

## Parent Club Agenda: September 13, 2022

### Welcome and Prayer

Dear Lord,

Thank you for the opportunity to gather as a school community this evening. Please give us wisdom to make decisions about finances for the good of all, guide us as we plan ways to strengthen our school community in your name, and open our hearts to opportunities to share our time and our talent to improve our school, support our teachers, and provide our children with a solid Catholic education. In your name, we pray: (Our Father). Amen.

1. Introduction of Board Members
2. Overview of Focus for the Year
  - a. Opportunities to support all members of the SJS community.
  - b. Focus on continuing to provide family events.
3. Presentation by the 8th Grade Class
4. Fundraising/Budget Update 22/23
  - a. Calendar Raffle
    - i. Cash prizes- Calendars sold in October, drawings in November.
  - b. "Coming Together 2023" : Fun night of raffles, dinner, and dancing.
    - i. Profits support religious education programs/materials.

\*Calendar raffle funds will help remodel the boys bathroom. This is the only fundraiser for the school. \*Will continue to discuss Trojan Trot being a CYO led event, with funds to benefit the CYO program. \*Marco's pizza nights will be the first Thursday of every month, the first night will be October 6th. However, you can order at any time and select our school. Will look into other pizza locations such as Domino's, Lorenzo's, etc.

5. Suggestions for Kris Kringle Funds
  - a. Last year's event raised \$3,010.
  - b. Funds are donated to local charities. Last year's funds were split between The Salvation Army, The St. Elizabeth Center, and Blessing House.
    - i. Also did a \$500 Named Scholarship for SJS.
  - c. Need suggestions for this year's funds- will vote next month.

\*Suggestions to donate to Valor Home, APL or Multiple Breed Rescue, Angel Tree Christmas Shopping, will keep the \$500 Named Scholarship. We will vote at the next meeting in October. Please email any other suggestions to Mrs. Makruski or Mrs. Eads, email addresses are listed on the school website.

### 6. Preschool Update

\* Preschool has new centers this year including sensory bins, listening center, and a fine motor center. \*First ever field trip to Miller Apple Hill on October 6th. Possible ideas to create fall themed activities for students in extended day unable to attend the field trip.

### 7. CYO Update

- a. Fall Sports: Flag football, rookie tackle football, volleyball, cross country (Grades 1-8)
- b. How to get involved:
  - i. Coach Requirements, future seasons: Winter (Basketball); Spring (Track).
- c. Ziggy's Fundraiser raised over \$400! Chipotle Fundraiser is scheduled for October 10th.

\*Look for basketball sign ups on October 1st. \*CYO tennis registration is available now on the Catholic Charities Diocese of Cleveland website, open to students grades 1-8. \*CYO registration is open to everyone. \*Would like to improve communications with CYO, and figure out the best way to reach them with questions.

## 8. Review of Orientation Night

\*Check the tab added under Parent Info on the school website. There is information regarding the Upper Hall from orientation night that was shared for future reference.

## 9. Committee Needs

- a. Committees for: Trunk or Treat, Pictures with Santa, Christmas Parade, Family Movie Night, Mother/Son Event, Father/Daughter.

## 10. Upcoming Events

- a. October: Trunk or Treat- 10/28
- b. November: Family STEM night- 11/18, Parent/Teacher Conferences- 11/10; Book Fair (Mrs. Csanady)- 11/3-11/10.
- c. December: Kris Kringle (Parents set up; school staff run); Miracle on Main Street Parade- 12/2, Pictures with Santa- 12/3.

Dress down for this month's attendance will be tomorrow, September 14th. Our next meeting is October 4th.