

ECCSS PTO BOARD MEETING
Feb. 8, 2012 6:45 p.m.
Held at the Queen of the World Rectory

Present: Mary Lynn Carnovale, JC Fritz, Tricia Bauer, John Schneider, Sandy Florig, Amy Jacob, Kim Kim, Ann Caskey, Mary Agnes Marshall, Mary Beth Schaut, Bob Ordiway, Holly Eckert

Excused: Mary DaCanal, Mark Hoffman, Jeanne Dippold, Laura Gerber, Lou Radkowski, Julie Heary, Fr. Michael

Absent:

Guest: Mary Meyer

JC Fritz opened the meeting with a prayer

OLD BUSINESS:

Advancement:

- Thank you from Advancement to PTO for \$5000.00
- Marketing one time– didn't come out of the school budget at all
- Amy Cherry – will have an article in the Daily Press about the campaign
- Emporium Endeavor Newspaper – will be doing an interview with advancement as well as advertising

Advertising:

- Billboards will be up through April
- TV ad will run till mid-April
- Newspaper will run month to month
- Radio ad for 3 months
- Magazine to be printed – put in parishes, also will go in businesses that will put it in

ECCSS fund:

- On target so far
- Combined funds from the two schools going well
- Jan. mailing we received 150 donations from that
- Go to PayPal to make a donation to our school starting with \$10.00

Heritage Gala

- Dinner 3 meatless options since it is during lent
- Heritage award – Sisters who taught or worked in our Catholic schools

Finance:

- Committee will meet with Advancement and Bob to see what the goal and commitment will be for next year
- When doing fundraisers, we would like to announce what the fundraiser money is going to be used for next year

Fundraising:

- Gardner candy:
\$12,000 is goal since High School is included
- Winterfest:
Scheduled for March 18 or 25
Chrissy Schneider will be invited to the next meeting
- Hoagie Sale:
Roseann will be invited to the next meeting
Holly Eckert and Kathy Billie are looking to take over future hoagie sales
- Race for Education:
We need a chairperson to run this event
May have the event on May 17 during the school wide get together at the High School Track
Will be able to make donations through Paypal
Commission for the event could be \$1000 but no more then \$7500
Consider giving some of the profit to the teachers to use for their classrooms
Ask the teachers to be the committee to get service hours
Mary Agnes to write something up to get teachers to be chairpersons
- Bingo:
Meeting with the bingo committees to go over what works and what does not
Need volunteers for next year
5 different bingos are within the school system between the different clubs
- Box tops:
10 box tops per student – will get their names put in a drawing for theater tickets
High School students will be informed after mass or at each lunch
Email to Sandy Florig to let her know what is to be announced
Check the dates on the tops because they expire
Need the whole top not a partial

Parent/teacher/student:

- Movie night will possibly be March 16 and May 4
- Checking with Marty Kim to see when we could use his equipment
- Money obtained from the dress down day at the elementary school was \$259.00
- Money was given to Amy Jacobs and it will pay for 2 movies and buy popcorn
- March gym dates are open

State of the School Mass and Brunch:

- Dates we are looking at are May 13 or 20
- We will talk with Fr. Michael to confirm a date
- We will have it at Queen of the World or at the high school
- Talk with Terry Baumgratz regarding food
- We will have people RSVP to see how much food is needed
- Discussion was made to possibly have it on a Sunday evening with Mass and hors d'oeuvres, will talk with Fr. Michael

PRESIDENT/PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Elementary School: (Mary Beth Schaut)

- 7 priests for Catholic Schools Week Mass
- Spirit stick, faith bingo, video was watched and elem. band and pep rally on Monday during Catholic Schools Week
- Sprit sticks that were made by the students were given to the nursing home residents
- Money from bingo to go to an organization of the students' choice
- Tubing with the 5th and 6th grade students on Tues. was great
- Guest speakers read to all classes during CSW
- Board game with hot chocolate and a cinnamon roll
- Dress down day for a donation to the Krug family
- Sing along with Peggy Hoffman on Friday
- One Kindergarten student left but got a new student in 1st grade
- Working on a yearbook for 2011-2012 school year
- Good night for registration of kindergarten and preschool students

Middle School: (John Schneider)

- On Jan. 18, all the 5th grades came to visit the middle school
- Good CSW with all the activities
- Tubing – Mrs. Minnick said the tubing group said the best group to work with

High School: (Sandy Florig)

- During CSW, Seniors wanted to be buddied-up with 1st graders as noted from the survey
- Varsity Boys' and Girls' Basketball teams went to St. Boniface to mingle
- Students that went to the Dominic Rep. had a PowerPoint presentation
- Feb. 16 – will have the scheduling for the 43 incoming freshman
- Seniors will do a 2nd fundraiser, and it will be selling the Sheetz coupons for \$10.00 - need \$1500.00

NEW BUSINESS:

Ideas for next year:

State of school, picnic, Race for Education, meeting on bingo

8:36 p.m. meeting was closed by JC Fritz

Respectfully Submitted,

Mary Lynn Carnovale

ECCSS PTO Recording Secretary