



# ST. MARY'S SCHOOL COUNCIL



**DATE:** Monday, September 25, 2017

**TIME:** 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Seminar Room 2.1 (beside main office)

**Facilitator:** **Bose Blokland & Julie Hofstetter**

**Recorder:** **TBD**

**Prayer:** Bose Blokland

## - AGENDA -

### Upcoming Events for St. Mary's High School:

Parent Volunteers Needed

Oct. 5 – Opening Liturgy  
 Oct. 5 – MADD Canada Assembly  
 Oct. 5 – Academic Awards Night  
 Oct. 6 – Opening Assembly  
**Oct. 9 – Thanksgiving Day**  
 Oct. 12 – Photo Retakes  
 Oct. 17 – Canadian National Math League  
 Oct. 17 - 19 – Grad Spirit Wear Sales  
**Oct. 18 - Semester 1 Progress Reports**  
**Oct. 23 – PA Day**  
 Oct. 25 – Dress Down Day

Oct. 25 – Coffee House  
**Oct. 26 – Parent/Student/Teacher Conferences**  
 Nov. 1 – Grade 8 Day  
**Nov. 1 – Take our kid to Work Day**  
**Nov. 7 – Parent Commissioning (CEC)**  
**Nov. 11 – Remembrance Day**  
 Nov. 14 - Canadian National Math League  
 Nov. 15 – Grade 11 Course Selection  
**Nov. 16 – Semi-Formal**

**Nov. 17 – PA Day**  
 Nov. 17 – 18 - CWOSSA Girls AAA Basketball Tournament  
 Nov. 20 - 29 – Musical Prep  
**Nov. 22 – Semester 1 Mid-Term Reports**  
 Nov. 22 – Canadian National Math League  
 Nov. 24 – Powerlifting Meet  
**Nov. 25 – DECA Regionals**  
**Nov. 27 – Parent School Council**  
 Nov. 29 – Dress Down Day  
**Nov. 30 – Grade 8 Parent Night**

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TOPIC	DISCUSSION	FACILITATOR
<b>Prayer</b>	Opening Prayer	<b>Bose Blokland / Julie Hofstetter (5 minutes)</b>
<b>Introductions</b>	Members will introduce themselves, provide contact information and comment on their expectations for the school year.	<b>Bose Blokland / Julie Hofstetter (10 minutes)</b>
<b>Student Council</b>	Members will hear of student activities for September - November.	<b>Erik Caceros / Naomie Seh (15 minutes)</b>
<b>Budget</b>	Highlights of School Budget	<b>John Dietrich (15 Minutes)</b>

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<b><i>PIC Grant</i></b>	Update on the 2015-2016 and 2016-2017 grants and how it was spent. Confirm all are in agreement for the use of banners for SMH and feeder schools this year. Would any parent(s) like to take the lead on this?	<b>Bose Blokland / Julie Hofstetter (10 minutes)</b>
<b><i>PRO Grant</i></b>	Application for multicultural event status. Volunteers to sit on sub-committee to represent school council.	<b>Bose Blokland &amp; Julie Hofstetter (10 minutes)</b>
<b><i>Uniform Collection</i></b>	Update on the success – next steps. Allocation of funds from sales back to the school community.	<b>Julie Hofstetter / John Dietrich (5 Minutes)</b>
<b><i>Booster Club</i></b>	Formation of booster club for parents, this is for parents who wish to help the school for special functions like chaperoning semi-formals & proms, uniform collection etc. without have the time commitment of attending the quarterly meetings <b>Volunteer to facilitate</b>	<b>Bose Blokland / Julie Hofstetter</b>
<b><i>Parent Volunteers</i></b>	Parent Council volunteers needed for the following (signup sheet or email): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• October 26<sup>th</sup> – Student/Parent/Teacher Conferences from <b>1:30pm – 8:00 p.m.</b></li> <li>• <b>November 16<sup>th</sup> – Chaperones for semi-formal</b></li> <li>• <b>November 25<sup>th</sup> – DECA Regional</b></li> <li>• November 30<sup>th</sup> – Grade 8 Parent Night 6:30 – 8:30 pm.</li> </ul>	<b>Bose Blokland (10 minutes)</b>
<b><i>Elections</i></b>	Election of new School Council for available positions.	<b>Bose Blokland / Julie Hofstetter (10 minutes)</b>
<b><i>Future Agenda Items</i></b>	Members to brainstorm for future agenda items. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• D2L vs. Google Classroom</li> </ul>	<b>Bose Blokland / Julie Hofstetter (15 minutes)</b>
<b><i>Tour of School</i></b>	Provide tour of the SMH for any Council members interested.	<b>JD</b>

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<b>FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS</b>		

**INFORMATION ITEMS**
