

Saint Teresa of Avila

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At Saint Teresa School We..... "Strive For Excellence and Manners Matter"

St. Teresa of Avila CSAC Annual Report for the 2022-2023 School Year

Dear Parents and School Community:

The St. Teresa of Avila CSAC had a very rewarding year. The CSAC held seven (7) meetings on October 4, November 8, December 6, February 7, April 11, May 9, and June 7. These meetings were open to the public to encourage input from parents and other members of the school community to inform our discussions of the various issues considered.

Council focused on various priorities during the school year, including new gym equipment, guest speakers, year-end BBQ and the purchase of student agendas.

The purpose of the CSAC is to improve pupil achievement and to enhance the accountability of the education system to parents through the active participation of parents. CSACs are advisory organizations. A CSAC's primary means of achieving its purpose is by making recommendations to the principal of the school and the school board. Boards and principals are responsible for considering recommendations made by each CSAC and advising the council(s) of the actions taken in response to the recommendations. Accordingly, included with this report is a link to CSAC meetings to see what was brought forward at various meetings. The CSAC has provided to the principal and to the school board, as well as responses from the principal and school board on how this advice was taken into account in decision-making.

Additional achievements of the CSAC in 2022-2023 included general fundraising through lunch ordering to purchase different classroom items and school items. As well, fundraising activities were conducted, and the proceeds were used to fund projects in accordance with school board policies. These fundraising activities are itemized, summarized and attached. Minutes of meetings held and financial records are available for public inspection on the St. Teresa of Avila C.E.S website.

We wish to acknowledge the hard work and dedication of the many individuals who volunteered their time to contribute to the success of the CSAC last year. Special thanks are due to the members of the 2022-2023 CSAC:

Co-chairs: Lindsay Soetemans and Rebecca Metzger

Secretary: Rebecca Pritchard

Treasurer: Michael Kuntz

Parent Representatives: Christine Johnston, Amy Nero, Theresa Mendler, Jessica Melady, Sally Gimenes

Initiatives which we foresee as being important matters for the consideration of the new school council include how to encourage fresh parents to join the council and how to strengthen the engagement of the community in the learning process.

Sincerely,

Lindsay Soetemans

Chair

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2022-2023 Statement of Income, Expense and Cash Balances

As of June 30, 2023

Source of Funds

Fresh from the Farm	\$1,496.80
Dance-A-Thon	\$6,530.60
Maple Syrup Sales	\$250.00
CPIC Grant	\$500.00

Big Initiatives

Bus Transportation	\$794.62
Anti-Bullying Presentation	\$500.00
Gym Equipment	\$5,244.34
Classroom Assistance	\$506.38
Agendas	\$1324.13