



Parent Connections Minutes

Thursday, March 3rd, 2011

6:00pm Parish Office

Members Present: Linda King, Amy Martell, Angie Mahowald, Shannon Glynn, Meghan Brown, Lisa Evans, Karen Sher, Diane Glaser, Peg Sibbet

I. Opening Prayer

II. Approve Meeting Minutes from February 3rd, 2011

III. PC Updates

- a. Open Positions: Marathon Coordinators-(Committees are broken down by grade level, maybe the Room parent coordinator could help. It was brought up to possibly have teachers be leaders and contacts for each grade level), PC Secretary, PC Co-Chair are also open
- b. Budget (Keri Thayer) No new updates

IV. Review Recent Events

- a. School Information Day/Open House- January 14th at 9am or February 4th at 12p.m. 7 potential families. Another day scheduled for information day on Friday, April 1st 2 times that day 9-10 and 12-1 again...bulletin insert done.

V. Upcoming Events

- a. Fish Fries- March 11th & April 1st (LuAnn Giles)
Great response for volunteers. Drop desserts at school or church.
- b. Book Fair- March 8-14th (Debra Meidl) Movie is Willie Wonka on March 11th.
Many fun plans are in the works.
- c. Kindergarten Round-Up - March 8th (Angie Mahowald & Amy Martell) Fish Theme-
Get hooked on Kindergarten Readiness and Kindergarten. Enrollment is down.
- d. Wine Tasting- April 29th (Angie Mahowald) Plans are in the works. Wine tasting tickets will be sold at the fish fries.

VI. Ongoing Events

- a. Community Restaurants (Kristine Paxton)- Buffalo Wild Wings...possible March or April fundraiser
- b. Aluminum Can Drive (Cathy Cayo) Collection company is holding cans since we don't have enough to recycle.
- c. Ambassador Program (Karen Sher, Leslie Meyer, Diane Glasser) Ambassadors will be at Kindergarten Round Up. 11 new families so far, 13 ambassadors
- d. Sunshine Committee (Keri Thayer)

No new updates

VII. School Advisory Board Updates (Karen Sher-Liaison) Short meeting last month; enrollment is going better, working on school calendar to get it more in sync with public school moving to semesters

VIII. Principal Update/Topics to Discuss

No new updates

IX. Miscellaneous

- a. Next Meeting- Thursday, April 7th at 6:00pm in the Parish Office.



b. Parish Bulletin- email submittals to Hannah Woldum hwoldum@stmichael-pl.org

X. Closing

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Webmaster: Darlene Casey casey@saintmpl.org – Please email photos from school events to her.