

# School Committee Meeting Minutes

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October 26, 2022 / 6:30 PM / School Library

## ATTENDEES

Members Present: Chris Multhauf, Kristina Watters, Erin Murphy, Jeremy Blackwood, Heather Nosbusch, Natalie Gasser, Julie McKendry

\*Prayer- Chris Multhauf

\*St. Joseph Catholic School Mission Statement

## AGENDA

### Sub Committee Reports

#### Technology

- No meetings held this year yet, they are on an as needed basis. They are open to the entire school staff. Ms. Meyer is engaged and will let us know when to meet.

#### PR & Development

- No updates

#### Policy

- Might set up a zoom meeting soon.

#### Planning

- Several fathers who own businesses that are willing to help out with the Locker redo project.

## Budget

- No meetings have been held yet.

## Principal Report

- Chris proposed moving this meeting to 6pm. More staff would probably attend.
- Getting into more routine with covid restrictions lifted, fewer cases being reported in school. Field trips are taking place again, functions taking place etc.
- Parent coffee at 8:15 tomorrow, specific discussion on pick up procedure changes.

## Teacher Report

- Field trips have been going well. K5, K4, 7th and 8<sup>th</sup> grades went to the pumpkin farm, 4th and 5th went to the Capitol, went well. Middle school Catholic Ecology trip was today.
- Father Michael from the Capucins joined us for Mass today, we donated a check from last year's carnival totaling about \$1600.
- New transition for 5<sup>th</sup> grade teacher going smoothly.

## Home and School Report

- Nothing to report.

## Pastoral Council

- Kate attended the Pastoral Council meeting on 10/19/22. She explained the biggest few things our group is looking at right now and answered a few questions. Looks like the parish will be getting a square account that we will be able to use for things like field trip payments, hopefully hot lunch, etc. We will be getting more from Julie about this in the near future. Their next meeting is 11/16/22 at the same time as ours so she'll be sending a report to the group to keep them caught up with what we are up to.

## **New Business**

- Karen Lengel is back on a part time basis. Applicants we have aren't certified as counselors. We would need to demonstrate we can't get a certified person in order to be approved to accept one of them. Job continues to be posted on our website.
- Parking lot email went out today. Drop off will remain in the upper lot, pickup begins Monday the 3<sup>st</sup> in the lower lot as procedures were in the past.

- Might be some work coming before winter to the upper lot, maybe after. We'll just keep pickup in the lower lot.
- Staff changes – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade teacher Tiffany Franks submitted her letter of resignation Monday. We posted the position, had interest from a prior staff member and she has already started. She gained more experience with interventions while away.
  - Kids are following behind due to covid, Catholic school kids not as much but still increased. Sara and Katherine can work on interventions with students who need more help.
- Tornado warning – older kids did really well in comforting the younger kids during the event.
- Father Adam was touched that the kids acknowledged his birthday. Students made cards, even trying to write in his native language.
  
- **Meeting Adjourned at 6:54p.m.**