

Miller CSCC meeting - Oct. 17, 2023 (draft)

1. Call to order 7 pm
2. Larry ready opening prayer and land acknowledgment
3. Welcome/intro/approve agenda
 - a. Motion Jackie / 2nd Paul
4. Review minutes
 - a. Correction to Paul's name to be made to minutes from AGM
 - b. Fix May 14 2023 to 2024 in minutes
5. School Reports
 - a. **SRC's Report**

September was a busy month, and we are planning for October and November.

We had jersey day and dress like Adam Sandler day to help celebrate Sports in School Week.

We have many activities planned around Halloween:

- Next week Oct 25/26 will be our Circus themed Haunted House. Over 700 students went through last year, so this year we have two lunch periods where students can come.
- Oct. 27 we will have a black out dress up day and a movie in the theatre.
- Monday Oct 30 we will have a pumpkin pie eating contest
- Oct 31 st will be costume dress up and our traditional lunch hour trick or treating.

In November:

- We are looking to make a decision regarding a Winter Formal dinner and dance.
- We will continue to sell tickets for our football playoffs.
- We will have another color war day in November, and maybe some Western Days to coincide with Agribition.
- Our fall sports – volleyball, football, soccer teams and cross country teams are nearing playoffs or have ended. The SRC will highlight the accomplishments of these teams.

We will start our planning for all our Advent/Christmas activities.

The SRC donated leftover pizza from our school lunch to the Marian Centre and the Friendship Centre. Both sent thanks to the school. The Friendship Centre let us know they will always take any help we can give and along with all our spirit building activities, the SRC wants to help the community. The SRC is looking at having an 'leftover halloween candy' drop off. Then this extra candy can be used for Christmas stockings donated to the friendship Centre.

b. Principal's Report

- i. Opening Mass to Celebrate our Patron Saint's Feast Day, 09.23.23:
 - A lovely gathering for mass for the first time since 2019!
 - Two different groupings on our new Split Schedule.
 - Students and staff were outstanding.
 - Thank you to our Lay Chaplain, Hannah Patterson and our Celebrant, Father Brad!
- ii. Orange Shirt Week and Day:
 - Again, our school dedicated itself to pausing, listening, and learning.
 - Our students and staff engaged daily via prayer.
 - The end of the week culminated with an Orange Shirt Day liturgy.
 - Thank you to our school's TRC Committee for their leadership!
- iii. Grade Ten Catholic Studies Retreats and Blanket Exercises:
 - We have held 5 to date.
 - Our students have been outstanding.
 - A massive thank you to Indigenous Advisors, Elvie Stonechild and Amanda Missens for their guidance and leadership!
- iv. RCSD Tipi Teachings and Raising:
 - Thank you to Charmin Buffalocalf and Preston Littlelent for sharing tipi teachings and guiding our students through the set-up, more teachings, and take-down of the RCSD tipi.
 - Five classes took part in the day.
 - It was a cool and breezy day, but again, our students were outstanding!
- v. Grade Level Meetings Presentation:
 - Click link below
<https://miller.rcsd.ca/documents/fb1060ee-ab88-45db-8bee-aeede24e7746/23-24%20Grade%20Meetings.pdf>
- vi. 2022-2023 Honour Roll:
 - Grade IX's
 - a. HR: 99
 - b. MHR: 112
 - Grade X's
 - a. HR: 79
 - b. MHR: 88
 - Grade XI's
 - a. HR: 74
 - b. MHR: 86
- vii. Academic Awards Night:
 - 136 Awards handed out to students from the 2022-2023 school year!
 - Thanks to our Committee of staff who coordinated the evening.

- Special thank you to leads, Heather Faris and Laura Gaboury.
- viii. SHSAA School Sports Week:
 - October 8th to 15th, 2023
 - Outstanding staff and student involvement with school sports!
- ix. Saskatchewan Ministry of Education's Education Week:
 - "Bright minds, Bright Futures!"
- x. 2023-2024 School Improvement Plan Goals:
- xi. Promote an equitable environment by supporting the TRC journeys of staff and students with a deliberate focus on supporting our Indigenous students' growth and achievement.
- xii. To create a supportive school environment that welcomes, embraces, and celebrates students and to focus staff directed Performance Management goals on the implementation of mental health and wellbeing initiatives.
- xiii. We are committed to actively fostering self-reflection and meaningful dialogues within the Miller Comprehensive Catholic High School community. Through open and constructive conversations, we aim to collaboratively define and refine the identity of our school, forging a deeper understanding of our collective essence and purpose.

c. VP's report

- i. Continue relationship building with students
- ii. Newsletter now via Edsby
- iii. Student support team meets every week
- iv. Exam room is running every week

d. Treasurer's report

- i. Corrine discussed Draft Budget and Actual information. Further work to be done to be discussed as Nov meeting

e. Chair's report

- i. Building transition documents for CSCC members on our Google drive site
- ii. Will put a link on Miller website to CSCC website and important documents
- iii. Linkage meeting Thursday, Oct. 26@7pm at St. Pius
- iv. Nov 14 will provide draft Teacher funding requests electronically to CSCC members for review and discussion at Nov meeting

6. New Business

- i. Jacelyn Case was voted in by acclamation for the vacant Director position.
- ii. Jennie Avram was voted in by acclamation for the vacant Secretary position.

7. Meeting adjourned at 8PM

Next meeting will be Tuesday, November 21st @7pm