

Queen of the Rosary Parents Club Meeting
Wednesday, October 14, 2020

- A. Opening Prayer – *Debbie Strohm, Vice President*
- B. Welcome and Introductions - *Dana Arciniegas, President*
 - a. Attendees: Dana Arciniegas, Curt Bogosh, Father Dan Folwaczny, Rita Gura, Dana Kelly, Erin Ludewig, Rita Lugo, Laura Magenta, Kathleen McGinn, Annie Ragauskis, Lauren Shaffer, Erin Sloan-Beesley, Debbie Strohm
- C. Presidents Report –*Dana Arciniegas*
 - a. Overview of upcoming events
 - i. Teacher Appreciation Luncheon-Thursday, October 22nd
 - 1. Box lunches are being provided – usual parents club homemade food is not an option during this time.
 - 2. Teachers will need to eat lunch in their classrooms
 - ii. QR /St. Julian Family Halloween Movie Drive In – Friday, October 30th - This event will substitute the annual fall fest.
 - 1. Venue is pending at the moment due to a country music concert potentially taking place on the same date
 - 2. If held, it will take place at the Chicago Drive In Theaters in Hoffman Estates.
 - 3. Currently, only 18 cars have registered for the event, but more are expected.
 - 4. More information on a potential date switch will be announced as soon as possible.
 - iii. Art Appreciation
 - 1. Discussion held about making Christmas ornaments in the classrooms.
 - 2. Possibly have craft kits shipped directly to classrooms so teachers will receive directly, or staff could divide items in bulk
 - 3. Parent volunteers are not allowed to come in to help in person at this time.
 - 4. Discussion of asking families to donate a couple dollars towards Christmas crafts/ornaments.
 - Since families are not being asked to make the usual donations for Trick or Treat Trail or Fall Fest, this option seemed favorable
- D. Vice Presidents Report - *Debbie Strohm, Vice President*
 - a. School Board Update
 - i. Up to 251 students from 163 families.
 - ii. Grand raffle in full swing
 - iii. Kindergarten open house-virtual

- iv. Virtual school open house to be held in January
 - v. Possible push back of gala to April
- b. Booster Club Update – working on designs for Christmas spirit wear order
- c. Parish Update
 - i. Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament
 - 1. Outdoor mass with both parishes at the end of September
 - 2. Next outdoor mass will be October 22 at 12:30 at Saint Julian's
 - ii. Common phishing scam occurring with Fr. Dan's name. Please beware.
 - iii. Be vigilant and cautious with health protocols, especially with the holidays coming up.
 - iv. The parish is Looking for new mission and vision statement.
 - v. Public daily masses began recently with a scattering of masses among both churches.
 - vi. Looking for a live streaming mass option
 - vii. Christmas mass may not be able to be celebrated in-person due to the large quantities of people- we need to think what else we can still do to celebrate religiously ex: Zoom Christmas Pageant

E. Principals Report – *Ms. McGinn, Principal*

- a. Parent Teacher conferences coming up on October 22
- b. Teachers are working hard this year to balance all of their work between in-person and e-learning and lunch duties.
- c. Grateful to all those helping in the parking lot at drop off and pickup.

F. Treasurers Report - *Erin Sloan-Beesley, Treasurer*

- a. Current balance \$3068.92 – includes what was funded for teacher/appreciation luncheon and IXL membership renewal
- b. Have three outstanding checks from teacher supplies

G. Committee/Events Report - *Dana Arciniegas, President*

- a. Discussion of Scrips gift orders; looking into this further to see if it's possible this year

I. Feedback/Open Discussion/ Q & A - *Dana Arciniegas, President*

- a. What can Parents Club do to better communicate?
 - i. Remind App – communication app will be used later in the year or next year, as we do not have many activities currently
- b. New Parents Club board will be needed for next year
 - i. Dane, Debbie, Dana K and Erin will need to state their interest in being part of PC next year
 - ii. In January, Dana will send out open positions with descriptions, expectations for candidate submissions
 - iii. Middle of February is the due date for candidate submissions
 - iv. Vote will take place in March for new board

- v. After the vote, everyone can begin training their replacement
- c. Discussion of moving PC meetings to every other month due to not having many events coming up.
 - i. Group on the call voted to keep meetings monthly
- d. Halloween – kids through 5th grade can come to school in costume. They will need to wear the entire day

J. Closing Prayer - *Debbie Stroh*, Vice President

Adjournment 7:55 pm