



**Catholic School Council Unapproved Meeting Minutes  
Thursday November 7, 2024, St. Bernard of Clairvaux, 6:30pm**

**In Attendance**

Rob Scicluna, Principal  
Kim Romany, Chairperson  
Cindy De Lio, Secretary

Marc Le Brun, Teacher Representative  
Joel Moody, Treasurer

**Regrets**

Laura Di, Vice Principal

**Guests**

Stephanie Anisko

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Meeting commenced at 6:34 pm

**Approval of Agenda**

- Cindy De Lio 1<sup>st</sup>, Joel Moody 2<sup>nd</sup>

**Approval of April 2024 Meeting Minutes**

- Joel Moody 1<sup>st</sup>, Cindy De Lio 2<sup>nd</sup>

**Chairperson Update – Kim Romany**

- Annual Survey/Report
  - Kim will submit the document once she receives it from Rob.
- Pizza Lunch Program Update
  - Grade 8 students are still getting used to their responsibilities.
  - Slight change, we are asking students to buy online instead of after delivery.
- LunchBox Order Program (Subway)
  - There are not a lot of volunteers available.
  - Kim will check with Nadia if any new volunteers have submitted their forms.
  - Decide by December to start in January.
- Popcorn
  - Decide in January.
- Shrove Tuesday
  - Starting in January to recruit volunteers.
  - March 4
- Valentines Dance/Easter Dance
  - PA Day on Valentine's Day, propose Easter Dance instead.
  - Easter Dance on April 22.

**Principal's Report – Rob Scicluna**

- See attached.

**Treasurer's Report – Joel Moody**

- Opening bank balance in September 2024 \$9,947.01 and closing balance is \$21,395.81.

- Opening bank balance in October 2024 \$21,395.81 and closing balance is \$19,953.59.
- \$3,600 asked towards Classroom Equipment budget, current budget is \$3,000. Council voted and agreed.
- \$5,000 asked for murals to be painted throughout the school, School Improvements' current budget is \$5,000. Council voted and agreed.
- \$400 asked for Christmas cookies. Council voted and agreed.
- Kim will update the 2024/2025 budget.

#### **Volunteer Co-ordinator Report – Kim Romany**

- Nothing to report.

#### **OAPCE Report – Kim Romany**

- Nothing to report.

#### **Teacher Representative Report – Marc Le Brun**

- Nothing to report.

#### **Non-Teacher Representative Report –**

- Nothing to report.

#### **Other Items**

- Nothing to report.
- December 5<sup>th</sup> to set up the Christmas Nativity Scene.

Adjournment at 8:08 pm

## Principal's Report – Catholic School Council

Nov. 7, 2024

- Sign Out Front - up and working
- Progress Reports
  - Sent next Tuesday, Interviews on Thursday
  - Electronically to child's email, parents can request a hard copy
  - On-Line Booking of Interviews (out today, was sent to parents whose teacher requested an interview first)
- EQAO – results are in. All Individual Results have been send home.

### EQAO Overall results for Clairvaux 2023-2024

Assessment	Clairvaux	DPCDSB	ONTARIO
Primary Reading	80%	76%	71%
Primary Writing	73%	68%	64%
Primary Mathematics	70%	62%	61%
Junior Reading	86.4%	84.8%	82%
Junior Writing	91%	85%	80%
Junior Mathematics	79.5%	47%	50%

- Thanksgiving Food Drive (was successful)
- CCAT Testing for Gr. 4 has taken place (Gr. 4 test for admission to Gifted Program)
- Halloween Dance, Pumpkins and Chips (Oct 31)
- School Bus presentations (classes did in class- on-line)
- Clothing Giveaway (Nov. 7 – last night)
- School Photography (Re-Takes are tomorrow Nov. 8)
  - Class Pic after Christmas
- Spirit Wear (Closed Nov. 14)
- Gr.8 Overnight Trip - parent information night to be held soon
- Graduation Hoodies – order due this Sunday (Nov. 17)
- K-2 Screeners – did this week
- K-3 Literacy Facilitator in the school to help staff

