

## Parent Club Agenda Tuesday, December 7th 7pm

### 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).

1. Financial Report: Brandi Taddeo **No new updates this month.**
2. Fundraising Update
  - a. Calendar Raffle
  - b. Marco's
  - c. Box Tops

**We had \$18,200 in calendar raffle sales. This month's Marco's pizza night (Dec. 2nd) brought in \$49.25 with kindergarten as the winning class. Decorated pizza box night will be on Thursday during Catholic schools week. Next Marco's night will be the first Thursday after Christmas break. We have a total of \$26.60 in Boxtops, please remember to scan receipts using the Boxtops app.**

3. Second Grade Class Presentation

**Second grade presented their turkey traps from Stem lab.**

4. Kris Kringle 2020: Angel Tree Shopping

**Nine SJS families came out to shop for our Angel tree donation. Eight wish lists were fulfilled with a budget of \$55 each.**

5. Design Studio Update: Mrs. Angela Eads

**Painting will be finished soon with flooring and cabinets to be completed next. Active panel and equipment are here. Families came in to paint bricks during parent/teacher conference night.**

6. Family STEM Night: November 19th

**22 families participated in a Thanksgiving themed escape room challenge.**

7. Upcoming Events

- a. Kris Kringle: Dec. 8th (Setup after meeting tonight).
- b. Christmas Concert: Dec. 17th
- c. Christmas Break: Dec. 22- Jan. 3
- d. Next Meeting: Jan. 11th

**\*Pictures with Santa on Dec. 4th brought in just under \$1,000 with 51 pictures taken. We discussed using the funds to help pay for the 6-8 grade trip to Washington D.C. Motion carried to earmark Santa picture funds for the D.C. trip. This occurs every 3 years with the next trip in**

spring of 2022. Cost is around \$525-550 per student. We also discussed having the 6-8 grade students volunteer for the Santa picture event in the future.

\* SJS was invited to participate in the Miracle on Main Street Parade in downtown Amherst on Dec. 3rd. We plan to participate in the parade next year as well, which takes place the first Friday in December.

\* We discussed an upcoming fundraising event, "Coming Together 2022", on the evening of April 2nd, 2022 at Amherst Eagles. There will be dinner, drinks, music, and raffles. Save the date, tickets will go on sale in January. Funds from this event will help provide religious education materials.

Dress down day for Parent Club attendance tomorrow, Dec. 8th.