

**All Saints Catholic School
School Board Meeting
March 12, 2018 5:15pm
ASCS School**

Minutes

Primary Business

Call to Order: Mother Susan, Janelle Steiger, Rachel Huber, Father Appel, Paul Roe, Father Harness, Jeanne Von Feldt O'Brien, David Sowell, Kelly Kersten, Rose Miller, Father Rich

Visitors: Eileen O'Brien, Mike Barry, AJ Barry, Amanda Hoffman, Casey Hoffmann, Deb Frick

Call to order by Father Harness

Opening Prayer led by Mother Susan

Approval of January and February 2018 Minutes motion to approve by Father Rich seconded by Rachel Huber

New Business

1. Gala: Raised approximately \$93,000. Net profits will be determined after several bills come in in the next week.
2. Registration letters went home this week. Tuition assistance forms are available online and appointments can be set up for further help in applying.
3. Teacher's contracts will be given out this Thursday. Teachers will have two weeks to turn them in.
4. Approve Calendar: Last day is Friday, June 1st which will be a full day with bussing provided. Motion to approve made by Katie Lacina, seconded by Father Appel.
5. Principal's Report

FACILITATOR OF FAITH COMMUNITY

March 14 **Father Harness**

March 28 **Father Adam (Holy Week)**

April 5 **Father Trevino**

April 12 **Father Hennen; After this Mass all priests will hear Confessions**

Confirmation

Holy Family-April 18, 7:00 pm

St. Alphonsus-March 14, 7:00 pm

Sacred Heart-May 20-9:00 am

St. Mary's -April 19-7:00 pm

Holy Eucharist

St. Alphonsus-April 29, 10:30

Sacred Heart-May 13, 9:00 am

Holy Family-May 6, 10:30 am

St. Mary's-April 29, 9:30 pm

Fruits of the Holy Spirit- The students worked on **Kindness** for the month of February and in March the students will be working on **Goodness**. On March 2 we had a student define goodness, share a scripture about goodness and gave the students examples of how to show goodness here at school or at home. Students are nominated by the teachers each month who are displaying this gift of the Holy Spirit. The students recognized received an out of uniform day and they also had an ice cream sundae.

Lent- Individual classes will go over during the next few weeks of Lent to do the Stations of the Cross. Friday, March 9, K-5 will be having Stations of the Cross.

Living Stations Passion Play- Our 8th graders will present this on **March 28**, at 7:30 pm in Holy Family Church and on **March 29** at 9:30am and 11:00am at Holy Family Church.

Standard #1

VISION

Diocesan Principal Meeting-Jeanne Von Feldt attended the diocesan principal meeting that was held on March 6. School Safety was the main topic at the meeting. Marketing our schools especially for a first year Principal was also discussed.

Standard #2

CULTURE AND INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM

Study Hall -Middle School Students that have a failing grade point are doing school work after their lunch instead of going out for recess. We have a classroom/s set up for them to use so they can work on their assignments with supervision.

New Reading Series for K-5-A committee of teachers headed by **Lori Argo** and **David Sowell** are investigating various reading series and there will be one selected by the teachers to be used for our K-5 students for next year. All Saints has looked at **Journeys, Wonders, and Ready Gen**, are the three series that are being reviewed by our teachers.

Regional Spelling Winner-, A.J. Barry a 6th grader, took 7th place in the state of Iowa in the Knights of Columbus Spelling Bee.

Standard #3 MANAGEMENT

GALA-GALA under the direction of **Gina Bundy, Carrie DeVine, Heather McIntyre, David Sowell, Nancy Osborne, Tracy Wren, Susan Stanforth, Lindsey Briggs Spies, Clare Holliday, Cassandra Collum,** and **Jeanne Von Feldt** was a huge success. We brought in from this event over \$93,000 with some bills still to be paid.

Registration for 2018-19-Registration for next school year will begin on March 16. Each student was given a registration sheet and that can be sent back with a \$100 check and that will hold a place for the child in their grade for next year. The \$100 fee covers a whole family.

School Safety-Corporal Hank Jacobson –spoke to all of the teachers about school safety at All Saints Catholic School.

1. Holy Family Catholic Church is locked during our all school Mass every Wednesday.
2. He encouraged all teachers to have their classroom doors locked throughout the day.
3. All of our classroom doors have inside door locks.
4. Speakers in every classroom but not in halls so we will at the cost of having those installed.
5. When our students are outside our staff members have walkie talkies at all times.
6. Check in for all guests entering the building.
7. Cameras in hallways, kitchen, and on the playground.

PreSchool students to Kindergarten- We have registered 27 students from our current preschool that will be attending All Saints Kindergarten classes for the 2018-19 school year.

Preschool- Currently our Preschool Morning Classes are both full with a waiting list. We still have room in our afternoon class and our Daycare is close to being full.

Kindergarten 2018-19 We currently have 38 registered for the 2018-19 school year.

Teacher Contracts-Each teacher will be given his/her contract for the 2018-19 year on March 16 and they should return it by March 29.

Catholic School League Tournament-The All Saints 8th Grade Boys Basketball Team took 1st place in the league championship game while our 7th grade Boys Basketball Team took 2nd place in their championship game. Both teams represented our school very well.

Standard #4 **COLLABORATION**

All Saints Musical The Little Mermaid-This Musical will be taking place on **April 7 and 8, at 7:00pm** and **April 9, at 2:00pm**. There are many 5th - 8th grade students involved along with many of our teachers. **Cheryl Jones** is directing this production which will be held at Assumption High School.

Career Fair-The School Counselors from **All Saints**, St. Paul, and JFK, hosted a Career Fair at St. Ambrose University, on March 9, from 10:00-1:30 pm for all of the 8th graders from these schools. There were 44 presenters from various career-related organizations who educated the students about the numerous employment opportunities available to them. The students also were given a tour of the St. Ambrose campus and the day ended with a special Mass in the St. Ambrose Chapel. Again, we thank **Meechee McNeal**, for all of her work with this special day.

Standard# 5 **Ethics**

Evaluations-The second round of teacher evaluations have started and continue to take place in March and April. The focus is on reading comprehension, math computation, differentiated learning, and technology.

Learning Community

	2016-17	2017-2018
<u>Enrollment</u>		

Preschool=51	Preschool=59
K=48	K=48
1=42	1=44
2=48	2=34
3=35	3=46
4=47	4=36
5=50	5=46
6=47	6=53
7=49	7=47
8=48	8=47
Total 465	Total =460

6. Executive Session

Motion made to expel student with resources to receive counseling made by Father Rich. Paul Roe seconded motion. Vote: all ayes. Motion carried.

Motion made to adjourn made by Rachel Huber, seconded by Julie Steiger. All in favor.

Next Meeting –Next Meeting April 16, 2018 5:15 p.m.