

# Holy Name School Home & School Association

General Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, February 9th, 2022

# Committee in Attendance

Father Brian Warchola, Priest & Pastor of Holy Name School
Robin McMullen, Principal
Maribeth Dorsch, President
Christine Rhoades, Vice President
Angela Balog, Secretary
Erin Becquet, Treasurer (unavailable)
Kristy Knobloch, Homeroom Parent
Kate Smith - Homeroom Parent (unavailable)
Lindsey McCoy - Nominating (unavailable)
Jenny Damin, Student Enrichment
Jen Saxion, Public Relations
Renee Columbus, Membership (unavailable)
Annalisa McCann, Fundraising
Karen Holtz, Fundraising
Ashley Cassol, Red/White Sale

## Call to order

Meeting called to order by Maribeth Dorsch, President at 6:31pm.

# Board & Advisory Committee

## No changes.

## Budget

The President, Maribeth Dorsch, shared that the Treasury Balance as of 2/3/22 is \$12,104.78.

## Pastor and Principal's Report

#### Pastor's Report

• Thank you for donation from Home & School Association for Mike Debes performance for students (\$2,000 from school enrichment budget)

#### Principal's Report

- Smart TV's 6 ordered, Ron Rhodes installing two on each floor by grade level
- Teacher movable desks and chairs and new stools for library and front office ordered Ron recruiting a team of parents to assemble items
- Forensics 17 jr. high students participating (competition being housed at HN for whole diocese)
- Children's masses Mr. Rhodes will send an updated schedule
- Ebensburg Library sent thank you for our \$100 donation

#### Committee Reports

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- Homeroom Parents
  - Scholastic Book Fair scheduled for April 25-29<sup>th</sup>. Will be similar schedule to last year with some after school shopping hours as well.
- Nominating
  - Maribeth asking Lindsay to look at new members for March
- School Enrichment
  - Johnstown Millrats (minor league baseball team) coming to read to the students. Jenny will arrange dates with Mrs. McMullen.
  - Other ideas:
    - Carnegie Science Center field trips (\$9/person) H&S to sponsor?
    - DelGrosso's HN Day/picnic in July?
- Public Relations
  - Operational Valentine's Day extra valentines sent to hospice, Healing Patch, veterans, schools, etc. Please send into school with your student by Fri, Feb 11<sup>th</sup>
  - Ebensburg EMS scheduling dates to certify 6-8<sup>th</sup> graders in CPR
  - March Project Linus (blanketeers) will be collecting homemade blankets through March 9<sup>th</sup>.
    Donated to critically ill children, families who suffered home fires, those who lost a parent, etc.
    Students will be tying blankets at school. Jen looking for several volunteers to help.
  - Always looking for new projects!
- Membership
  - Pulled two ticket winners for \$25 scrip cards

- Fundraising
  - Restaurant Nights:
    - Mon, Feb 14<sup>th</sup> Clark Powel's
    - March still choosing a location
    - May 13<sup>th</sup> Island BBQ (same day as Hawk Walk)
  - Hawk Walk:
    - Folders to go out to families later this month
    - Online donations will be set up
  - Porch Peddler Easter Craft:
    - Fliers to go out to parents soon
    - Will be at cost to parents
  - Pure Vida bracelet fundraiser beginning of next year
- Red and White
  - April Spring Spirit Sale
    - Hoodies and t-shirts
    - Each classroom going to create a design

## Old Business

- Teacher luncheons each month
- Catholic Schools Week recap

## New Business

- March 10<sup>th</sup> Next Teacher Luncheon (restaurant TBD)
- March 30<sup>th</sup> Luke Flowers, author of Scholastic books
  - Reading and presenting to students
  - \$300 cost from school enrichment account
- Open Discussion for Comments, Ideas, & Questions
  - Adagio Health through Penn State possible school enrichment?

## Next Meeting

Executive Committee Meeting – Tuesday, March 8th at 6:30 PM in the School

Meeting was adjourned at 7:10PM

Respectfully submitted,

Angela Balog, Secretary