

- **Kindergarten 2024/25 Update:**

All new family spots have been confirmed except for one. The deadline is March 6th.

- **Top Marks uniform price increase approval:**

Top Marks has seen an increase in their primary costs with direct labour, materials, and embellishments. This will equate to an average increase in the 3% to 6% range, with St. Paul's uniform items averaged between an increase of 3% to 4%.

Mrs. Carolyn Law proposed a motion to approve Top Marks increase of 3% to 4% for uniform prices. The motion was seconded by Mr. Ricky Bravo. The PEC is all in favour.

Pastor's Report

Fr. Thomas Smith reported:

- Grade 2 First Communion will be on Sat, April 20th and Grade 7 Sacrament of Confirmation will be on Wed, May 8th
- First Reconciliation for Grade 2 is this Thurs, March 7th
- Archbishop Miller suggests that St. Paul should set up a separate account to plan for the building of a new school

Member Reports

Staff

No report

Maintenance

Mr. Mark Acosta suggests that we order more mulch for the playground. Maintenance will be replacing the tennis balls on the school chairs; he has 2 boxes of tennis balls but will need more.

Treasurer

Mr. Ricky Bravo reported that he is still waiting for the February school budget. He will reach out to Mr. Rick Schneider from CISVA regarding creating a separate building fund.

IT

Mr. Joseph Lo reported that the networking company is going to install the switch by Mrs. Christine Ong's desk. We will only pay for the switch if it works (\$300).

Parent Participation

Ms. Maureen Griffin confirmed that the school has accepted a family for Grade 2. Mrs. Kitty Estrella will be ready to have the family fill out the purple volunteer sheet for bingo parent participation.

Parish Council

No report

The meeting was adjourned at 7:51 pm.

Next meeting: Tuesday, April 9th, 2024 at 7:00 pm.