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Home and School Minutes

Monday, January 8, 2024



In attendance: Michelle Murkowski, Sandy Wendtland, Jenna Martin, Lexie Gajewski, Tiffany Braunel

Staff: Fr. Alan, Jessica H, Kris R, Jane B, Brenda W.

Parents: Marissa D, Danielle M, Michelle H, Melanie B, Paul B, Stephanie S, Joanne S, Kris H, Kelsey R, Jackie V.

1. Welcome/Opening Prayer—Father Alan 6:00pm
2. Approval of the Minutes as sent out via email—Jenna Martin, Secretary
 - Correction to spelling of Jon
 - Motion to approve 1st Marissa D 2nd Danielle M
3. Treasurer Report—Lexie Gajewski, Treasurer
 - Approximately \$2000 remaining of the \$3000 budget.
 - i. money has been used for teacher in-service lunches, Teacher gifts, Christmas gifts, stocking the teachers lounge,
4. Old Business—Michelle
 - Volunteer Hours
 - i. reminder that if you volunteer no matter the time if less than an hour you are granted 1 hour of volunteer time to your 10 hours
5. New Business
 - Coffee Fundraiser—Tiffany
 - Dates: Orders taken February 2-14; Orders ready February 22
 - order forms go home on February 2nd
 - Catholic Schools Week—January 28-February 3—Tiffany
 - Sunday, 1/28 Skating—11-1 p.m. Mass to kick off the week; Melody Gardens, Marshfield - Roller Skating & Pizza Time 11 am-1 pm; H&S sponsor pizza
 - Sunday, 2/4 Breakfast to close the week, breakfast sponsored by the school; St. John's students work the event
 - 3k, 4k, 5k open house On Tuesday January 30th
 - Scholarship—Michelle M—**copies of scholarship form**
 - Would we like any changes to the application/process this year?
 - Selections are due back to EHS *April 22*
 - Applications turned in for our review by March 15. We will go over scholarship applications after the next meeting (April 8) if anyone would like to help "rate" them, plan to stay after the meeting
 - Last year we did 1 scholarship (Morgan Schnelle)—4 eligible students this year: Shelby Dvorak, Austin Jacobs, Elizabeth Woller, Jonathan Hafferman
 - This year's recipients will be announced at the graduation mass on May 12, 9 a.m.
 - \$20 Benefit Raffle—Sandy—any updates, Brenda said she will make the tickets again
 - The Drawing for the raffle will be at the school picnic On May 15th possibly the 22nd
 - Will we be doing the Children's raffle again this year Tickets to cost \$0.50 per ticket
 - Anyone can donate a basket to the raffle for the kids.
 - Asking families to sign up for lunches—Lexie—sign up on google Staff In-service lunch remaining dates:

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- Volunteer hours do apply
 - January 19 & 22 (you pick the date)
 - Registration 2023-2024 School Year—Jessica
 - Registration to open up on January 30th
 - Tuition costs are due to change will be notified
 - Open House 3/4/5k— January 30
 - Make additional pouches for handing out for this year and future years
 - New, streamline form for returning families
 - Separate forms for 3K and 4K
 - Officer Election—Michelle—Positions up for re-election are Vice Chairperson & Treasurer & Reporter; 2-Year term, nominations, election will be at the April meeting.
 - Vice Chairperson-currently Sandy
 - Treasurer-currently Lexie
 - Report-currently Tiffany
 - Contact any officer if interested or for more information
6. School Updates—Jessica
- Summer Program possibly coming to St. Johns
 - Would open up two or three positions-summer Program Coordinator and two teachers depending on the enrollment
7. Parish News—Father
- Alex Radke coming to St.Johns January 15th will help at school and parish
8. Other Items
- January is a busy month, See Juan's email from earlier today
 - April 12th Middle School Dance -Dining hall
 - i. intention is to have students assist with the planning and decorating
 - Joanne S- Food Court
 - i. will set up a date for the first committee
9. Next Meeting Date
- Next Meeting Date: April 8, 2024
 - Upcoming Events (before next meeting)
 - i. January
 1. January 8th - Home and School meeting at 6:00 pm. There are a few seats up for election and a lot to cover so please make sure to come to the meeting!
 2. January 8th - Youth Night for grades 5 and up from 5:30pm to 7:00pm.
 3. January 10th - Middle School Quiz Bowl at Stratford at 1:00pm. Good luck to our Middle School Students!!!
 4. January 10th - Father Alan has a large group class for CCD parents at 6:30 pm to 7:45 pm. All families are welcome to join the CCD parents. We hope to see you there!
 5. January 17th - The Veterans will be honoring the Patriot's Pen Winners at our school Mass at 8:00am.
 6. January 17th - Our middle school will have the annual In-School Spelling Bee.
 7. January 18th - End of Quarter 2, Report cards will be sent home on the 24th so please be on the lookout for them.
 8. January 19th and 22nd - Teacher In-Service, there will be no school.

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9. January 24th - NERR Spelling Bee in Marathon.
 10. January 28th through February 3rd - Catholic Schools Week, please be on the lookout for flyers and more information about all the events and activities happening at school!
 11. January 30th - St. John's Preschool Open House. Know someone who is looking for a 3K, 4K or 5K program, let them know about our Preschool Open House!
 12. February 17th - Father/Daughter Dance from 5:30pm to 7:30pm. Check out St. John's Parish Facebook for more information!
 - ii. February 22—P/T Conferences 4-7 p.m.
 - iii. February 23—No School
 - iv. March 25-29—No School-Spring Break
 - v. April 1—No School
 - vi. April 8—Home & School Meeting
10. Adjournment—Michelle M
- motion to adjourn 1st Joanne S 2nd Marissa D
11. Closing Prayer—Father Alan 7:04pm