



**LONDON DISTRICT  
Catholic School  
BOARD**

**District PIC Meeting - Minutes**

**Wednesday June 6, 2018**

**6:15-7:30 pm**

**AGENDA**

Welcome and Prayer, introductions from the table.

- 1. PRO Grant Applications:** Members shared their 2017-2018 applications. Examples included health nights for families and the growing chefs program. Discussion around working together to complete Pro Grants next year was shared.
- 2. Review of Counting is Complex from May 23, 23 2018:** The ppt presentation shared with the Board of Trustees was shared with all members. We discussed both Parent Engagement Nights and what worked well and what we will do differently next time. Discussion around promoting these events early was shared and led into the next item of DRAFT dates for next year.
- 3. Tentative Plan of Meetings & Events for 2019-2019:** A list of dates for PIC General Meetings and Parent Engagement Nights were shared (see Agenda). Discussion around the balance of Math and Mental Health & Awareness as the focus next year was also shared. By reserving these dates now, we hope that local Catholic School Councils can plan around these dates to avoid overlap.
- 4. OAPCE Representative:** Members were asked to think about a potential parent (either from PIC or in their community) who would be interested in serving as our OAPCE Ambassador for LDCSB. This person would share information to and from OAPCE and PIC and would represent LDCSB at the yearly convention. For now, OAPCE communication will come to the PIC Chair.
- 5. Other:** Love of Reading Program (Indigo Books) was discussed. The Blessed Sacrament Chair and Co-Chair shared that Blessed Sacrament received a \$45k grant for books. The application process was very involved but worthwhile. Other members were encouraged to look into this program. Discussion around parent engagement vs fundraising was shared. Members shared what seems to be working well and some of the challenges with finding volunteers. Discussion around which events seem to bring the most parents was shared. There was also a discussion around the Optimist Club and members were encouraged to reach out to their local chapter for assistance with events and programs not related to core curriculum. First Lego League was also shared as a possible opportunity for schools.

**8. Adjournment: 7:45**