

St. Lawrence School Advisory Minutes
February 17, 2020

Present: Brenda Anderson, Fr. Gary, Ted Hendricks, Chris Kelly, Rondi Scoular, Jason Street, Dena VanLith, Susie Wendland, Scott Wiese.

The meeting was called to order by President Street.

Minutes were approved.

Principal's Report:

Catholic Schools Week was another successful week that started off with a well attended kick off mass. The turkey was not as big of a hit as barbeques but it was donated from Fr. Brian. Soup day was also a good turnout but again had plenty leftover so may need to look at adjusting how much soup is made or look at more advertising.

Catholic United Financial Raffle is off and running and we are only \$10 behind at this point from 2019 sales. The first goal of \$5000 was achieved so the kids will be having a flashlight reading party on Friday the 21st. The next goal of \$10,000 will be a dress up day. If \$15,000 in sales is achieved then there will be a dance party.

Mardi Gras is set for February 23. Sarah Pulling and Karissa Karels are in charge of games and Steve and Teri Brown are in charge of breakfast.

Preschool/Kindergarten registration is currently open until March 1st.

Smarter Balance testing will run from March 4th thru May 1st. St. Lawrence will complete most of their testing in April.

Student Council Report:

Kiss the Calf fundraiser for the Graf family raised \$1,218.09 and 4 generations of the family were in attendance when Mrs. Anderson kissed the calf.

The Lap-a-thon is currently going on thru February 28th.

Prayer partners for lent will be handed out prior to lent.

They will also be working on testing bags for Smarter Balance Testing.

Old Business:

The Gala planning is in full swing. Ted and Josh will again be the emcees for the evening. One new thing they are looking at doing is amping up the horse race and adding the chance to bid on horses do go along with the Kentucky Derby Theme.

New Business:

The proposed tuition rates for 2020-2021with projected enrollment are as follows:

Preschool MWF - \$95 and T/TH - \$80 (same from this year) MWF- 20 packets out, T/TH - 4 packets out.

Kindergarten - \$1,450 (\$50 increase) 13 possibly 14.

First Grade - \$1,550 (\$50 increase) 13.

Second-Sixth Grade \$1,650 (\$50 increase) 2nd - 14, 3rd - 8, 4th - 13, 5th - 14, 6th - 10.

Family Cap (parishioners only) - \$3,700.

President Street proposed looking at decreasing the meeting from monthly to quarterly and maybe just send an agenda out in the off months. We will have to verify with the diocese to see if there is a certain number of required minutes per school year.

Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Rondi Scoular