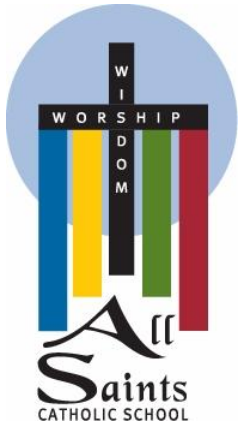


ALL SAINTS PTO | MEETING MINUTES | MAY 17, 2010



We welcomed our new board members (positions to be determined), Dawn Brady, Laurie Mroska, Janet O'Connell and Kathy Traster. They will be replacing 3 members who will be leaving, Carla Regan, Susie Blaylock and Marilyn Stevenson.

Treasures Report: Alia Pranke and Carla Regan presented the financial summary. As of the end of April, income from fundraising activities is \$14,900 of which \$12,000 is from scrip sales. Expenses so far total \$10,700 with the largest expenses so far including "wish list" items and scrip tuition reimbursement. Expenses for May will include Teacher Appreciation Week, Senior Saints Day and the Accelerated Reader Store. A more detailed summary of income and expenses will be sent out closer to the end of the year.

Discussion was held regarding how the last two events went, Teacher Appreciation Week and Senior Saints Day. Thanks to all of our volunteers including our 8th graders everything went well but we will look into possibility of having entertainment provided by our choir or band next year for Senior Saints Day. For Teacher Appreciation Week, it was suggested that we put the week's activities on the school web site. The teachers really loved the goodie bags and the massages they received from the PTO this year as well as the lunch.

We brainstormed on how to get more parents to the PTO meetings.

- Planned with topics for discussion for the entire year.
- Highlighting a couple of grades each meeting.

Alison will be drafting a letter to parents asking for help in the planning process.

Due to overwhelming need for space at the church and school on Mon-Tuesday and Wednesday, PTO meetings will be held on Thursday nights next school year. There will be more to come on time.

It is noted in the treasures report that script sales have been down a bit this year from last. We discussed how we could help increase sales. Ideas suggested were:

- Distributing on a quarterly basis, per family, total tuition credit summary, as 1% of each script sale goes to tuition credit.
- Advertising in the bulletin
- Each week, highlight a script business and what percentage of sales goes to the school.
- Directional signs from the church gathering space to the space outside of the teachers' lounge where script sales occur each week.

Culver's Night: Again this year All Saints has won an all school Ice Cream party due to our wonderful turnout for Culver's Wednesdays this year. This is based on total sales and student enrollment. Way to go!!

PTO will provide Freezies for Field Day on June 7th.

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