

Queen of the Rosary Parents Club Meeting

Monday, April 9, 2018

- A. Opening Prayer/Reflection:** Meeting called to order at 7:03 p.m. by Dana Arciniegas, PC President, followed by an opening prayer by Debbie Strohm, Vice President.
- B. Attendance:** Annie Albrecht, Dana Arciniegas, Toni Wierig, Dana Kelly, Erin Sloan-Beesley and Debbie Strohm. No teacher presence.
- C. President's Report (Dana Arciniegas):**
1. Spaghetti dinner went very well. We had slightly less participation than last year but due to timing we might add a 3rd seating next year. Raised \$524.
 2. Easter Egg hunt went well, but it went really fast because it occurred inside due to cold weather. We might look to push the timing back just a little bit next year so that the event can occur outside (ideally when it's warmer).
 3. Mother/son event was a huge success and a great time was had by all! 94 participants attended!
 4. IXL Learning Update – Ms. McGinn confirmed the pricing to add Language arts would be \$2,400. There is a question about the value of IXL and how many are actually using it.
 5. School Tool Box – school supply kits – the group decided we do want to offer the tool boxes again. This will be advertised earlier this summer to increase usage. We also have the ability to redirect some of the profit to the school in addition to Feed My Starving Children.
 6. Games Day will be hosted by the Parent's Club and is scheduled for June 1st – the last Friday before school ends. The critical need for this year will be parent volunteers because there just was not enough adult supervision last year.
 7. Track-a-Thon will be at the end of May; Parent's Club will be donating an ice cream treat again for the kids.
 8. The Parent's Club reviewed the 2018/2019 budget to ensure the club starts with the proper funding to complete 1st Trimester events.
 9. A Parent's Club year-end gift to the school was discussed and will likely be additional musical instruments.
- D. Committee/Event Reports:**
1. 3rd Jr. High Dance: was replaced with a Volleyball Tournament on April 20th and was opened up to 5th-8th graders.
 2. April Fun Lunch: scheduled for April 20th.
 3. Mother/Daughter Event: scheduled for April 21st from 2-4pm in the QR Gym. The theme is "Spa Day" and more information is forthcoming. Toni Wierig is chairing the event.
 4. Final Teacher Appreciation Luncheon: scheduled for May 5th and will be a baked potato bar. Jennie Podgorski is chairing the event.
 5. Final Fun Lunch: Scheduled for May 18th.
 6. Used Uniform Sale: This will likely be scheduled for June 4th and is being chaired by Kari Gbur.
 7. Parent Club Volunteer Appreciation event will be deferred for a future school year.
- E. Vice President's Report (Debbie Strohm):**
1. School Board
 - i. The Board is working on planning the Track-A-Thon on May 18th.
 - ii. The Board is also evaluating the feasibility of a food truck event for QR with craft beers.
 2. Booster Club Update - none

F. Principal's Report (no teacher representative):

1. None

G. Treasurer's Report (Annie Albrecht):

1. Current Parent Club balance as of 4/9/18: \$9,606.
2. \$3,900 upcoming expenditures planned
3. Need to retain at least \$2,500 for Trimester 1 obligations

H. Secretary's Report (Erin Sloan-Beesley & Dana Kelly):

1. None

I. Other Business:

1. The Parent's Club reviewed the 2018/2019 budget to ensure the club starts with the proper funding to complete 1st Trimester events.
2. Decision was made to move the meetings back to the 1st Wednesday of every month for the 2018/2019 school year as alternating Monday/Wednesday dates did not yield additional participants and may have made things more confusing.
3. President Dana Arciniegas will contact all current volunteer event coordinators to see if they are interested in continuing to coordinate next year.

Vice President Debbie Strohm closed the meeting with a prayer, and the meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.