

Saints Simon and Jude School

Home and School Officers Meeting

23 SEPTEMBER 2019 / 7:00 PM / SKD ROOM

ATTENDEES

Sr. Regina Elinich, Principal

Katy Coley, Co-President

Kristen Cline, Co-President

Karen Cleary, Treasurer

Megan DelFra, Corresponding Secretary

Jennifer Burpoe, Recording Secretary

Christy Farrell, Teacher Representative

Sarah Mears, Fundraising Coordinator

AGENDA

Old Business

- Volunteer Coordinator and Santa's Secret Shop chairs filled.
- **Walk-A-Thon** date confirmed for 10.11.19. Save the date will go in the newsletter Thursday. The proceeds will go to technology needs in the school such as needed SmartBoards. New Technology Committee will meet to discuss the needs more in depth. Envelopes have been ordered but verbiage needs to be confirmed. Co-Chairs would like to increase the minimum donation for a dress down award to be \$10 from \$5. Classrooms participating at 100% earn extra recess. Highest participation class wins pizza party. There will be a raffle for highest steps. Teachers would collect bibs and give a prize (fitbit) to the winner. Walk-A-Thon can be tied to the steps program. Water and ice cream will be provided. Sign-Up Genius will be sent for parent volunteers. DJ Clyde is volunteering but gets a tip. Chairs will talk to the students on the 30th.

- **Trunk or Treat** Friday 10/25 6-7:30pm cars entering at 5:30. School event only. More parental supervision required. One parent needs to stay at the car, one parent escort kids. DJ Clyde's son will DJ. Pretzels have been donated. Pizza from Brother's. Slices will be sold or pre-ordered for pies. Save the Date in the Newsletter this week. Sign-Up Genius needed. Collecting a donation of candy for the troops on the Monday after Halloween. Gym dress down for the highest participating classroom. Service hours offered for hall monitors. Rain plan would be the cafeteria.

Old Business

PRINCIPAL REPORT

- Technology goal of having a Technology Committee comprised of those in the technology field to assess needs.
- Enrollment down by 30 students.
- Advisory Council will meet at SSJ.
- General Home and School meeting presenters. Would the Board be interested in presenting or maybe Jenn Appaneal about how the Board works with Home & School.
- Dates need to be set for events such as Santa's Secret Shop, possibly Set-up 12/11, Shop 12/12, 12/13. Father-Daughter Dance location and date TBD.

TREASURY REPORT

- Balance: \$15,593 after tacher budget and lunch paid.
- \$1,800 surplus from last year. Homeroom dues and fees, bag bingo, and raffle are the proceeds that offer most possibility for Home & School needs.

FUNDRAISING

- **Box Tops** can now be scanned through a receipt. Scrip Chairs and A+ Chairs should present to share information with new parents.
- **Nights out** planned for dining. First date possibly 10/30. Duffers may be the first night out.

FACULTY

- Water cooler needs to be serviced.

OTHER NOTES

- **Home and School Meeting** parents would get a raffle ticket for each meeting not just one chance for the year but for each meeting.
- **Raffles** will be sent home Thursday 9/25.
- **Calendars** for various school groups should be synched to work together so all events have good attendance. Ideas for a global calendar and a subscription to subscribe to were shared.
- **Parent Social** coming this Saturday, about 50 expected. High top tables this year.
- **School dances** no longer planning them for SSJ and local schools.

ACTION ITEMS

1. **Treasurer** would like the Walk A Thon Committee chairs to meet with the rectory regarding Paypal setup with her. Logistics will need to be worked out for expenses and money collection.
2. **Presidents** will finalize agenda for General H&S Meeting
3. **Presidents** will set the date with Jen Doran for Night At The Races.
4. **Presidents** Confirm Secret Santa Shop dates
5. **Presidents** Confirm Father-Daughter Dance location and date

NEXT MEETING

Next H&S Association General Meeting- October 9, 2019 .

Next H&S Officer's Meeting- October 21, 2019