

St. Joseph Home and School Meeting

January 12, 2016

The January 12, 2016 meeting of St. Joseph Home and School was called to order by President Carol Rohan. She then led us in the Parents' Prayer. There were 10 members present, Fr. Joseph Abba and Mr. Randy Struck.

Treasures Report: Mandy Cope reported the checking account balance is \$9257.39. The athletic account balance is \$1108.86. Discussion was held, and since we have quite a few expenses coming up, it was decided to wait until March to transfer funds to the parish. It was moved by Gwen Deimeke and seconded by Becky Hoyt to accept the treasures report. Motion passed.

The Basketball season is finished. All players and cheerleaders did a good job. Next year we need a new volunteer to manage the concession stand. We want to look into half-time \$1 events.

Teacher's Reports: Teacher report was given by Kelly Kuda. Mr. Struck gave reports from Joyce Smith, Michelle Hombs, Tina Schmeling and Megan Schutte. All reported their classes are going well. New student Layla Fierge will be joining Kindergarten next week.

Principal's Report: Mr. Struck reported winter cleaning went well with a good turnout. Second quarter ended Friday. Grade Cards will go home this Thursday. Grades 5 and 8 will be taking the Acre Religion Assessment. Mr. Struck will administer it during his Social Studies class. Friday will be Blue & Gold day as well as Baptismal Anniversary recognition at Mass. January 20th will be the school Spelling Bee. January 26th will be the 100th day of school. Catholic Schools Week is coming up.

Secretary's Report: Kristan Kleinsorge read the Secretary's report. Kelly Kuda moved to accept the report and Gwen Deimeke seconded it. Motion passed.

Charlea Schafer read thank you notes from the teachers showing appreciation for their Christmas gifts.

Committee Reports:

St. Louis Cardinals Calendar - Carol Rohan reported a profit of about \$1100 is expected. Sales were down a little, but it was still a success.

Book Fair - Gwen Deimeke reported we hit our goal. As a reward the students will receive a dress of choice day.

Snowflake Dinner & Dance - Patty Fennewald reported ticket sales are good. We are in need of desserts. A letter will be sent home to sign up for making a dessert. This year there will be 3 raffles- 50/50, a Cardinals package donated by Warrenton Oil Company and a necklace donated by Melody's Quality Jewelry.

Catholic Schools Week will be January 31 – February 5. The committee has a fun week planned. A letter will be coming home soon with details. The all school field trip will be Wednesday. We will be touring the Basilica and Our Little Haven in St. Louis and then enjoying lunch and fun time at The City Museum. Discussion was held about advertising during Catholic Schools Week.

Mission Carnival- Dana reported a letter was sent home about the carnival. They are looking for some new game ideas. Also if you have any ideas for older kid prizes on the ticket table, please let them know.

Fish Fry – Kelly Kuda reported date will be February 19th. They are looking for some committee members. She will send home a letter.

Grandparents Mass & Meal will be March 1st.

Softball Tournament will be April 30th in Laddonia. Megan Schutte is organizing this event.

5K will be May 14th.

Discussion was held about Home & School donating an auction item to the annual Knights of Columbus Slave Sale. Gwen Deimeke made a motion to collect items for a Missouri Sports Basket. Brook Poindexter seconded it. Motion passed. Kristan Kleinsorge will send home a letter to let families know of our plans. Kelly Kuda and Kristan Kleinsorge will organize the donations.

Pastors Report – Fr. Joseph reported he received word from the diocese that they received a large donation from an anonymous donor. Each school in the diocese will receive \$100 per student. This year we have 52 students enrolled.

Banner count was taken. 5th & 6th Grade won.

Brook Poindexter moved to adjourn the meeting and Kristan Kleinsorge seconded it. Motion passed.

Respectfully Submitted



Kristan E. Kleinsorge