

St. John's PTL meeting

June 22, 2016

Present: Cara Shaffer, Janet Pesch, Shannon Porcaro, Amy Salinas, Emily Cicerale, Brandy Smith, Kevin Charpentier, and Lisa Bowe

Meeting was called to order at 6:05 p.m. Kevin Charpentier opened with prayer.

President's Report

-Cara has been doing research on how different PTLs in the area run to get more people involved

New Business

-Cara will write up all of the school fundraisers for the year and submit them to the school board for approval for the school board's July meeting

-2016-2017 fundraisers:

-4th of July Parking (July 4, 2016)

-Spiritwear (August; hopefully to go out with orientation packet)

-Spirit Run (September 17, 2016)

-Art to Remember (September)

-2 Book fairs (October 23-30 and April 2-9)

-Vendor Fair (November)

-Graceful Greetings (November)

-Parent's Night Out (December 9, 2016 free will donation)

-Pizza Sale (January)

-School Auction (March 12, 2017)

-Milaeger's Money (April)

-Shoe Recycling Program - can be an ongoing fundraiser throughout the year, families donate gently worn shoes and they get shipped to other countries at no cost to us. We earn \$.50 per pound.

-selling treats after school

-possibility of "Shout-out" fundraisers

-Janet Pesch will talk to Cheryl Witek about the 4th of July parking. Diane Schweitzer will be doing the book fairs again. Cara will look into Graceful Greetings. Shannon Porcaro will do Spiritwear again.

-2016-2017 PTL Programs

-August 22, 2016 Welcome Back Coffee before school at 8:15 am

-August 31, 2016 PTL Program (TBD) at 6 pm for families; meeting before at 5:30pm

-November 18, 2016 PTL movie night 6pm (and tentative planning meeting before at 5:30pm)

-December 9, 2016 PTL program 5:30-8:30pm (Kevin Charpentier committed to trying to make a night where parents can drop off kids for a free will donation and go to do Christmas shopping or dinner and the kids will stay at St. John's and have a fun evening with hot chocolate and possible ornament making.

-February 4, 2017 PTL sponsored Father/Daughter Dance 6-8pm (might try to tie in a dining out?)

-March 3, 2017 PTL movie night 6 pm (and tentative planning meeting before)

-April 7, 2017 PTL family night 6 pm and planning meeting before 5:30pm

-May 31, 2017 School Carnival

-2016-2017 PTL meetings

-July 6, 2016 at 5:30 pm

-August 3, 2016 at 9:00 am

-August 31, 2016 at 5:30 planning meeting before program

-October 5, 2016 at 5:45 pm

-November 18, 2016 (tentative planning meeting scheduled before movie night)

-January 4, 2017 planning meeting at 5:45 pm

-February 1, 2017 planning meeting at 5:45 pm

-March 3, 2017 planning meeting before the movie night

-May 3, 2017 planning meeting and elections at 5:45 pm

-Visibility of PTL -- Talked about how to get more people involved with the PTL

- PTL will join up with the school Facebook page to create news and events to keep people up to date on what is happening (Kevin will start an email chain to get things going on this between Rachel Duchac and Cara Shaffer)

-Cara will write an August newsletter to be available for orientation nights on things we have planned for the year and what PTL uses our fundraising funds for (bring draft to July meeting)

-Come up with a fun way to present our PTL information to all (like "helping hands" or "paw prints" to give out to families)

-Possibility of having PTL board members speak at orientations

-Explain the difference between Executive Board meetings and Planning meetings for all

-Send the PTL newsletter also to the church secretary so its activities can be included in the church newsletter and/or church bulletin

-Get room parents more involved (Dena G. made a new volunteer form for last year; Cara will get a copy of this to get out to parents)

-Welcome Wagon

-Kevin will look into how many new families we have this year and get the information out to Amy Herron who will then work out the best way to connect with new families so they feel welcomed.

-Open PTL positions

-Cara will touch base with Rachel Contreras about the possibility of helping with the auction; Jen Kellner to see if she still has interest in heading up Dining out and Kristen Fox, Sherry Wolf and Ashley Gassau about the Vendor Fair.

-We are still looking for a fundraising coordinator and someone to head up the school auction

-August Teacher Luncheon

-Shannon Porcaro will organize the lunch and Kevin will get back to her with the best date for that

Adjourn Meeting

Motion to adjourn was made by Amy Salinas with a 2nd from Lisa Bowe at 8:35 pm.

Meeting closed with The Lord's Prayer

Next meeting is Wednesday, July 6, 2016 at 5:30 pm