

Holy Name School Home & School Association Executive Committee Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, January 11th, 2022

Committee in Attendance

Father Brian Warchola, Priest & Pastor of Holy Name School
Robin McMullen, Principal
Maribeth Dorsch, President
Christine Rhoades, Vice President (unavailable)
Angela Balog, Secretary
Erin Becquet, Treasurer (unavailable)
Kristy Knobloch, Homeroom Parent
Kate Smith - Homeroom Parent
Lindsey McCoy - Nominating (not available)
Jenny Damin, Student Enrichment
Jen Saxion, Public Relations (unavailable)
Renee Columbus, Membership
Annalisa McCann, Fundraising
Karen Holtz, Fundraising (unavailable)
Ashley Cassol, Red/White Sale

Call to order

Meeting called to order by Maribeth Dorsch, President at 6:32pm.

Board & Advisory Committee

No changes.

Budget

The President, Maribeth Dorsch, shared that the Treasury Balance as of 1/8/22 is \$16,502.87.

Pastor and Principal's Report

Pastor's Report

- Ava Myers (sp?) recent Mount Aloysius College graduate was hired to replace Mr. Knepp
- Covid cases have been difficult with teachers and even CCD
- Artist (Mike Debes) during Catholic Schools Week Fr Brian requesting \$2,000 for student presentation (M, Jan 31st, 10am performance in church hall for students and faculty; 5:30pm performance for adults with heavy appetizers and drinks, auction).
- May 1st Men's conference at SFU May 2nd speaker (Diocese covering travel expenses, HN will provide a small stipend for talking to kids)

Principal's Report

- Jr high bball players have to quarantine due to exposure from student from opposing school
- Asked to release \$100 to Ava to start her classroom talking with Maribeth
- Remote learning day on Jan 27th (mass training for Star 360) ¹/₂ day; not synchronous; teachers will assign work to students
- Operation Valentine's Day and BC basketball game sending fliers home
- Catholic Schools Week faculty luncheon (Tues, Feb 1st) teachers will be eating separate in teacher lounge (don't need parent volunteers to monitor classes)

Committee Reports

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- Homeroom Parents
 - Santa was a big hit!
- Nominating
 - Maribeth asking Lindsay to look at new members for March
- School Enrichment
 - Tomahawks are not visiting schools due to Covid.
 - Authors all currently booked
 - Afternoon of May 25th Jim Basketball Jones, motivational speaker will be outside (\$625 for presentation).
- Public Relations
 - o See Operational Valentine's Day flier being sent home
- Membership
 - o Nothing to report
- Fundraising
 - Restaurant Nights:

- Fox's (2 nights in Dec) donated \$150.56 (they donated \$50 extra on top of sales)
- Feb Clark Powels
- March open
- April open
- May Krispy Kreme (last day of school)
- Annalisa will send out info via text re: open restaurant nights
- Hershey Park discounted ticket (Feb/March) about \$37/ticket for a one day pass (regularly over \$70). Every 20 passes we sell, we get a free one (could give away at Hawk Walk?). Would want to take reservations first want to charge \$50/ticket so we can make some money?
- Angela Balog discussed Porch Peddler Easter fundraiser. Pre-made kits that contain wooden shape and paint for Easter craft. Could sell for \$20 each; H&S would make a \$10 profit. Will work with Porch Peddler to coordinate details.
- Red and White
 - Nov bball spirit sale (H&S should have received money)
 - Winter spirit sale (should have received stuff this week) sold about half of normal (want to do earlier next year)
 - Spring getting kids involved in the design (using HAWK as acronym) "proud to be a HN Hawk"
 - School spirit day Mrs. McMullen to schedule one soon and then during Cath Schools week

Old Business

- No December meeting
- 100 Christmas trees with 700 ornaments were donated to families from Johnstown Food Bank

New Business

- Lori in rectory took over Carol's job. Talk to Maribeth and Erin regarding any expenses and then they will submit to Lori.
- Jan faculty/staff lunch IVP
- Catholic Schools Lunch Clark Powells (3 choices)
 - Teacher gifts HN mugs with scrip card and Mid's chocolate
- \$2000 approved for Fr Brian's Mike Debes request
- ¹/₂ of \$625 approved for Jim BBall Jones (split cost with another school)
- Ways to promote future meetings Bring a friend, honor a class, refreshments, Zoom/call-in option
- Pure Vida fundraiser buy for \$3, sell for \$6 (6-8 weeks turn time to order) Kristy will look into with Kristen Sossong

Next Meeting

General Home & School Meeting – Wednesday, February 9th at 6:30 PM in the Church Hall

Meeting was adjourned at 7:28PM

Respectfully submitted,

Angela Balog, Secretary