Holy Family School Parent Council Meeting September 14th, 2020

- 1) Call to Order @ 7:31pm 1st: Amy 2nd: Rebecca
- 2) Acknowledgement of the Traditional Land: Stacey Martz
- 3) **Opening Prayer:** Rori-Lynn
- 4) Approval of Agenda: 1st: Amy, 2nd: Angie
- 5) Approval of Minutes: 1st: Heather, 2nd: Rebecca
- 6) Call for New Business:
 - Current Account balance is at \$21,000.00, \$10,000 was supposed to go to field trips. There is 10-11,000.00 that is to be moved forward.
 - Need to fundraise around \$20,000.00
 - Hot lunch
 - Need to review Volunteer Program and the requirements for this year.
 - First Day of School, event review is being completed and what can we do better.
 - Upcoming Events: Welcome Back Movie night, this is cancelled due to the COVID 19 restrictions.
 - Picture Day- October 14th, 15th, 2020 there will be no volunteers required this year and no classroom/group photos. A class composite is being considered.
 - 77 home learners in the Holy Family School, would like to continue with the yearbook of where the students are at during the school year, they will not be going ahead with the composite photo for yearbook purposes.
 - Fundraising, Read-a-thon is usually completed in the 1st month of school in September, this has been very successful and we would like to review other schools and how they are completing this program this year.
 - Amy/Heather will be looking after the fundraising committee.
 - Thanksgiving is October 8th, 2020 kids are at school, October 9th, 2020 they are off for PD Day so would like to get the information out if possible before.
 - Would like to propose October 5th to have information to be sent out and have it back and handed in on October 16th, 2020.
 - Do we go away with the paper tickets that students have to fill out and hand in due to COVID do we look at other options such as a Google Form with their Students Name, the Donator's name and the amount of money. Rori-Lynn to explore options for this initiative.

- Teacher Appreciation, donating to the teacher's appreciation fund. All were in favour for \$1500.00 for the teachers.
- Hot Lunch: until we get approval we will not be moving forward with this program.

7) Principal's Report

- Rori-Lynn sent kudos to parent council, 100 parents completed the feedback survey it was overwhelming feedback to the survey.
- Currently, Holy Family School has 444 students.
- Anne-Marie Watson is the school trustee that will be supporting Holy Family School.
- Currently the Superintendent of Schools is being hired with Red Deer Catholic.
- Review of PPE is being looked at and also the mid-day disinfecting.

8) Date of Next Meeting:

- Rori-Lynn requested to choose a date for the next meeting, was decided on October 19th, 2020.
- 9) Adjournment: at 8:37pm, 1st: Amy, 2nd: Gabriel