



St. Michael Catholic School

Student Advisory Council Minutes

November 10, 2016

In Attendance: Kim Tremain, Neal Hauser, Jim Ludowese, Dale Pavek, Dave Hoen, Anita Drentlaw, Dave Loberg, Christina Sevcik, Laurie Maxwell, Kelly Banyai, Father Tom Walker, Meghan Chappuis

Ad hoc: Kris Hall Absent: Nathan Meehling

- I. Opening Prayer
- II. Approval of Agenda
- III. Parish Pastoral Council Update
- IV. Parish Update
 - a. Encouraging Marketing Campaign
 - b. 1st Reconciliation Approaching
 - c. Very close to paying off building debt
- V. Gala Update-Kris Hall
 - a. The Wilds- February 4th, 2017
 - b. Disco, Denim, and Diamonds
 - c. Submit any ideas for "Fund A Need"
- VI. Principal's Report
 - a. Mission Statement under review as part of MNSAA Accreditation
"Shaping disciples of Jesus by igniting the spiritual, academic, and social growth within each child" was created by SMCS staff
 - b. Accreditation
 - i. 7 year cycle
 - ii. Self assessment will take data from multiple sources/committees to form strategic plan; will be asking SAC to review some history data as well as curriculum development
 - c. Top 20 Night Tuesday November, 29th
 - i. Watch John Williams show link from News Notes 11.1.16 (add Jim to news/notes distribution list)
 - ii. SAC should arrive by 5:25pm and help ensure everyone is included
 - iii. ALL parents (including preschool) invited to attend
 - d. Open House Recap
 - i. Successful with 14 families in attendance
 - ii. Folder with focused material was shared with group
- VII. Hospitality Host Reminder
- VIII. Christmas Card
 - a. \$300 in budget per marketing for staff card-will let Maggie know we can help

- IX. Executive Portion of Meeting
- X. Tuition Discussion for 2017-2018
 - a. Parish Finance not ready to present full recommendation and proposal to date
 - b. See Handout-predictions based on enrollment pattern, but will hope for better numbers
 - c. Non-negotiables
 - i. Need all day preschool
 - ii. Marketing plan for grades 5-8
 - d. Will have to look at cutting FTE
 - e. Anita will work with Laurie and finance council prior to presenting at January meeting
- XI. Closing Prayer

Next Meeting: January 12th, 2017 6:30pm Room B111

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