



Parent-to-Parent

Ecole Frere Antoine [EFA] School Council [SC]

Hello Everyone!

The end of the year is approaching, and with it your school council is already planning next year's events!

We are so grateful to everyone who has taken their time over the past year to volunteer in our school community. Without you, our events could not run, and our school would not be the amazing place that we have all worked together - staff, parents, and students - to create.

We are also grateful to those businesses that have stepped up to help make our events a success, particularly the vendors at Kameyosek Shopping Centre for allowing us to park in their lot (during the agreed-to timeframes), Mama's Pizza for loaning us their space and equipment to provide the hot dog lunch, which is free to all staff and students, and to Ice Cream Depot, for donating popsicles to keep our long time tradition alive.

Organizing school supply ordering is underway, and more information will be available soon. Once, and for sadly the last time, we thank Marieclaire for all of her hard work and dedication to ensure that our needs are met. Marieclaire, as you move on after many years volunteering at EFA, please know how grateful the entire parent community is for your selfless dedication. We wish you the absolute best!

Looking into the fall, we will be discussing our annual "welcome" event at the next meeting. We welcome everyone to attend and put their suggestions forward! Also, as mentioned last month, we voted to spend our ASCE grant toward a "Box Cars and One-Eyed Jacks" family game night. More information about this very popular math literacy program, which uses everyday items such as cards, dice, and dominos to help kids have fun learning at home, can be found at <https://boxcarsandoneeyedjacks.com/> - look for the sign up early in the 2025-26 school year!

Have a wonderful summer!

Upcoming School Council Event Dates...

- ◆ **June 11 - Next Regular Meeting**
- ◆ **June 13 & 20 - Popsicle Days**
- ◆ **June 23 - Hot Dog Lunch**

Note: All parents / guardians / persons responsible for a K-6 child enrolled at EFA are automatically voting members of the EFA School Council [SC], and are encouraged to attend as often as schedules permit, because every voice and idea helps! Regular SC meetings are held online, generally on the 2nd Tuesday of each month from 6:30 - 8 PM. Information is relayed to SC membership via Le Messenger, our parent-to-parent newsletter, the Ecole Frere Antoine Catholic Facebook page, and our page on the EFA website [where you will also find our contact information].