

**St. Ann's Academy Parent Support Group Meeting**

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Date: **February 4th @ 6:00 pm** at SAA AND Virtual

<b>2025-2026 Executive</b>	
Chairperson – Jessica Chardon	Treasurer – Anne Bruneau
Vice Chairperson - Jenna Munroe	PSG Rep for LSC – Amanda DeMarni
Secretary – Tara Nadalin	Elementary VP: Deanna Balison
Fundraising Organizer – Rosie Caputo	
Volunteer Coordinator – Rosie Caputo	

**Attendees:**

David T	Marion P	Sarah Major	Jay A
Bryan N			

**Regrets:** Jenna Munroe

**Call to Meeting:** 6:10 pm

**Opening Prayer:** Done by Anne

In the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit Amen

Dear Lord, Bless our discussion, guide our decisions, and help us work together for the good of our school and children.

May everything, we do reflect Your love and wisdom.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

In the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit Amen

**Adoption of agenda:** David T

**Adoption of last meeting minutes:** Not completed will be sent out Feb 5 by Tara for approval

Previous approved meeting minutes to be sent to Deanna for putting on school website

**Reports:**

- **For social media:** lots of communication going out about raffle. Will do a thank you post to fresh slice for movie night discount
- **Raffle ticket return reminder; no later than Feb 5<sup>th</sup> (sent to Suzanne already)**
- **Columbo Cares reminder** cancelled not enough orders only 21 needs about 40

**Treasurer Update: Anne**

- General update: Gaming account has \$46,000
- **Knights of Columbus** total donation \$3700 bought bibles for \$2091
  - \$1600 left to be divided for dry grad, sports and music - **\$535 to each**
- Nongaming account has \$7600 will transfer gaming funds used back to nongaming

**LSC Update: Amanda**

- Meeting was Jan 27
- Tuition price to be finalized and out in registration packages soon
- 3 elementary positions posted for teachers:
  - 0.4 FTE Kindergarten
  - 1.0 FTE Gr 1
  - 1.0 FTE Gr 2
- Faith and Family Day discounted blazer's game tickets can purchase at office

**Old Business:**

**1. Spring Raffle (Jess)**

- Feb 5<sup>th</sup> - counting and calling; need another couple of volunteers; 11 am-4 pm
- Rosie to send out reminders to volunteers that signed up, some have not showed up for shift
- Draw Feb 6<sup>th</sup>, need an executive volunteer for noon-2 shift please **Amanda agreed**
- Top Sellers: One family has more than 20 books! Others have sold 7!

**2. