

Home and School

Agenda: Tuesday January 16th, 2024

- Opening Prayer Mara Burke
- ASCS Mission Statement of the Home and School Committee Melissa Waddle
- Meeting sign in sheet Michelle Martinez-Vorpagel
- Officer Reports
 - Treasury Report (Alyssa) To date Funds, Recent event totals
 - Secretary (Mara) Recap previous minutes
- Recap of Recent Events 2023 last quarter
 - Halloween Party- (Michelle)
 Approximate \$1500 profit
 Bake Sale-lots of leftover baked goods/try to make similar to
 Christmas Concert Cookie walk next year or maybe not have bake sale.
 TBD
 - All Saints Day Ice Cream Social (Melissa)
 Schedule worked well with classes coming down every 5 minutes
 Add toppings next year (crushed Oreos, sprinkles, etc)
 - Teachers Conference Lunch (Jen)
 Soup and Salad (Provide different soups made by families and salad)
 - Conference Uniform Resale (Christina Grimm, Michelle)
 \$500 profit between both sales (Back to School Night and Conferences)
 - Parents Night Out Social (Melissa/Jen)
 Not well attended. Would like to change to a better location next time. (Possibly Spring 2024)

- November 22nd Restaurant Fundraiser Night Frankie D's (Jen)
 \$300 profit
- Christmas Dessert Walk (McKenzie/Melissa/Jen) Huge success
 Sold out at Grandparents Concert (4th-8th).
 Saved some boxes for evening concert SIT-3rd (Still sold out)
- Upcoming Events
 - January 17th, Qdoba Fundraising Night
 Posted in H&S Facebook Group and listed on ASCS Weekly Newsletter
 - January 28th, ASCS Open House Night
 Ms Neu would like a few volunteers from H&S to be there if possible
 Mingle/Talk about what you love about ASCS with potential families
 while they wait for next tour
 - February 9th, Traxside Skate Night
 5:30-8:00pm
 \$8.00 admission
 More details to follow.
 - February 23rd, Sweetheart Dance (Rachel, Kindra)
 Italian American Club
 Barbie Theme
 - H&S will provide \$300 towards event to be used wherever needed.
 - March 15th, Mother/Son Event (Emily, Cindy, Sara)
 - Emily and Ms Neu discussed survey results. (Survey sent out to all Boy Moms)
 - GRC Bowling or Launch (Gurnee)
 - Attendees discussed pros and cons to both locations
 - Final decision coming soon!
 - H&S will provide \$300 towards event to be used wherever needed.
 - April 26th, Grandparents Day (Melissa)
 - Open House
 - 1:30-2:30
 - Grandparents will "tour" classrooms
 - Will need sign in sheet and name tags for grandparents/special person
 - May 21st, First Holy Communion Breakfast

This year's 3rd Grade Room parents will need to coordinate to provide light breakfast for First Communicants and Families after mass.

- May 6-10th, Teachers Appreciation Week
 Recruit Coverage for Recess
 Breakfast or Lunch (Teacher Preference)
- May Jimmy John's Fundraising Night (TBD)
 5/6
- June Action Territory Night (TBD)
- New Business
 - Discuss the events which have occurred: keep? let go?
 - Fundraiser add on Spring/Easter?? (Elsie Mae's or Nothing Bundt Cake)

Decided not to do anything this year.

- Pizza kit/order fundraiser
 Possible next year. (Enough Events this year)
- EOY fund use

What should we do with end of year funds? Will discuss further once we get closer to EOY and determine what/if any money is left

- Monthly teachers' lounge donation = Feedback has been positive
 Feedback has been positive from staff/teachers! Thank you ©
- Facebook ongoing and has been successful and we have had many new members with much more communication which was the goal. We encourage members of the page to post ongoing and upcoming activities that are relative to the school and students.
- 2024/25 Back to School Bash quick discussion
 Would like to continue with the Back to School Bash next year.
 Positive Feed Back from families
- ► <u>Closing</u>

Next Meeting Date TBD