### Faith

- Grade 8 – Hopestone – Leadership Workshop on Oct. 7
- Opening of the Year / Thanksgiving Mass (Oct. 16)
- Rosary Apostolate – Began Oct. 9
- Sacramental Dates:
  - April 26@ 10:30 AM First Eucharist - St. Bernard/St. Faustina
  - May 6 @ 6 PM Confirmation - St. Bernard, St. Faustina 1st Communion

- Virtue Assemblies – monthly with the entire school (Sept, Faith, Oct. Empathy, Nov. Conscience)
- Virtue Awards – take a look in the hallway
- Ontario Catholic School Graduate Expectations – take a look in hallway i) Discerning Believer, this next one is Effective Communicator.
- Assemblies for:
  - Orange Shirt Day (Sept. 30)
  - Remembrance Day (Nov. 11) (Collect \$2)

### **Athletics**

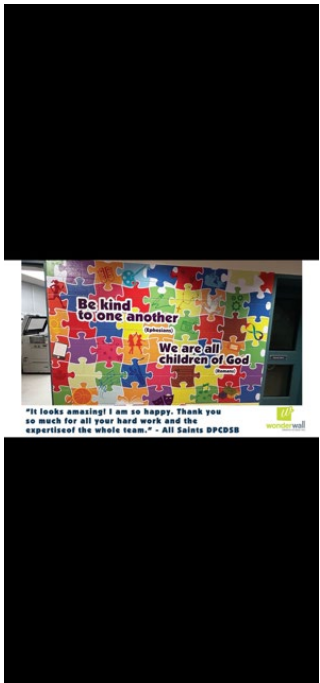
- Cross Country, Flag Football, and Volleyball
- Christmas
  - Letters to Santa
  - Advent Mass (Dec. 10)
  - Donations to Families in Need (Gift Cards – need names)
  - Santa's Elves (Gr. 8 help other rooms)
  - Christmas Food Drive (Dec. 2 – 6)
  - Santa Visit to primary classrooms (Dec. 12)
  - Family Christmas Gingerbread House Night (Dec. 12)
  - Family Santa Photographs (Dec. 12)
  - Primary Christmas Concert (Dec. 18) – collect \$2 for ShareLife
  - Spirit Week (Dec. 16-20)
  - Christmas Sing a Long (Dec. 20)
  - Cookie for each student (CSC???)

### **Wish List**

- Recess Items (Indoor and Outdoor)- \$200 per class x 18 = \$3600
- Signage in the school (Stairwells and Hallways) \$5000
- OCSGE Medals - \$800 (38 x 18 x1.13=772.92)
- Cookies - Christmas (sing-a-long) = \$400

