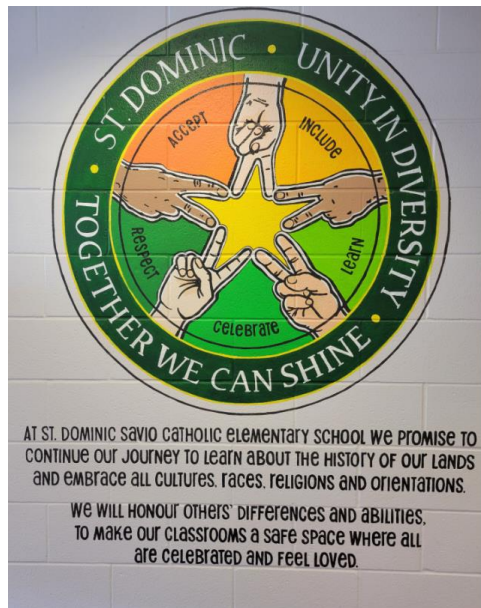


## Section 2: Agenda Information

Item #	Item / Description	Responsibility	Action Anticipated
A	<p><b>Welcome, Opening Prayer, Land Acknowledgement and Equity Statement</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Land Acknowledgement</li> <li>2. Take a moment to take a breath and centre yourself. Are there any other intentions today? For all of us who have things going on in our lives, outside of Saint Dominic Savio and may not want to voice it right now...we are here for you and we are praying for you.</li> </ol> <p>For these intentions and the ones we hold in our hearts, let's pray together: Please join me</p>	Erik and Chantalle	<div style="background-color: black; color: white; padding: 10px;"> <h3 style="text-align: center; margin: 0;"><i>Land Acknowledgement</i></h3> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;">   </div> <div style="width: 50%;"> <p>We acknowledge that the land on which St. Dominic Savio is situated are the lands traditionally cared for by the Haudenosaunee, Anishinaabe, and Neutral People.</p> <p>We also acknowledge the enduring presence and deep traditional knowledge, laws and philosophies of the Indigenous Peoples with whom we share this land today.</p> </div> </div> </div>

in the sign of our faith.

In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, Amen



3. Approval of Minutes  
[January Minutes](#)

**B Chair(s) Report**

1. Pizza vendor
2. Playground - create a subcommittee
3. Shrove Tuesday Update

**Heavenly Father,**

We gather in this place of work and collaboration, seeking Your guidance and wisdom. Grant us clarity of mind and discernment as we face the decisions and challenges before us. May Your light illuminate our paths, leading us towards actions that honor. You and benefit others. Lord, unite us as colleagues and partners in our mission. Help us to cultivate unity of purpose and harmony in our interactions. May we appreciate each other's strengths and support one another in times of difficulty. Grant us strength and resilience in our work. When faced with obstacles, grant us courage to persevere and faith to trust in Your providence. Help us to draw upon Your power and wisdom, knowing that with You, all things are possible. In Your holy name we pray. Amen

Saint Dominic , Pray for us.  
In the name of the Father, the Son,  
and of the Holy Spirit, Amen

**How Am I?  
A Self Check-In** BEAM

We are our first resource.  
Noticing what needs are present within us helps us identify how we can support ourselves as we identify what support we need from others.

**Mental**

What are my thoughts right now? How are they impacting me? What fear of how folks will perceive me is getting in the way of asking for the help I need?

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**Physical**

Am I hungry? Am I tired? Am I in pain? What am I feeling in my body and where? What is/are the message(s) my body is sending me about my needs?

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**Emotional**

What am I feeling? What helps me to feel resourced and grounded before taking on something that requires more of me?



Visit [www.beam.community](http://www.beam.community) or our IG Page (@\_beamorg) for tools to cope and more

Erik and Chantalle

**Pizza Vendor - Crispy Slice Presentation**

[Crispy Slice Pizza](#)  
[\\$6.99 per pizza, 6 big slices](#)

- 4. PRO grant - Claire
- 5. Family Fun Night

Vegitarian, gluten free options  
 Fantastic pizza!  
 Parent owned - Brinder Pious  
 Available for both weekly pizza orders and for fundraising

**Playground Structures Presentation** (Amanda Asher - WCDSB  
 Manager of Procurement)

[WCDSB PlayStructures](#)                      [Proposal St. Josephine](#)  
[Invoice Sample](#)                                      [Image St. Josephine](#)  
[St. Margaret Invoice](#)                      [St. Vincent Invoice](#)      [St. Teresa Creative](#)  
[Playground](#)

Vendors:

