St. Vincent's PTO January 17, 2019

Members Present: Diana DeWilde, Natalie Friese, Diane Thurau, Susan Verseman, and Jenni Wheeler

Absent: Dawn Schaaf, Christy Thomas

Parents/Teachers Present: 38

Meeting was called to order by Susan Verseman at 7:02 pm

Opening Prayer: Fr. Joe Geders

Susan read the quote that was placed on tables at tonight's meeting:

"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed people can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has." ~Margaret Mead~

Meeting Minutes & Financial Reports: No formal meeting minutes, brief financial update given by Diane Thurau

Visitors: None

Committee reports:

Class Liaisons- Natalie announced class liaisons and asked for a volunteer to fill the position for 10th grade. Emily Wibbenmeyer accepted the position.

PK-Jennifer Fulford (present)
K-Mandy Taylor (absent)
1 st -Mindy Welker (present)
2 nd -Jessica Hennemann (present)
3 rd -Mike Reiss (present)
4 th -Holly Hotop (present)
5 th -Sharon Unterrreiner (present)

6th-Jason Tilley(absent) 7th-Breone Buff (absent) 8th-Melissa Hayden (absent) 9th-Courtney Bohnert (absent) 10th-? 11th-Nikki Strattman (present) 12th-Katie Schemel (present)

Fish Fry-

- 1. Will be held on the following dates: 3/8, 3/22, 3/29, 4/5
- 2. Will use signup.com for parents to sign up to work at least one shift. Suggestion was brought up to make specific jobs to sign up for. In the past they have been too broad.
- 3. Change work shifts from 4 hour shifts to 2 hour shifts
- 4. Discussed the pros & cons of families making a monetary donation rather than donating condiments and PTO will buy supplies as needed.
- 5. Decided to use single packets to reduce waste and cross contamination
- 6. Elementary students will be making table decorations
- 7. Each family will supply a dessert the night they work-drop off at HS office

- 8. Will have 50/50 raffle and draw a winner each night of fish fry
- 9. Will manage work schedule for each fish fry a week in advance
- 10. Will have designated people to check in/out with and report to if any questions. This information will be relayed each week prior to fish fry through Jupiter Blast.
- 11. Fr. Joe Geders volunteered to make his own personal MAC N CHEESE!!!! He also suggested slicing potatoes frying them to make chips. Cut cost and something different.
- 12. The following are designated chair persons for each fish fry:

Morning Chair-Susan Krauss	Evening Chair-Sonya Dobbelare
Presales-Lisa Meyer	Printing tickets/fliers-Mindy House
To Go-Tammy Holdman/Amy Pecaut	Fryers-Buddy Hellmann

Fish Fry Committee Meeting-2/20/19, anyone can come!!!!

Catholic Schools Week- Diana DeWilde received donations to help support teacher/student appreciation meal/treats

Unfinished Business:

Teacher Appreciation @ end of year-All parents to come together for one gift for each teacher

New Business:

New Fundraisers-Survey Monkey will be sent to all parents/guardians through a Jupiter blast to see where the majority of interest would be for future activities. Liaisons encourage everyone to take the time and complete this survey.

Future Presentations at PTO meetings-It was discussed about bringing a speaker to inform parents/teachers about sex trafficking and in conjunction have presentation for Jr/Sr High school students to educate them on signs of sex trafficking

Meeting Minutes-Sarah Buerck suggested that we post meeting minutes to keep everyone informed.

PTO attendance-Lori Pech suggested handing out dress down day tickets at each meeting

Report by School personnel:

Deacon Rob Huff thanked committee/parents/teachers for making this meeting positive and productive. Without everyone we wouldn't be where we are today.

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned by Susan Verseman at 7:34 pm

Closing Prayers: Deacon Rob Huff