

School Committee
St. Joseph School Wauwatosa
October 12th, 2023
School Library

Attendance:

- Jeremy Blackwood - President
- Heather Nosbusch
- Kate Morgan
- Sarah Quates
- Janel Holmes
- Kimberley Bayer
- Johanna Schmanski
- Stephanie Weiler
- Chris Multhauf - Principal
- Bryanna VanVreede - Faculty Representative

1. Opening Prayer - Jeremy Blackwood

2. Principal's Report - Chris Multhauf

- a. MAPs testing - teachers reviewed results during Friday's inservice
 - i. November 9th - parent night to explain in more detail
 - ii. Parents will receive child's performance during parent-teacher conferences
 - iii. Mathematics our school is at the 60th percentile; Reading was at 69th percentile; ELA 73rd percentile
 - iv. Will break it down for parents to break it down to areas of strengths and weaknesses and where their growth should be throughout the school year
 - v. Will drive instruction for our school to promote growth
- b. K4/K5/7th/8th pumpkin farm trip will be changed to Tuesday
- c. Trunk-or-Treat moved to Saturday, Oct. 21
- d. Catholic Souls Walk - After 4 p.m. Mass on Saturday, Oct. 28th we will have a Glow Walk
 - i. Goal of \$5,000 that will be used to purchase trade books for students
- e. 8th grade trip to Washington D.C. - fundraising will be starting
 - i. Annual event - larger scale educational event for 8th graders

3. Teacher's Report - Bryanna VanVreede

- a. Upcoming field trips addressed
- b. Collections for Tosa Cares & the Baby Shower Collection
- c. Student Council

4. Home & School Report

- a. If anyone is interested in doing a trunk for Trunk-or-Treat, please sign up!

5. Pastoral Council Report - Chris Multhauf

- a. Joe Hero - SWOT analysis and will put it into action
 - i. Chris will be presenting to the council the action plans put into place
 - ii. Incorporate youth into parish
- b. Endowment Committee - next week Tuesday, October 17th

6. Old Business - Jeremy Blackwood

- a. Looking to fill the office of Secretary
 - i. Kimberley Bayer will be secretary
- b. Binder Report:
 - i. Walk through immediately relevant information from the binder
 - 1. We should have meetings monthly, except July
 - 2. Constitution can be changed with $\frac{2}{3}$ vote
 - 3. Bi-laws can be changed with a majority vote
 - 4. New policies should be presented at one meeting & voted on at the next meeting; needs 6 voting members
 - ii. Jeremy will send out the Constitution & bi-laws to everyone to review
- c. How to update the dress code policy for 2024-2025
- d. Donut Sunday

7. New Business - Jeremy Blackwood

- a. Need to appoint someone to parish council
 - i. Chris will be the liaison
- b. Webpage - updated
- c. Chris will be sending an email addressing dress code

8. Adjournment