

Ss. Peter and Paul School Board
Meeting Minutes: October 6, 2015

Attendance:

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| Renee Crowder, President (present) | Mary Lowe (present) | Fr. John Beveridge (present) |
| Amy Biermann (present) | Amy Smith (present) | Michael Palmer (present) |
| Susan Eade (present) | Brett Swip (excused) | Teri Lesicko (excused) |
| Kelly Gaither (present) | Michelle Webb (present) | Dianne Wepking (present) |
| Maggie Grotefendt (present) | | Bryan Winterbottom (excused) |
| Ryan Klaas (present) | | Deacon Mike Hill (present) |

Agenda Topics:

1. Meeting Minutes:
 - a. Minutes distributed by email for review. Approved.
2. Finance
 - a. No formal report; Parish financial report was included in Church bulletin in September
3. Principals Report
 - a. Testing: Iowa Basic testing results received. Preliminary information provided for board review. 8th grade took test last year and this year so can compare results to see progression. Overall they did well as a class.
 - b. Safety Drills – Fire Bus and Intruder
 - c. Events
 - i. October 9: Student of the Month; end of quarter
 - ii. October 12: No school, Columbus Day
 - iii. October 16: Honor Roll
 - iv. October 17: Middle School Youth Day @FMCHS
 - v. October 19-23: Red Ribbon week
 - vi. October 20: Rosary
 - vii. October 22: Math Webinar for parents at 7 p.m. (GO Math) will be recorded for review by those unable to make the call
 - viii. October 28-30: Parent/Teacher Conferences
 - ix. October 30: No school
 - x. November 6: Student of the Month
 - xi. November 11: Veteran’s Day No School
 - xii. November 13: Picture Retakes
 - xiii. November 14: Auction
 - xiv. January 29: Cosmic Bingo Fundraiser
 - xv. February 27: Trivia Night Fundraiser
 - xvi. May 13: Golf Fundraiser
4. Athletics Report:
 - a. Soccer is wrapping
 - b. 8th grade soccer night went well last Friday
 - c. Basketball starting
 - d. Mr. Winterbottom is looking for an athletic department fundraiser (Fantasy football or March Madness themed game/raffle)
5. Old Business
 - a. Fundraising report

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- i. Auction Committee – class baskets slow on collecting; \$2600 already collected in the raffles from the grandparents mailing. Invitations are out.
 - ii. Brochure sales contract signed – School Kids kits
 - iii. Looking at Schwan’s to replace Market Day fundraiser
 - iv. Cosmic Bingo: Deposit and confirmed Friday, January 29 for cosmic bingo at the SSPP Gym. Cost is \$1500 plus \$2.50 per person. May include wheel barrow of booze, will leave silent auction for the trivia night. Kids will do dress down day to sponsor a round. \$25/person, need. Bring your own drinks and food. Doors open at 5:30 bingo starts at 7 p.m. Sell advance tickets; can use the golf link to sell tickets online. Ask about snow day.
 - v. Need to change Trivia night date because McGivney scheduled on March 5. Looking at February 27 – Mr. Palmer will check availability of the gym.
 - vi. Golf Scramble will be May 13
 - vii. Fundraising idea – Mystic Monk Coffee
 - viii. Fundraising idea – Amazing Race – Collinsville. Scavenger hunt. Could be done in the summer and end at KC pavilion or end of school year.
 - b. Building updates
 - i. Church building progress delayed. Estimate came back higher than expected.
 - ii. McGivney has offered use of gym if it is available for SSPP activities
6. New Business
 - a. Technology update
 - i. Chrome books are going very well. Only minor repairs to date.
 - ii. Wi-Fi will be updated to provide more bandwidth for additional classes.
 - iii. Internet issue due to switches; looking to replace/upgrade switch.
 - iv. Looking at voice over IP phone system for parish and school.
 - b. Curriculum
 - i. No new updates
 - c. Parish Update: Youth minister – Shannon G. resigned and will continue scheduled events through end of October.
 - d. Parish Mission: Deacon Jim presented information and asked the School Board to help promote attendance of school parents, share information and answer questions.
 - i. Sunday 10/18-21, evenings at 7 p.m.
 - (i) Theme: where is God these days presented by Fr. John Mark Ettensohn
 - (ii) Board asked to promote among school families and participate
 - (iii) Will have nursery attendants for Monday and Tuesday for child care.
 - (iv) School board may be asked to help with hospitality on Wednesday night (cookies/drinks, etc.)
7. Next meeting: Tuesday, November 24 at 7 p.m. at Mike Palmer’s House