

St. Joseph Leadership Council  
Meeting Minutes  
November 2, 2023  
6:00P

Meeting called to order by Lynn Ernst at 6:00P

In Attendance:

Lynn Ernst, Will Utter, Jen Dakovich, Lisa Schmidt, Josh Little, Elyse Rogers, Krystelle Cortes-Ryan, Andrea Negrete, Brianne Tigges, Perla Zaragoza, Tiffany Anderson, Tenille Shimoda

Opening Prayer: Lynn Ernst

Parish Update - None.

Principal Update - Lynn Ernst

- Principal's October report - attached
- Committees should meet at 6:00P on the first Thursday of each month. The Leadership Council meeting will be held at 6:30P and committees will present their committee's activities.

Treasurer's Report - Lisa Schmidt

- \$3500 currently budgeted for community events

Academics/SIAC/Wellness

- Nothing to report. Committee will meet next month.

Community/Hospitality/Social

- Discussion that this committee will focus on non-fundraising events
- No community impact nights this year. There are fewer businesses offering opportunities which makes it difficult to organize.
- During Catholic Schools Week consider a "Pastries with Parents" event.
- Father-daughter dance and the mother-son event will not be held this year. A family event will be organized instead.
- Events for this committee to consider and organize:
  - Family event - Bingo, dance, karaoke, etc.
  - Teacher conference meals
  - Teacher Christmas gifts
  - Teacher appreciation week
  - Catholic Schools Week - Pastries with Parents
  - Wellness Week (April 22-26th)?
  - Sledding Party with Cocoa?
- Elyse will be contacting those who volunteered to meet prior to the next council meeting.

Faith

- Nothing to report. Committee will meet next month.

Fundraising

- Blue & Gold Gala will be the main fundraiser
- Trivia Night will not be held this year. There are a lot of other events as well as several centennial events. Less time available to schedule.
- Possibly consider some smaller fundraisers, like penny wars

Next Steps/Action Items:

- Teacher wish lists - Lynn Ernst
- Gaga ball pit information - Lynn Ernst
- Possible dates for Blue & Gold Gala - Marissa Grimes
- Ideas for things to fund with fundraising dollars - Everyone

Closing Prayer - Lynn Ernst

Adjourn

Next Meeting - December 6, 2023, Parish Center

Committee Meetings: 6:00P

Leadership Council: 6:30P

Future Agenda Items

- Teacher wish lists
- Blue & Gold Gala data
- Fundraising information for request to Dr. Ryan