



## January School Advisory Meeting Minutes

**Attendees:** Dan Queenan, Dave Marrese, Cora Piene, Colleen Lacey, Paul Berry, Megan Schuchman, John R., Fr. Ellis, Dolly Hinze, and Deanna Boss

**Prayer:** Paul Berry led the group in a prayer for New Year's Day

**Communication Methods:** Google access issues for parents was raised as an issue by Dan Queenan. Educate is a more accessible option. Parents would like one central place for all communication. Paul Berry will bring this to the staff. He will also evaluate how we use Educate and our website. Dave Marrese brought up the idea of being able to sync the school calendar with individuals calendar

**Catholic Schools Week:**

**MNSAA Strategic Plan:** Tabled for another month

**Principal's Report:** Christmas Concert feedback was very positive. Christmas Market was a huge success with the kids. Getting volunteers was a bit tough. The marquee is happening we hope to begin in February. Tuition for next year is set and coming out soon. We are going to online paperless registration. Plan to go live Monday, January 15, 2017 with registration for 2018-2019. Tuition for ELP is increasing 7% to bring it inline with other programs in our neighborhood. K-8 tuition will increase 3% for next year. Spring Gala is April 21st the chairs are Crystal Wood and Amy Marth. The theme is the same as are the decorations and format. Fund-a-need will be for the school's 3R project.

**Date for next month's meeting:** Moved to Feb. 7th because Valentine's day and Ash Wednesday fall on our regularly scheduled meeting time.

### New Items

Send new agenda items to Colleen Lacey at: [clacey51@gmail.com](mailto:clacey51@gmail.com) by Tuesday, Feb. 6th.

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