

St. Francis of Assisi Home & School Association Meeting AUGUST MEETING MINUTES

August 2nd, 2021 6:30-8:30pm

- **Present:** Erin Cook, Josh Noser, Adam Palen, Cassie Mueller, Nichole Romo, Andy Poterucha, Margi Newkirk
- Prayer
- **Secretary's Report**: May Meeting Minutes were electronically approved and submitted to Jessica on May 10th.
- Treasurer's Report
 - o Final 2020/21 budget and approval of 2021-22 HSA budget
- Teacher's Report:
 - Question about Classroom Enrichment Funds for staff keep the same as last year
- Principal's Report:
 - Emergency Preparedness Plan went out via email today, 8/2/21
 - 2nd grade classrooms are getting new cabinets/closets
 - New para has been hired Katie Stinson
 - o 2 more positions need to be filled one in the office and one as a para
 - Back to School Weekly Broadcast will be going out this week
 - Free lunch for all students will be offered again this year
 - Afternoon bussing routine will include options for students going to the Computer Lab or the Science Lab until the bus comes around 4:15.
 - No bussing in the morning students can arrive at 8:05AM
 - Afternoon dismissal is 3:15PM

August HSA Activities:

- Student/parent enrichment updates
 - Andy has a recommendation of doing a 'Digital Footprint' talk sometime during the school year
 - Margi will reach out to teachers and see if they have ideas for student enrichment
- New Family Orientation August 9th at 6:30pm
 - Discussion of a mentorship program
- Welcome Days (August 9th 12th)
 - Used uniforms/Free will donation box
 - No folders this year as the forms are all available on the Student Admin Portal
- Meet the Teacher- August 25th (4pm to 6pm)
 - Officers to assist with ice pops distribution (@ the 'Big Toy')/Need signs--?
 - Erin 4-5PM ice pops
 - Josh 5-6PM ice pops
 - Erin will bring the ice pops

- Used uniforms, donation box
- o Officers or Fun Run Committee Volunteers to hand out Fun Run t-shirts
 - Andy will encourage families to bring a check to pay for Fun Run the evening of Meet the Teacher
 - Cassie 4-5PM at the Fun Run table
 - Adam 5-6PM at the Fun Run table
 - Can still submit a last t-shirt order by September 1st

September HSA Activities:

- Teacher Treats/Poster week of August 24th
 - Prepackaged snacks to have in the Teachers Lounge Josh and Erin will take care of this
- Parent Information Night(s)
 - Grades 7 8 (September 7th 6:30pm)
 - Grades K 5 (September 9th 6:30pm)
 - Members of the HSA to speak: Adam and Erin
- Kindergarten Picnic (September 16th)
 - o 5:30-7:00PM
 - Volunteers (1st Grade Families)
 - HSA provides hot dogs, buns, paper products, water
- Picture Day (September 8th)
 - o Non-Uniform, make-up day in October

SEPTEMBER 11th - FALL FUN RUN

- Next Year: look further into electronic payment options (Venmo is not an option)
- o Registrations Cassie
- o T-Shirt orders Cassie/Erin
- Tents Erin has been in touch with Steve Strickland at Lourdes, contact him closer to the date to determine pick-up/drop-off
- o Permit has been submitted Erin
- Cross-Country students to help man the route?
- o In touch with Mary Spring at Lourdes about music/band availability Erin
- Josh will ask Father Schuster about using the dumpster and tables
- Annie is working on food items for the Fun Run
- Adam to MC
- Margi will ask for teacher volunteers
- Andy will lead in prayer
- Zoom call to hash out last minute details
- Fall Family Fun Night
 - Andy has an idea to do a Barbeque/Bingo night some night in the Fall might be a better fit for next school year

Next Meeting: September 13th, 2021