**PTO Meeting Agenda**

Tuesday, January 10th · 4:15pm – 5:15pm

Google Meet Link to Join:

<https://meet.google.com/ouj-avbf-wry>

**Welcome / Opening Prayer** (Erin Schuppert)

Lord God, during these colder, dark, months, let us remember that more daylight is returning each day. Let us also be drawn to see the light within each other. Let us be encouraged to share our light outwardly in our school community in a way that supports the mission of St John's school and the needs of its people. Let us remain grateful for the light within those present at this meeting, and those who already serve. Our hope is for that light to continue to grow and spread to ignite the spark within others to become active volunteers within our school community.

Lord, help us to approach new and lingering challenges with a conscious attitude of positivity so that we may see the value and positive intent within each other. Help us trust in Your constant presence, knowing Your favor is upon us as we come together this New Year to do Your will. Let us sense the company of Your spirit in guiding us individually and as a community. Inspire us each to consider our potential for service this new calendar year- specifically keeping in mind the PTO officer roles that will need to be filled for next school year.

Lord, please be with us, as we collectively discern and decide how to use our time, energy and finances to enrich and support our student's experience at Saint John the Baptist School. Guide us in drawing closer to you. Through us, and our work, call others to be nearer to You, to consider your presence, as well as the many benefits of a Catholic preschool and elementary school education at Saint John's.

With grateful hearts we ask this, in Your name. Amen.

**Approval of November Meeting Minutes** (Andrea Slattery)

**Treasurer’s Report** (Molly Simms) $9,134.13 plus approximately $1,200 for Spring Pretzel sales

**Communication Update** (Andrea)

1. PTO Facebook Group
   1. Volunteer Chat Added Based on parent feedback at last meeting
   2. Updates on Events Added on FB group based on parent feedback
   3. Next Year Officer Interest Elections at May Meeting, email interest by April

**Volunteer Update** (Erin)

1. Badged Volunteers 65 Badged Volunteers Total (1 New). Will lose 5 graduating out/9 expirations over the summer
2. Volunteer Opportunities
   1. Pretzel Tuesdays Needed to pass out pretzels and lunch help
   2. Lunch Monitor Thursday and Friday during lunches most needed
   3. Good Shepherd Asst. Needs: PreK Fridays 9:30-10:30, 3rd grade Thursdays 10:45-12pm
   4. PTO Bulletin Board Needed for month of February and beyond
   5. Catholic Schools Week Many volunteer opportunities, especially for Monday 1/30 and Friday 2/2 please check sign-up genius

**Old Business**

1. Justin Berk Assembly (Jenelle Antkowiak) after t-shirt sales only paid $100 for assembly
2. Breakfast with Santa Recap (Jenelle) 380 tickets sold! 3 Seatings worked great
3. Spiritwear Recap (Andrea) 19 orders from parishioners, students, & school staff raising $141
4. Totally Catholic Jewelry (Molly) $600 Sold at Breakfast with Santa, PTO receives $300
5. Hershey Bears Fundraiser (Molly) 38 tickets sold, $76 raised
6. Grandparents Day (Marian Savoie) 120 Grandparents joined us for first Grandparents Day!
7. Teacher Conference Luncheon (Erin) teachers and staff grateful for spread provided
8. Laser Alley (Jenelle) 64 students and parents bought tickets

**New Business**

1. Titanium Athletics Open Play Spirit Night (Molly)
2. Catholic Schools Week (All) Sign-Up genius created for volunteer and donation opportunities
   1. Monday
      1. Teacher Luncheon
      2. Student Movie
   2. Tuesday
      1. Coffee/Bagels/Quiche
   3. Wednesday
      1. Favorite Flowers
   4. Thursday
      1. Soup and Salad
   5. Friday TBD Astronomy Assembly 1:30-:230 social hall
      1. Ideas for Friday?
3. Marketplace Group Buying Event (Andrea) Weekend before super bowl
4. Hammer & Stain Fundraiser (Jenelle) Before valentines day, in person workshop and home kits available, 50 seats only at in person event
5. Chuck E. Cheese Fundraiser (Jenelle) Chuck E. Cheese will stand outside at parent pick-up!
6. Donuts with Dad (Jenelle/Andrea)
7. Laser Alley Fundraiser (Jenelle)
8. Spring Field Trips/Assemblies (Marian) Astronomy assembly, stay tuned for field trips

**Member Questions/Comments/Open Floor** None

**Upcoming PTO Events**

1. 1/13/23 Titanium Athletics Open Play Spirit Night
2. 1/29/23-2/3/23 Catholic Schools Week
3. 2/2/23-2/6/23 Marketplace Group Buying Event
4. 2/10/23 Hammer & Stain Fundraiser
5. 3/10/23 Chuck E. Cheese Fundraiser
6. 4/13/23 Donuts with Dad
7. 5/5/23 Laser Alley Fundraiser
8. 5/9/23 Family Potluck

**Next Virtual Meeting**

Tuesday February 7th, 4:15pm - 5:15 p.m.