

St. John Paul II School Council Meeting

October 11, 2023

Attendees:

Laura Rosero, Vicky Perri, Judy Walczak, Marie Steward, Lisa Vitaro, Christine Michele, Danielle Hassberger, Antonietta Corbo, Sabrina De Carli, Stephanie Rowe, Adriana Pires, Nadia Marsili, Stephanie Noce, Jessica Cesaritti, Christina Vien,
ONLINE: Nadia Pasutto, Lue Chiappetta, Sofia Kinal, Laura Lovat, Joshua Branco

Ms. Rosero began the meeting with an opening prayer and the land acknowledgement.

Welcome was done by Laura Rosero

- All attendees introduced themselves to one another
- Ms. Rosero moved on to the staff report which was presented by Ms. Stewart.

Staff Report: Ms Stewart

- Terry Fox goal was \$2000, school raised \$2649
- Students enjoyed watching the teachers take a pie to the face, Ms. Stewart and Ms. Rosero thanked teachers for being good sports about this event.
- Thank you to parents who donated to the Thanksgiving drive.
- The Exchange received over 1700 pounds of food from our school community.
- Wayback Playday was a success, students really enjoyed the event
- Thanksgiving mass took place Oct. 11
- Grades 6-8 were encouraged to take part in the Edge program at Holy Family Parish
- School will be taking part in creating a Quilt
- Date Change for Picture Day, it will now be on Oct. 20
- X Movement will take place Oct. 23-27
- CCAT Grade 4 Pace Testing will take place beginning Oct. 16

Ms. Vitaro

- Oct 18 IEPs will come home to parents
- ECO club battery collection will continue
- Oct. 19 Cross Country

Ms. Rosero:

- Thanked the staff for working very hard this past month and volunteering their time for extracurricular activities.
- No Reorganization this year took place at SJP
- Nadine Williams will be working with each class to make 1 piece of the quilt
- School to be creating an Equity Wall
- 2 Literacy leads came in to discuss new programs for the teachers (eg, word wall, sound wall and direction for teachers)

- Tuck Shop - Snacks-r-us program has begun: school generated funds, Ms.Mandolfo is heading this program and the students have been enjoying it.
- Ben Berline: Circus Act will take place Jan 19

Ms. Perry:

- The students participated in 2 Fire Drills
- Bussing for students: Courtesy Busing is very limited this year
- Oct. 27 Immunization Clinic will take place for Grade 7 & 8 students
- Nov. 30 Hearing and Vision
- Dental screening has been postponed no rescheduling date yet

Ms. Vitaro

- OT from ErinOak will be visiting classrooms to support students

Parent Council was voted on and established

Chair: Judy Walczak

Treasurer: Christine Michele

Parish Rep: Nadia Prusutto

Secretary: Nadia Marsili, Stephanie Rowe

OAPCE Rep:

Community Rep: Sabrina De Carli, Adriana Pires

Parent at Large: Antionetta Corbo

Parent at Large: Jessica Cesaritti

Parent at Large: Christina Vien

Teacher Rep: Mrs. Vitaro, Mrs. Steward, Mrs. Hassberger

Staff Rep: No one at the moment

Ms. Rosero

- Funds will be used for two Science Rooms. 1 upstairs for Jr/Int students and 1 downstairs for Primary students. This will allow for more hands on learning and support the teachers with more science materials
- Funds will also be used for Equity Wall (include indigenous pieces) and Physical Education Equipment
- Dodgeball Game will be set up
- Good feedback from the community about Pizzaville.

Judy went through the minutes and motioned, Second by Christine

Judy went through the treasure report Antonietta: Motioned Second by Sabrina

Items Approved for the year.

- Halloween Dance: October 31st
 - DJ \$700
 - Prizes- 26 classes- 3 prizes each class- 78x \$5= \$390

- More Decorations- \$150
- Christmas market Date: December 1 st
 - Approved \$1000 (based off last years funds)
 - Baskets, vendors, food trucks, raffle tickets
 - School cash online for vendors \$40 a table, \$60 double table, \$15 student table

Hot Chocolate with Santa Date: Friday December 15 th , Tuesday 19th Backup

- Got us a free Professional Santa thanks to Judy
- Just need volunteers for the day
- Purchase the hot chocolate and marshmallows \$250
- Bring your own unbreakable cup

Valentines Dance a thon: February 8 th

- Approved \$700 for DJ
- Decor \$200 in supplies, Could ask primary and kinder classes to make decorations- Mrs. Hassberger was willing to help with the decorations
- Candy Grams- we will look into it.

Shrove: Tuesday February 13 th

- Approved \$250 for pancake mix and syrup (might be supplied by Just for kids catering)

Fun Fair Date: June 7 th 3:30-8pm, June 12 th Rain Day

- Details to come
- No vote on funds yet

Graduation Breakfast Date: June 25th

- Approved for food and decor \$800
- Volunteers needed
- Morning 9-11am

Dates for future council meetings:

November 9 th – 5:30pm

January 17 th – 5:30pm

March 6 th – 5:30pm

April 17 th – 5:30pm

May 29 th - 5:30pm

Meeting was adjourned at 7:49, Motioned by: Second by: Judy Walczak