

St. Catharine Home & School Association

DATE: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST, 2020

LOCATION: ZOOM CALL

ATTENDEES: MR. WATTS, KELLY KERSEY, NOELLE LUZIO, JASMINE WILLIAMS, RONNEE ESTERLY, STEPHANIE WEBER

AGENDA ITEMS

1. Welcome/Intro
2. Treasurer's Report
3. Committee Leads and Updates
4. Items for 20/21
5. Next Meeting: Tuesday, September 29th, 2020 at 7pm (date/time to be confirmed)

1. Welcome/Intro

- 2. Treasurer's Report** – (Will Dokko) HASA purchased the student planners for the 2020/2021 school year (were roughly \$700). Emphasized the importance of group conversation regarding spending and getting pricing/estimates from more than one source.

3. Committee Leads and Updates

- **Buddy Family** - (Ashlie Dokko, Molly Kim) additional t-shirts for welcome bags ordered.
- **Community Night** - (Johnean Goodwin, Alysia Plank)
 - o **Reach out to Chipotle to restart program in January 2021**
 - o **Fall Schedule** (to promote locate business that participate):
 - Thursday, September 17th- Planks Cafe and Pizzeria
 - Thursday, October 15th- TAT
 - Thursday, November 5th- Johnson's Ice Cream
 - Thursday, November 19th- Billy Lee's
 - Thursday, December 17th- TBD
- **Creative Activities Program** – (Jasmine Williams) To restart January 2021. Will be reaching out to parents/parish for club ideas and help around the end of November/beginning of December 2020
- **Flower Sale** – (Shannon Payer/Ronnee Esterly)
 - o Mum – Shannon/Ronnee are in the process of trying to get all the emails and class list uploaded to fundraiser.com. Flyers will also be sent home with students on Tuesday. All ordering will be done online. Will ask Father to make an announcement after service to get more of the parish involved and ask Brendon O'Rourke to send out communication to the parish. In place of small prizes, a Chromebook (HP from Target) was purchased as a raffle style prize. Each student will receive 1 raffle ticket for simply participating in the mum sale and will receive 1 additional ticket for each item sold (student sells 4 mums will receive 5 raffle tickets total)
 - o Spring Sale - Contract needs signed by Mr. Watts
 - Regarding last spring sale winners - 5th Grade won ice cream party, 2nd Grade won homework pass, 8th grade won extra recess. Will try to have ice cream outside to ensure social distancing.
- **Gym Uniforms** - (Pat McJoynt-Griffith) Uniforms were sent home with students on Wednesday the 2nd
- **Playground Duty Coordinator** - (Sarah Gipe) Nothing new to report.

- **Room Parent Coordinator** – (Jennifer Hadden) Nothing new to report.
- **School Supply Sale** – (Nikki Horvath/ Nell Vitale) Supplies were delivered minus the disinfectant wipes. Star Beacon will refund the school the cost of the wipes and the school (not HASA) will purchase once available.
- **Spirit Wear** – (Stephanie Dokko) Stephanie will work with Kelly and Noelle to plan an end of summer/back to school sale.
- **The Caller** - (Stephanie Weber) Suggestions were made to switch to an online platform (this is currently being utilized at St Matthews for both the school and parish).
 - o Online platform is roughly \$450 for a student body of less than 500
 - o Allows for advertisements/sponsors
 - o Password protected and can be granted access to print to PDF
 - o 2019/2020 St Cath Call was \$427 and made around \$1000 from advertisements
- **Uniform Swap** – (Kate Allwein) Held 8/11/20. Money raised TBD, \$40 was give to Kate out of the cash box.
- **Wreath Sale** – (Emily Mcfadden) Nothing new to report.

4. Items for 20/21 School Year

- Flags with new school logos
- Wristbands for 3rd (2nd graders from 19/20) for FunFest. The wristbands have already been paid for.
- Role responsibilities in HASA
- Fundraising during COVID
 - o Brainstorm new ideas in current environment
 - possible virtual poker tournament but would need to confirm with the church that they would be ok with.
 - AmazonSmile (pending church and school have different EIN)
 - o Overall goal is to increase parish participation (to get people not paying tuition to participate in fundraising)

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