

# School Committee Meeting Minutes

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**13 September 2018 / 6:30 PM / Library**

## ATTENDEES

Members Present: Julie McKendry, Amy Warren, Linda Cooney, Beth Anne Bongert, Monica Warren, Jerry Leveille, Katie Hess, Kate Morgan, Erin Murphy, Nicole Zilles

Excused: Jennifer Varga, Michelle Slawinski, Jen Murray, Tom Heinen

Prayer- Linda Cooney

St. Joseph Catholic School Mission Statement- Linda Cooney

Approval of the June minutes

## AGENDA

### **New Business**

Committees did not have reports but members discussed which members are on which committees:

Erin, Michelle, Beth Anne--**Policy**

Amy Warren will join **Planning**, along with Nicole, Monica & Kate Morgan

Jerry & Tom will stay on **Technology**

Katie Hess, Jen Murray and Jennifer Varga will be on **PR/Development Committee**

Jenn Murray and Beth Anne will be on the **Budget Committee**

## **Communications/Public Relations**

### **Principal Report**

- Teacher in-service week went very well. We went through the teacher / parish handbooks so that the new faculty could learn the various procedures and policies we have in place. We also reviewed the Crisis Plan. This week was beneficial to all faculty members.
- The school has been freshly painted thanks to Nate Zilles and his volunteers. I was amazed at how many people stepped up. A thank you recognizing these volunteers will be in the newsletter.
- We have 27 new families joining our school this year. Our enrollment is growing we have 193 students this year. The existing families really stepped up to volunteer to be Mentor Families.
- The results from the parent survey will be shared at the next School Committee meeting.
- We purchased a new social studies and science series for K5 – 5<sup>th</sup> grade. The reading curriculum in fifth grade was also updated.
- Back to School Night went very well. Attendance was stronger in the younger grades.
- The new families have shared that they love St. Joseph School and their children love it too.
- Officer Kutz from the Wauwatosa Police Department will be meeting with the faculty on Tuesday, September 18<sup>th</sup> to review all of our lockdown procedures.
- We are continuing our work in preparation for the Accreditation visit on November 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>. The team will interview members of the School Committee and Home and School.
- This year the monies collected from the Soles Walk will be used in the area of technology.
- Please make sure you stop by Oktoberfest this weekend.

### **Pastoral Council**

Pastoral Council reported that the Annual Parish Meeting will be taking place at 6:30 pm on 9/18.

Next Meeting is Oct 11 at 6:30 pm.

**Meeting Adjourned at 7:30pm**