

Holy Rosary PA Meeting

January 11, 2017

Meeting called to order at 7:10 PM.

We did not approve last meetings minutes because they weren't available.

Board Reports:

Social-Kristine Chan

- Dandy Lyon Drama starting as well as Coding w/ Kids.
- Coding with Kids has two different sections. One for K-2 and one for 3-6.
 - Both are more beginner geared and using "scratch" as the language.
- Parent Volunteer, Garrett Conaty, will take any kids that are more proficient and want to move on.
 - He is teaching Java Script on Wednesdays after school for a nominal fee. \$50.
 - This is for the software licenses.

Beth Mitchell pointed out when the registration goes out they need to send link digitally for ease of Coding with Kids registration because it is online. Beth suggested to somehow also let younger parents know that a little reading is necessary to follow directions.

Kristine is also following up on scheduling a Mariners night.

St. Nick's Night- Whatever we did this year was the right formula. Possibly due to the wonderful and talented Jessica Gardner doing the Kahoots with the older kids. Everyone Happy.

Secret Santa- Back on forth on the consumerism vs the joy of the kids. Pretty divided. Renee Drew suggested tying service into the holidays. Teresa Holt asked about "Hands of Action" Fair Trade product being a possible source for product. Basically tabled for further discussion later.

Mrs. Venable -Auction is coming along. Lisa Sale has been assisting in a number of ways. We will have the same auctioneer and the same emcee, Paul Rucker. Really focused on procurement. Classroom art projects for the auction are starting. Teresa Holt brought in the quilt. She has \$715 collected. She wants sign-ups for all the masses to sell raffle tickets. Mrs. Venable also wants to know if anyone has hotel, vacation or cabins.

Mrs. Venable also reported there is a new family coming on January 30th. They have a 7th, 1st and Kindergartener.

NEW BUSINESS

Lisa Rush is looking for help for Grandparents day. She needs a co-chair. Annett Alvarez offered assistance and they are going to reach out to Tamara too. (off topic). Lisa wants to know if we have a

digital home where everything is stored. Maribel sent a drop box earlier this year. We will revisit getting stuff up there.

Renee said we are going to need a new chair for new families events because Kelly Groesbeck is working at the school now.

Lisa Sale- room Parent Coordinator is moving and we will also need to do that.

ANNETT for CSW-Went over the schedule of events. She and her husband Fritz is in charge of the lunch. Volunteer coordinators are helping with that. Also, local fitness instructor Nicole Sargeant is doing Zumba for the kids.

The kids have mass on Student Appreciation day. There was a discussion about the proper clothing. Mrs. Venable is doing free dress with mass appropriate parameters. Mass couldn't be changed.

CSW- Lots of discussion of gifts for the new priest. He needs new vestments and they are expensive. They are looking into a combined gift with other parish groups such as women's association, SERRA club and the Knights of Columbus.

OUTREACH-

Maribel reported for Maureen that we are still doing a rosary every Monday at 1:15 PM for a school mom. Also, there is a family rosary through the parish being said on the 2nd Friday of the month.

TEACHER APPRECIATION-

Star let us know that she has been handling gifts for non-classroom staff such as wine, chocolates, and throws. They also do monthly birthday celebrations. The teacher very much liked the soup lunch served on the chaotic concert day. Larry in Facilities is returning in February from surgery and we will be welcoming him back.