<https://www.apeplayground.com/>  
<https://www.bienenstockplaygrounds.com/>  
<https://www.earthscapeplay.com/>  
<https://www.abcrecreation.com>  
<https://www.blueimp.com>  
<https://www.barcoproducts.ca/> - this vendor is supply only so we would need to find another vendor to install

If the parent council would like to proceed, the Principal would need to fill out an APF003, prior to any formal quoting to ensure that the grounds are suitable for outdoor play <https://www.wcdsb.ca/about-us/policies-and-administrative-procedures/proposed-alterations-andor-renovations-to-schools-grounds-and-other-board-facilities-apf003/>

Amanda from board, procurement dept presenting.  
 Playground over 100k including install required to be publicly tendered.  
 Can specify materials, requirements  
 Playgrounds must be paid for via fundraising, grants or donations, ministry does not provide any funding  
 Average cost of playground ~\$75k with lifespan of 20 years.  
 Board can assist on grant applications.  
 School responsible for all upkeep/damage maintaining playground.  
 Requirements: Max fall height 2 metres, no swings, meet CSA standard and AODA. Min 25% towards mobility limited (low level play).  
 Structure Steps:  
 1. Board assessment, vendor/style decision  
 2. Installation - Barricades/signage

Play structures must be closed during winter (Sept/Oct and May/June), board dictated. With snow fencing.  
Typically grade 2-6 for play structure  
Fitness centres? Naturalization? Mud Kitchen?! (Amanda's got the hookups)  
Board can help with getting quotes  
Budget cycle runs Sept 1 - Aug 31  
Committee needed to investigate this further

### **Shrove Tuesday Update**

#### Planning

Bulk barn for gluten free pancake mix  
Griddles covered  
No longer serving in gym, will serve in classrooms  
Student runners

#### **PRO/PIC Grant:**

Parents Reaching Out Grant \$400.00 - school council to support projects, removing barriers so parents can engage in schools  
Parent Involvement Committee Grant \$500.00 - engage parents

Dr, Allison Young speaker. \$500/hour in person(\$300 virtual)  
Guide to kids in social media  
May 8th for a tentative date.

Speaker for parents, not students 🙄

Pre-recorded speaking session for virtual?

Try in person again, after school 4:30PM?

Voted approved \$400 from PRO Grant and up to \$200 additional

**Family Fun Night:** lists from a couple years ago- Chantalle and Val to work on updated task list

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/10H4zM2l7qCRQOa0fsWRgW4k-TyDei21gsZ\\_swZXWtCg/edit?usp=drive\\_link](https://docs.google.com/document/d/10H4zM2l7qCRQOa0fsWRgW4k-TyDei21gsZ_swZXWtCg/edit?usp=drive_link)

Val and Chantalle to update and circle back at next meeting with the best ideas ever!

Multicultural day? Drum circle, games, etc.

Date is June 17, 2025 5PM-7PM

Machine booked

			<a href="#">Family Fun Night Planning Info - Google Docs</a>
<b>C</b>	<b>2024-2025 Financial Report and Fundraising</b>	Yara	<p><b>Financial Updates:</b>  <a href="#">Detailed Category Summary</a>  <a href="#">Category Umbrella Overview</a>  <a href="#">Proposed Fundraising</a> - submitted to Superintendent  2 Outdoor Picnic Shelters were purchased - \$745.78</p> <p><b>Fundraising Ideas and Requests:</b> choose 1 idea and do it early April?  <a href="#">Wish List</a>  Junior/Intermediates asking for wishlists (\$200 additional each, \$400 total)  Voted and approved.  <a href="#">Ideas</a></p>
<b>D.</b>	<b>Faith Focus / Parish Committee</b>	Erin/Cherise	<a href="#">St. Mark Catholic Parish   "...The seed is sprouting and growing..." (Mark 4:27)</a>
<b>E.</b>	<b>Community Report</b>	Erin	<b>No updates</b>
<b>F..</b>	<b>NonTeacher and Teacher, Principal Updates</b>	Karen, Nancy, Al and Joanna	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. STSWR School Travel Planning/ Parking Update</li> <li>2. Staffing Update</li> <li>3. Black History Month</li> <li>4. <a href="#">St. Dominic Savio School Improvement Plan</a> - Move forward to next meeting</li> <li>5. 25th Anniversary of School in 2026</li> <li>6. Activities: QandA, Sports, Extra Curricular, etc.</li> <li>7. Safe Schools: Update our School <a href="#">Bullying Prevention Plan Committee needed to support this</a></li> <li>8. Indigenous Learning Week</li> </ol>
<b>G.</b>	<b>Dates at a Glance For Council sponsored Activities</b>	All	

**NEXT MEETING: April 7th, 2025 5PM-7PM**

