

OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATION

MEETING MINUTES

January 8, 2020

Attendance: Veronica Anzalone, Stephanie Lyon, Aaron Lyon, Stephanie Burns, Kerry Gorham, Jocelyn Paquette, Doreen Albert, Barbara Noponen, Chris Huffman, Marissa Wilson, Trisha O'Connell, Jamie Shahood

Start Time: 5:59 p.m.

1. *Opening Prayer:* Mrs. Albert
2. *Review and Approval:* Meeting minutes from November 2019
3. *Treasurer's Report:* Review of budget (Sept-Dec 2019) K. Gorham
  - a. Current Balance: \$5,881.81 Income \$8,012.21 Expenses \$2,130.40
  - b. Staff Christmas Gift Fund: K. Gorham - Total collected: \$2,911.74  
( \$2,720.00 Gift Cards, \$191.74 Breakfast)

4. *Upcoming Events:*

Catholic Schools Week: January 26-31, 2020

Ice cream social will be held on Friday, January 31, 2020 from 1:00-2:00 pm. A Sign-Up Genius will be generated for volunteers and/or for supplies

Penny Wars will run from Tuesday, January 21 to Friday, January 31, 2020. Students and teachers will have their own collecting jugs, gain/lower points by adding certain coins/bills prizes will include; "Bragging Rights", McDonald's Meal, out of uniform coupon.

Volunteers will be needed to count money

Winter Wonderland: 8th grade fundraiser: Stephanie Lyons will work with the 8th graders to possibly put together a fun night of dancing, face painting, arts/crafts, Escape Room, etc. A late February date was discussed.

St. Patrick's Day Parade: Sunday, March 15, 2020

Mother/Son and Father/Daughter Events: These events will be held in the Spring. People to chair/co-chair these events are needed.

Intramural Basketball Concessions: People are needed to run the intramural basketball concession booth during Saturday morning basketball games. Money raised helps fund end of year events.

End of Year Event: Possible choices for an end of year event were discussed: EcoTarium animal/reptile show ,Birds of Prey, Magic World, Tanglewood Marionettes

5. *Request of supplies for Knitting Club:* Mrs. Plante requested the purchase of 10 knitting looms and 10 hook needles for the OLA after school Knitting Club. A vote of the meeting's members was taken and the request was approved.

6. *Upcoming Events:*

- a. dance for 7th/8th grade has been scheduled for Friday, April 3, 2020
- b. dance for 4th, 5th, 6th has been scheduled for Saturday, April 4, 2020
- c. Square-One Art to held in the Fall of 2020; Jamie Shahood will run this fundraiser

7. *New Business:* Family Involvement: Discussion centered around possible ways to get more families involved in PTO activities held throughout the school year.

- a. live stream/Skype/photograph PTO meetings
- b. meeting minutes posted on school/PTO websites/Facebook pages
- c. spread word of the need for families to commit to at least one PTO activity
- d. gather up-to-date email/phone/text addresses and numbers

8. *Closing prayer:* Mrs. Albert

*Meeting adjourned: 6:57 p.m.*