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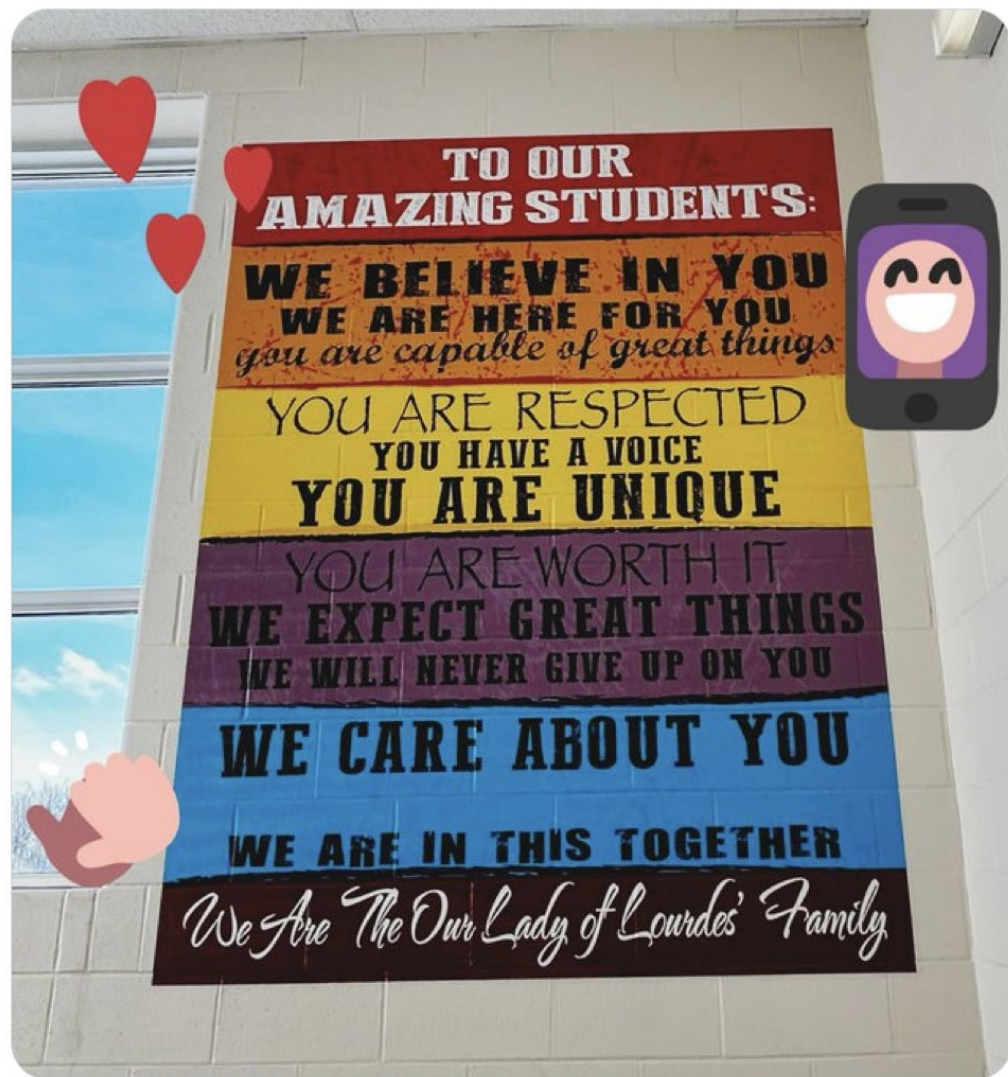
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