

Shepherd of the Hills Catholic School

School Commission Minutes

Tuesday September 10, 2019 – 6:00pm

“Walking the path of Christ, with Love and Service, through a Catholic Education”

Members Present: Joe Loehr (Chairperson), Amy Royes (Principal), Christina Meyer (Secretary), Tim Hanlon (Pastoral Council Rep), Libby Gnadt (Vice-Chair), Barb Grzywinski (Home and School Liaison)

Members Absent: Chris Gellings,

Other Attendees: Meg Johlke, Alyssa Mogensen, Sarah Desiderio, Jen Wilke, Father Mark, and Andrea Gade

- I. School Good News:
  - a. Reports of a positive climate in the school from teachers, students, and parents.
  - b. First all school Mass and first Friday rosary were held this week.
  - c. There are two new middle school teachers.
  - d. Middle school will be attending Camp Y Koda soon.
  - e. The Trent Schueffner memorial greenhouse has begun construction.
  - f. Robots are ready to be used in the classrooms.
  - g. Standards based grading will be implemented in 2021.
  - h. Soth enrollment is at 81 students.
  - i. Amy is applying for the Stone Foundation Grant of \$10,000.
- II. Principal’s Report
  - a. Erica MacPherson is the new Spanish teacher who is being shared with St. John the Baptist school in a 40/60 split for her time.
  - b. We are required to implement the program Evaluize through the Arch which Amy is going to run a pilot program for 2 years.
  - c. The Arch is recommending trimesters.
  - d. Amy is applying for the Stone Foundation Grant of \$10,000.
- III. Business-May meeting minutes were approved.
  - a. Parent/Parishioner Comments-None
  - b. Pastoral Council-Closed session with Father Mark reporting
- IV. Standing Committee Reports:
  - a. Executive Policy-No Report
  - b. Budget and Fundraising:
    - i. Steak Fry was a great event raising \$13,000. The raffles did very well this year. Budgeted amount for Dollars for Scholars was met.

- ii. Run for the Hills will be October 5. Posters are up and there is an online sign up.
    - iii. Candy bar sale is beginning.
    - iv. Little Lambs will continue to move forward.
  - c. Marketing/Recruitment:
    - i. The Eden parade entry earned \$50.00
    - ii. The use of Mission Insight through the Arch may help with finding students.
  - d. Long Range Planning-No Report
  - e. Home and School: Meeting will be on Thursday and events are planned through the end of the year. Google docs are sent out to families to sign up for different events.
- V. Welcome to New Commission members Jen Wilke (Fundraiser Liaison) and Andrea Gade (Marketing/ Recruitment Liaison).
- VI. Next meeting will be November 5th, 6:00pm