

St. Charles Borromeo School PTU Business Meeting Minutes 9/13/17

Call to Order

1. Opening
 - a. Welcoming remarks from Elena
 - b. Prayer - Brianne
2. Minutes- Chris made copies available for members.
3. Knights of Columbus fundraiser – John McQuillen presented PTU with a rebate check of \$521.00 for the school. He also mentioned that KOC would be conducting a blood drive with Lifeshare on October 22nd from 9:00 am – 1:00 pm. Please come out and donate.
4. Report of Officers
 - a. VP- Pam reported that we have raised \$2,115.00 so far for the membership drive. 154 families have registered. Membership drive ends on October 20th.
 - b. Corresponding Sec.- Brianne sent the Ignacio family a Congratulations card on birth of baby daughter.
5. Treasurer- Diane reported - Account Balances: Savings Account - \$24.86; Money Market - \$9,034.00; Checking Account - \$21,859.00; Recycling money – Bin totals: \$795.00 raised between July 1st-September 13th.
6. Report of Executive Board
 - a. Elena reported that the positions of President, Vice-President & Recording Secretary will be available at the end of this year. Members should consider running for those positions.
7. Mrs. Updegrove's Report –
 - The theme for the year is ALL IN, Fr. Ryan spending time developing theme with teachers. Other plans for the year will develop as we go along.
 - Be sure to be connected to Gradelink for all school communication. It is how we get information out to everyone.
 - We are working on the app update and making sure push notifications work.
 - Grade 5 has been invited to join instrumental band. Director is from Padua High School.
 - The junior high has several things going on already
 - Choose Life – weekly for six weeks
 - Grade 8 on “Got Prayer?” retreat with Trinity High School
 - High school test prep started
 - High school shadow days are starting soon
 - Holy Name High School seniors will come teach a social justice lesson to junior high in October
 - Grade four was able to secure a Statehouse Grant for their Columbus field trip
 - Knights of Columbus is having a blood drive October 22 in lower hall – for every 25 pints collected between now and May, the school can earn \$500.
 - The PTU donation from last year is used to defray costs of field trips - \$10 per student.

8. Report of Standing Committees-

- a. Colleen Burdine mentioned the family photo fundraiser. Pictures taken the weekend of October 7-8th at West Creek Park. Families will receive 2 pictures for \$30.00. The school receives \$10.00 for every session. Please check out the link on Facebook for more details.

9. New Business -

- a. Santa Shop – Gary Skelley & Lisa Tohati will start the event on December 3rd after the morning masses. Parents can preview items and shop too. Shop runs from December 3rd-7th.
- b. Country Parlour – Ice cream fundraiser will be coming soon sometime this fall.
- c. Mother/Son Bowling – event takes place on March 11th at 3:00 pm at Yorktown Lanes. Moms can order t-shirts online through customink.com.
- d. Craft Fair – need chairs for Kitchen & Bake Sale on November 4th.
- e. Cookbook Fundraiser – Need recipes to publish for the cookbook. Please send them in to Elena by October 16th.

10. Adjournment

- a. Prayer-Brianne
- b. Next PTU meeting will be October 11th.