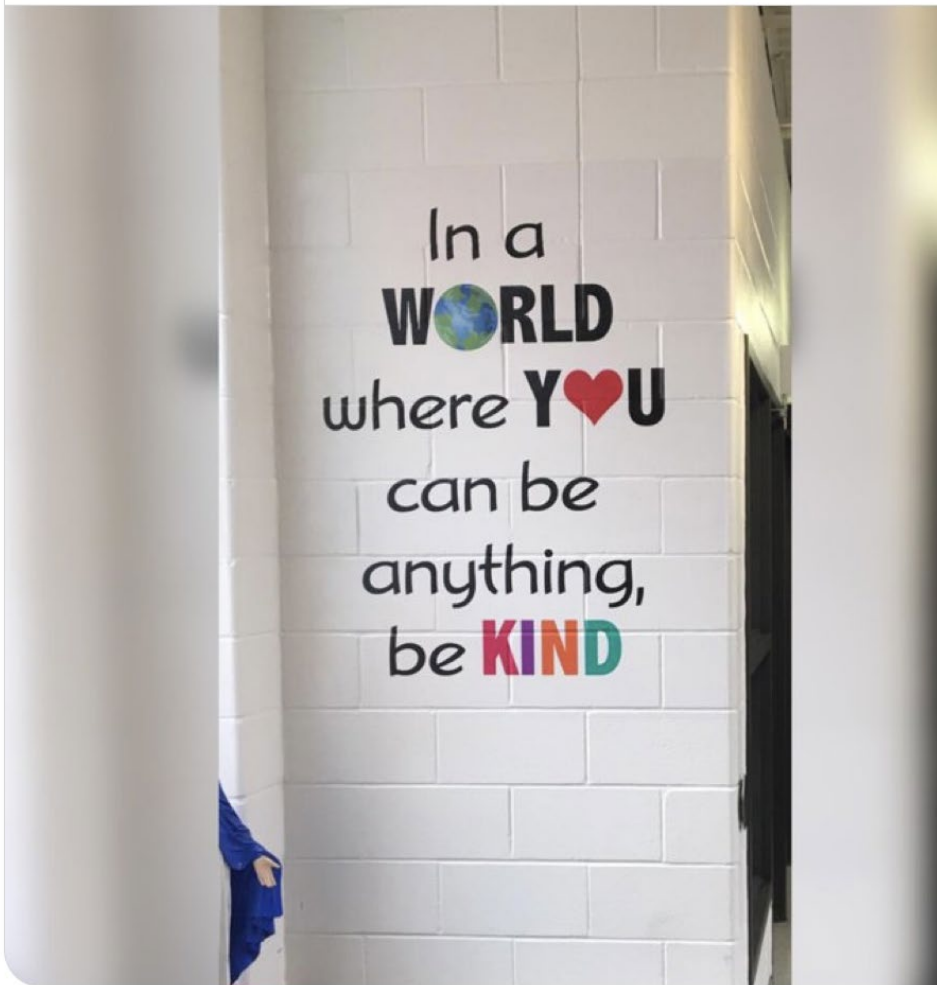
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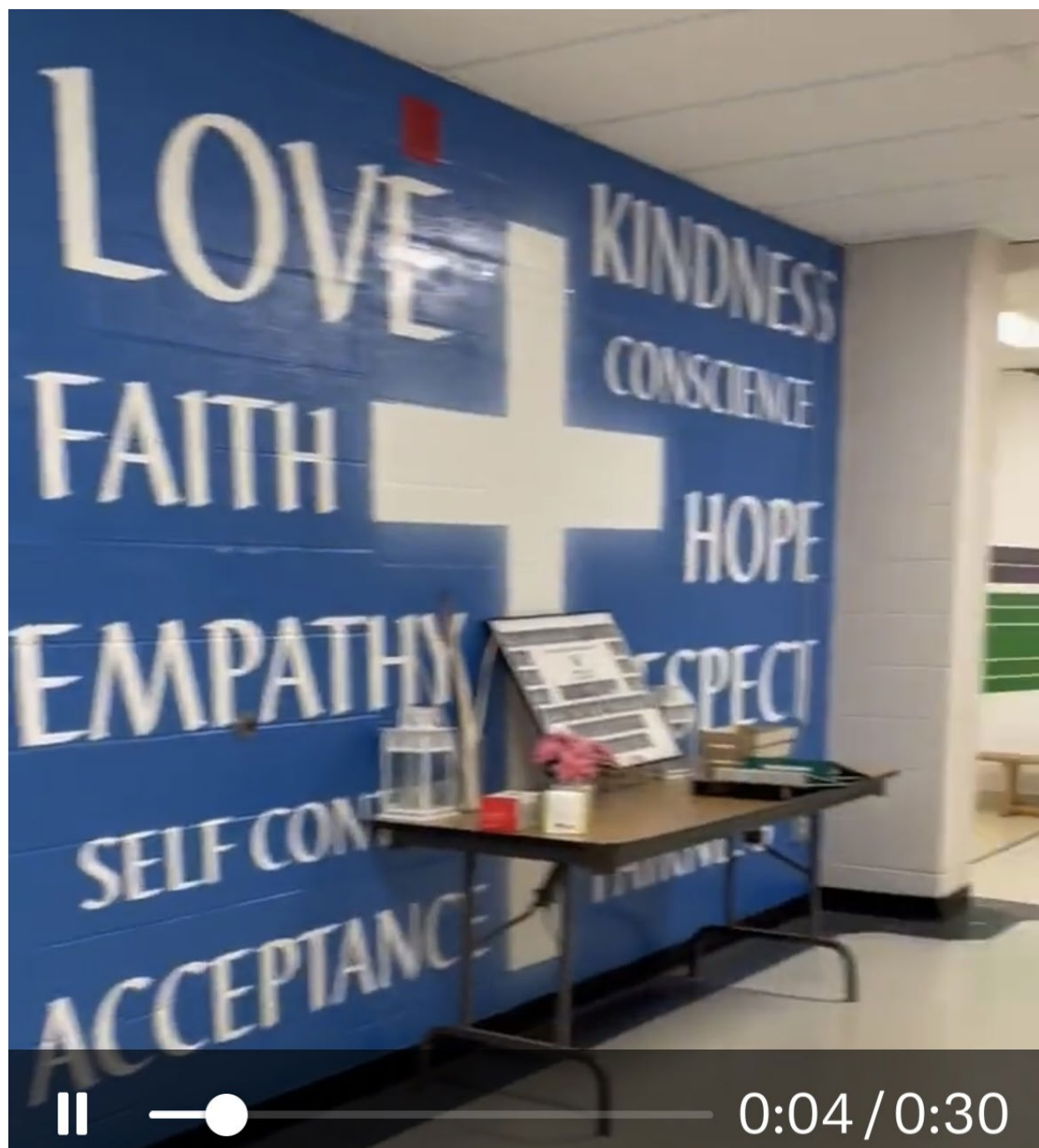


















