



Parent Connections Meeting Minutes

Thursday, January 5th, 2012

6:00 Parish Office

Members Present:

Joy Fischer; Co-Chair, Lisa Evans; Co-Chair, Nicole Miranda; Secretary, Shannon Glynn; Volunteer Coordinator

Meghan Brown, Linda Stadtherr-King, Faith Heil, Kim Welle, Amy Martell, Peg Sibbet, Stephanie Glenzinski, Chad Wentzel, Patrick Fox,

- I. Opening Prayer
- II. Approve Minutes from December 1st, 2011
- III. PC Updates
 - A. Linda Stadtherr-King has volunteered to be Fish Fry Coordinator.
- III. Review Recent Events
 - A. Christmas Gifts and lunch
 1. Great success thanks to everyone's help.
- IV. Upcoming Events:
 - A. Catholic Schools Week
 1. Lunch will be provided to Staff on Wednesday.
- V. Discussion Topics
 - A. Sign-up Genius
 1. Yellow sign-up sheets will be phased out starting next school year.
 2. Currently, lunchroom volunteer opportunities can be found on the Sign-up Genius website.
 3. Discussed creating a more user-friendly page on the website for parents to navigate that will show all volunteer opportunities and specify what parents at each grade are responsible for.

B. Volunteer Request/Forms Change

1. Discussed reconstructing PC and creating a more organizational flow. Redefining the PC mission statement and breaking into subcommittees. Creating specific groups that will meet and discuss and then at the PC meetings, each group will provide an update. Some of the sub-groups discussed were Classroom Support, Fundraising, R&R (recruitment and retention, Marketing Volunteers, and Appreciation to name a few.

C. Parent Connections Budget

1. Discussed that funds raised above projected amounts from certain fundraisers (like the Sally Foster and Wine tasting) will go into PC Fund.

VI. Principal Update

- A. Principal Fox wanted to thank everyone for welcoming Sister Melissa as our new 6th Grade Teacher and helping her settle in. Big thanks to Megan Woods and Laurie Maxwell for all their effort in helping Sister, as well.
- B. Reminder: Gala Dinner tickets are on sale and may be purchased online.

VII. School Advisory Board Updates: Stephanie Glenzinski

- A. Final decision on Tuition will be decided on Thursday January 12th.
- B. For the 2nd year, Registration Fee collection will begin in May 1st for the 2012-2013 School year.

VIII. Mark Your Calendar

- A. Next Meeting: Thursday February 2nd, 2012 at 6:00 in the Parish Office

IX. Meeting adjourned at 7:09pm.