

ECCSS PTO BOARD MEETING
Held November 8, 2016 at 7 p.m. at the ECC Administration Building

Present: Aimee Lasko, Jen Thorwart, Sharon Zambanini, Jen McAllister, Mary Lynn Carnovale, Janel Castellano, Kimmy Simbeck, Jessica Shirey, John Schneider

Excused: Lynn Schatz, Sam MacDonald, Debbie Slay, Tiffany Boschert, Debbie Nunamaker, Dawn Gier, Joe Gier

Guest: Ann Caskey

The meeting opened with a prayer lead by Jen Thorwart. The previous minutes from October were handed out.

The minutes from October were approved by Jessica Shirey and seconded by Sharon Zambanini. The minutes stand as printed.

Principal Report:

Middle School/High School (John Schneider)

Middle School

- The 8th grade retreat at Holy Cross went well.
- The Halloween Party on the 28th of October went well. About 100 students attended.
- There will be a Veterans' Day Mass.

High School

- On Veterans' Day, high school students will be attending the Veterans' Day program on the Diamond as part of the involvement in the Race for Education.
- The musical "Cats" will run from November 10 – 13.
- Fall Sports Awards will be held on November 9.

Both Middle School and High School

- Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held on Monday, November 14 from 3 – 5 p.m. and from 6 - 7:30 p.m. by appointment.
- Thanksgiving Dinner will be on November 16th for students and staff.
- The US Army Band and Soldiers' Chorus Concert will be on November 17.
- There will be no school beginning Wednesday, November 23 – November 29. School will resume on Wednesday, November 30.

Committee Reports/Updates

Cards for a Cause – The order went in and we need to arrange for a delivery night with a pick-up date at the MS/HS. We will run it similar to the hoagie sale pick-up.

Hoagie Sale – Hoagie pick-up will be on November 10 from 3-5 p.m. at the HS/MS cafeteria parking lot.

Bag Bash – November 12th at the Red Fern. A total of 213 tickets have been sold with a goal of 225.

Holiday Club - Party was on November 5 at the ECCHS Cafeteria. It was a nice time. There are more Holiday Club tickets to sell.

Christmas Store/Auction – The store is scheduled for December 7 - 8 at the elementary school. The auction is set for the middle/high school as well.

Easter Candy – Orders are set to be collected from February 2 – February 23 with a pick-up date of March 30.

New Business

- Festival – A chairperson is needed to shadow Mary Lynn.
- We discussed fundraisers such as Krispy Cream Doughnuts, Joey's Bakery, princess-themed event and a painting event for children maybe at the festival.
- Discussion took place about the commitment to the school.
- Discussion took place for ideas for new fundraisers.

Our next meeting will be held on January 10, 2017 at 7 p.m. at the ECC Administration Building.

Respectfully submitted,

Aimee Lasko, Recording Secretary