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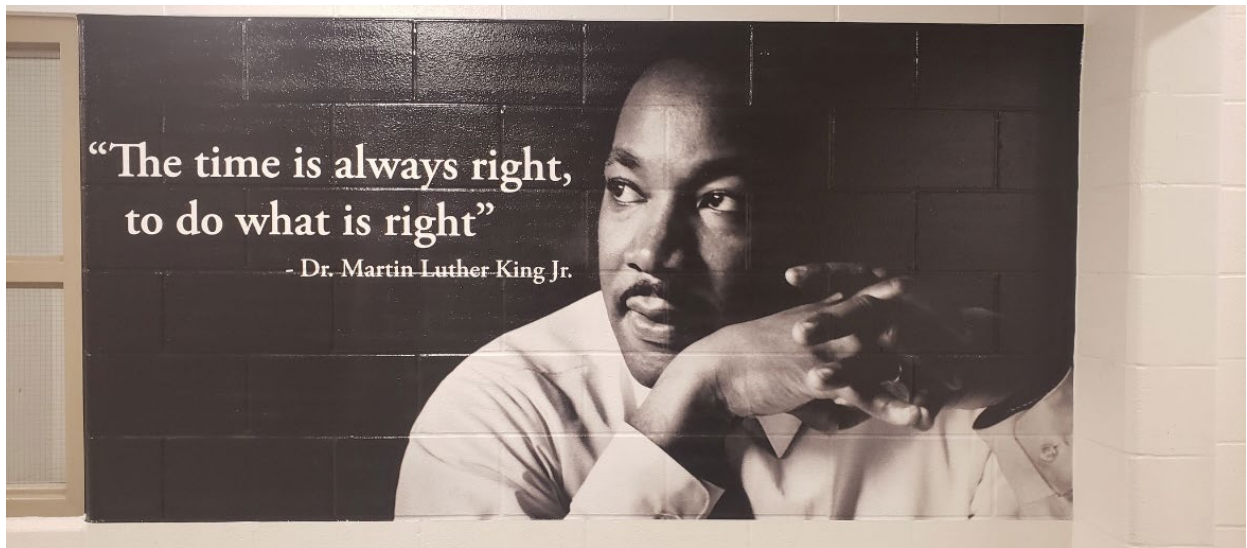


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**Responsibility**  
*for your  
actions*







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Rob Scicluna