



ST. LAWRENCE ADVISORY COUNCIL MINUTES from April 9, 2018

The meeting began with the opening prayer.

There were two additions made to the agenda in old business Bishop Swain. There was also a motion to approve Dena's spot on the school board. In new business updated info on the fish house as been added.

Present at the meeting were Fr. Gary, Darby, Brenda Anderson, Nancy Kruger, Jason Street, Dena Van Lith, Susie Wendland, and Rondi Scoular. Absent member was Scott Wiese.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

The Kremer Foundation Scholarship applications have arrived and we need to find families to apply. We will be received 7 new monitors for the computer lab from funds obtained the CUF Tech Grant. Additional curriculum updates will be changing to online vs book format.

All classes field trips have been set up and approved. Even though an additional day of school has been added to the school year to make up for snow days the 6th grade graduation will remain on the calendar for May 23rd.

Fall registration will be August 8th 8am to 6pm.

Gala planning is going well. Prized have all been matched to games and books will be the next step. Invitations have been sent out with many RSVP's already back. There are still new donations coming in too.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Sara Weinberg working with the LIFE group provided an art day with all the students and it all went over very well with students and staff. The bags for testing have all been put together. Superhero staff is still going on. The next project is cards/pictures for the local Nursing Home residents. They are also planning a pennies war with funds raised to go to It Only Takes A Spark. The reward for the winning class is sometime of activity for Julie.

OLD BUSINESS

We were hoping for the beginning of May for a start day but to the weather it has been delayed until June. Sioux Falls fencing company will be to install and is expected to take 2 to 3 days to complete. We may have found a place for the old equipment.

Bishop Swain is scheduled to come for Mass Friday April 13th which also be our Kindergarten/6th grade buddy mass. K and 6th grade will be having Pizza for lunch that day for winning the Catholic Schools Week raffle. The rest of the school will have sack lunch meals for lunch.

We had discussion on what to do with the Fish House Funds for the 18-19 school year. Possible options discussed were more monitors for the computer lab, new laptops for teachers, updated classroom furniture. We have decided to limit the prizes to 30 prizes max so maybe less winners but bigger prizes. Also discussed possible ranger vs. fish house.

NEW BUSINESS

We need to get the ice cream for the spring program ordered from Berens. We plan to order 9 gallons of vanilla.

Next Meeting will be May 7th at 6:15pm.

Closing prayer was recited and meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted.

Rondi Scoular

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