

St. John the Baptist School Board Meeting

Date: 8/4/2020

Members Present:

- SJN – Janet Elliott, Kim Ward
- CC – Laura Monti, John Hudepohl
- SJB – Jason Tonne, Becky Kautz, Courtney Weinheimer

Additional members: Dan Minelli, Cathy Dreyer, Tony Acito, Eileen Molulon, Chris Smith, Pam Zipperer, Fr. Kyle, Fr. Pete

Minutes:

1. Fr. Kyle looking into new board members from SJN and CC
2. Volunteers for Secretary and Vice President
 - a. Secretary – Janet Elliott
 - b. V.P. – Courtney Weinheimer
3. Future meeting dates/times – TBD. Thursday is a possibility

School Opening Notes:

1. CPS & other major districts have just postponed in service learning for 5 weeks
2. 95+ chrome books were ordered, not available yet. Now getting Lenovo laptops. That are being delivered soon and will start working on downloading information to them.
3. Structural adjustments have been made to classrooms, etc.
 - a. Smaller classrooms have been moved to other areas
 - b. Larger classrooms have desks that have been separated
4. Update document to explain why the start date is being pushed out.
5. Distance Learning – there will be structured learning and expectations for the virtual days. Zoom meetings with classes are expected. Mr. Acito discussed the calendar link that can be discussed with parents and teachers on how to use.
 - a. Teachers have requested more options in google classroom. IT person will be contacted to discuss
6. Teachers will be allowed to use face shields while giving instructions up front in class for clarity but must use masks when walking around. No students will be allowed to wear face shields.
7. Enrollment is only down a little. 2019-2020 (384), as of now 2020-2021 (371)
8. Temperatures will be taken by parents at home and teachers at school before starting each day
9. If student test positive, what happens?
 - a. Student will be isolated and sent home, will all that family be sent home?

b. Follow health department guidelines

School Opening Questions that were asked:

1. Can we test everyone before school starts? Not possible
2. Can the parents get a list of symptoms? List was sent with document in email
3. Is there a plan for subs? Currently there is a list of a few subs that are still willing to help
4. Open house plan? Still working on plan but could be like book drop off at the end of year
5. Is there an option to record zoom meetings for those kids that need to do work later in the day? Courtney to call Mr. Minelli about an option for this.
6. Will the late start to the school year change dates for the year? At this moment, not certain
7. What about school masses? Still working on a plan. Mrs. Molulon still working on a proposal