



ST. LAWRENCE ADVISORY COUNCIL MINUTES from October 14, 2019

Present: Brenda Anderson, Fr. Gary DeRouchey, Chris Kelly, Rondi Scoular, Jason Street, Dena Van Lith, Susie Wendland, Scott Wiese.

Absent: Ted Hendricks.

The meeting was called to order.

Opening Prayer was recited.

The minutes from April 8, 2019 were approved.

PRINCIPALS REPORT

Mrs. Anderson presented the Principal's report:

The school has a new custodian, Alejandra and she does an amazing job.

The preschool is now up to 34 students with the 3 year old preschool at full capacity.

We received higher funds than expected from the SDPE as not as many students applied so our students received more funds.

Keith Weber has been graciously working on installing and updating servers, switches, and firewalls for the school. Mrs. Anderson has completed the Catholic United Financial Grant for technology and hopefully that will come through for the school.

We are currently running the greenery sales and will complete them by October 21.

The book fair earned 50% of their sales again this year which brought in \$1,353.46. That money was put towards books for the library as well as teacher classrooms. All the teachers were able to complete their classroom wish list which is amazing.

Grandparents day was a success with every student having a special someone attend.

The Mystery dinner was another success. There were 144 tickets sold for Friday nights performance and 117 tickets for Saturday nights performance. The baskets brought in close to \$3,000. Deb Rausch has again agreed to direct next years play and John Lightfield is working on a script.

STUDENT COUNCIL REPORT

Susie Wendland presented the Student Council News:

The president this year is Ashlyn Batchelor and she is a great president.

The group has decided to purchase Spike ball for the school. The student council store added tiny Saint pins this year and have been a hit and more have been ordered. The student council made cards to deliver to St. Williams residents. They plan to purchase items to provide Thanksgiving meals for 2 families in need. They plan to do the blessings boxes again this year for Christmas as once again the students and families went above and beyond last year. They have discussing putting on a reading challenge for the school with a goal of earning a dance party in the gym. They are planning the Talent show for the end of the semester again this year.

OLD BUSINESS

There was no Old Business to discuss.

NEW BUSINESS

Jason is going to finish this year as President of the board but putting in his resignation for the end of the year.

During the week of fire safety there was bad weather and the fireman loaded up the preschoolers into the trucks and took them to the fire hall which was a treat for all involved.

Next Meeting is November 11 at 6:15 pm.

Closing prayer was recited.

Respectfully submitted:

Rondi Scoular

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