



ST. MARY'S ADVISORY COUNCIL



DATE: October 5, 2020

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

LOCATION: [SMH Virtual CSAC Meeting](#)

Facilitators: Linda Tester / Sherry White

Recorders: Amy Soares

- AGENDA -

Upcoming Events for St. Mary's High School:

Attendees: E. MacIntosh, L. Tester, S. White, C. Rivera, A. Isley, A. Wilk, M. Willig, H. Madter, D. Duval, F. Abbinett, A. Soares, L. Alves, S. Kadis, I. Vassalo, Y. Adekoya, J. Dietrich	Regrets:
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SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL BUSINESS		
TOPIC	OUTCOME	FACILITATOR
<i>Prayer</i>	Opening prayer	Deacon Ed MacIntosh
<i>Welcome</i>	Welcome and introductions	All
<i>Student Council</i>	Members will hear of student activities. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Very different than any other SAC experience to reach out to students for virtual experiences • Try to create a sense of community in a virtual world • Co-chair podcasts to keep students informed • Virtual Coffee House (artistic performances), video 'auditions' and performances posted to new SMH Instagram account • Create an inclusive community, LGBTQ+2 youth, Black Lives Matters – inclusivity and diversity reps 	Dante Duval (Dylan Schnurr)

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning on LINK tree – website link, point source for youth movements in the community • School Video from some Spec Ed students who haven't been able to attend at this point (health concerns). • Visible signs of community – important dates, cohort dates • Continue to convert traditional in person events into a virtual environment 	
<i>KPL</i>	<p>Members will hear what is happening at our local KPL.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hours M-Th 9am-7pm, Fr-Sat 9am-5:30pm • No in person programming, however a lot of virtual programming that started in April • For youth -coding, D&D, arts based – run through Zoom live in person • Some precorded offerings • Geography no longer an issue for guest speakers b/c they can remote in • Limited occupancy, limit of browsing to 30 min, bookable computers for 1hr intervals, limited seating that can be booking in advance to utilize wifi • Online databases, resources. Can come into the library for a card or apply online KPL.org – allows access to online resources • Working on volunteer opportunities for senior students for community service hours – eg. Youth advisory council (Zoom), Youth Writer in Residence, Youth Music programs – will be posted to KPL website soon. 	Amanda Wilk
<i>Principal's Items</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See slide deck • Change of delivery mode – window for change is 9am October 19th until 6pm October 21st. The link to request the change will be published on the school website. • Requests for chromebooks should be sent via email to the student's guidance counsellor. • 	John Dietrich
<i>2020-2021 St. Mary's CSAC Co-Chair</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Selection of our 2020-2021 co-chairs 	Sherry White (Linda Tester)

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Co-chairs for 2020-2021: Sherry White, Minutes: Amy Soares • 2nd co-chair for consideration by members 	
<i>UpComing Events</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WCDSB Catholic School Advisory Council Virtual Commissioning event – October 28th. Details to follow. 	John Dietrich
<i>Future Agenda Items & Questions?</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>“For which there are few answers....”</i>, but I’ll do my best. 	

Next Meeting: December 7th, 2020