

SKDS School Board Meeting

October 25, 2016

Attendees: Jill Kaufmann, Barb Haase, Beth Jens, Jennifer Nampel, Heather Eggers, Tricia Cargen, Father Mike, Tracy Gundert, Deb Hankes, and Greg Steil.

Meeting called to order at 7:04pm. Barb Haase led the group in prayer.

Introduction of Guests/Guest Topics: No guests.

Review and Approval of August Minutes: Motion to approve by Jennifer Nampel and seconded by Beth Jens.

Correspondence/ Audience Comments/Eyes and Ears: None.

Pastors Report: None.

Administrator's Update: The accreditation visit interviews with the team are all scheduled for Tuesday, November 8. General type of questions that may be asked during a parent interview will be shared in this week's family newsletter. Supporting documents for the accreditation process were provided to school board members.

The Writer's Conference was last week Monday, October 17. Pam Quinlan was the author. Two children from each grade were chosen to participate.

The Soles for Education Walk went really well. The availability of the bus made it possible for more families to attend. Lots of fun activities for the children who participated.

Events Coming Up: Living Rosary, All Saints Day Mass and Saints Presentation, Glitz, Christmas Program, and Family Carnival. The Living Rosary was led last week Thursday by the 4th grade and their teacher, Mrs. Jacobs; Mrs. McCarthy came to lend assistance. Teachers Convention, Sustaining the Mission (religious education training for educators), and conferences all happened in October and all went well. All Saints Day is next week Tuesday, November 1. Auditions were held for the Christmas Program (Sheep in Heavenly Peace). Family Carnival is this Saturday, October 29. Glitz is on November 5.

We would like to pray for the family of Chris Bedker and Mary Straus; their mother, Lois Jezcyk, passed away. Lois was a volunteer with our lunch program. We also pray for the family of Mary Henderson as her mother recently passed away.

Script Committee: No report.

Finance Report: No report.

Advancement Report: No report.

Glitz Report: Lots of great donations have been received. 76 people have registered, which is down 25 from last year.

Parish Council Report: At the last Parish Council meeting the members and audience were reminded of the importance of Glitz. An update of the annual parish budget was provided; Father Charles bequest \$140K to the church and left a substantial amount to the school as well. School endowment contains \$2Million dollars. The endowment started back in 1981 and we are very fortunate to have this. Parish revenue has slightly decreased. The homes are being reviewed for removal. In the meantime the homes are being winterized.

Old Business/New Business – None

A motion to adjourn was made by Greg Steil at 7:50pm and seconded by Tracy Gundert.

Next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 15 at 7:00pm.