



Catholic Parent Teacher Organization (CPTO) Meeting:

Thursday, January 12, 2017

Meeting Minutes:

- Opening Prayer
- Leader in Me: Growth Mindset Presentation
- Old Business:
 - Giving Tree
 - 115 Wishes were put on the tree and approximately 80 of these were taken and gifts given
 - These were mostly smaller items that were gifted as well as 2 Crickets
 - The teachers loved this and a good response was received
 - The question was posed to have the “Wish List” transferred to the School Website for anyone and everyone to see and donate on their time
 - Votes over break:
 - CPTO Constitution
 - Updated and on the website; take a look!
 - \$500 to Miss Smith
 - \$500 was voted to give to her for the Programs she puts on and the personal money and investment she puts into these for items, props, etc.
 - CPTO received a thank you from Miss Smith
 - Teacher Christmas Fund
 - This was well-received again this year
 - Teachers again are very appreciative and enjoy this gift
 - Family retention meeting
 - Great Brainstorming session was held a few weeks ago
 - Word of mouth is the best marketing tool
 - Working to create a video and to post on the website
 - A Pre-school mass is being thought about
 - A lot of discussion focused on retention of the upper grades
- New Business:
 - Mike Michalick request for Baritone/Euphonium and case (Bass clarinet)
 - Voted tonight for \$1275 for both instruments – Approved and Passed!
- Financial Review
 - No questions on financials
- Committee Review
 - Fundraising Committee: 125th Anniversary Celebration (Sarah Burke)

- Feb 4th evening
- Tell people about the event and attend; it will be awesome
- Annual Appeal has received good feedback and response
- Marketing Committee: Laura Dobson
 - Open House Feb 9 for K-8th grade
 - Spread the word
 - Share on FaceBook
 - Feb 21 – Kindergarten Meeting
 - Spread the word
 - Looking for volunteers for these events
- Volunteer Committee: (Suzie)
 - Nothing to report
- Social Committee: (Nikki, Chell)
 - Pool Party was in December for upper grades
 - ~25 attended
 - Feb 25 – Jr Trivia Night
 - 6-8:30pm
 - Need Volunteers
 - CPTO voted on \$200 to help fund the event – Approved and Passed!
 - Shamrock Shuffle Apr 22
 - 9am Start Race
 - Looking at more of a fun race
 - Less volunteers
 - Not fundraising and looking to make a profit
- Bev Mach
 - Nothing to report
- Out of Uniform pass for CPTO attendance
 - To be used Thursday January 19

2016-17 Scheduled Meetings:

~~September 8~~

~~October 11~~

~~November 10~~

~~December NO MEETING~~

~~January 12~~

February 9

March NO MEETING Conferences and Spring Break

April 20 A WEEK LATER DUE TO EASTER

May 11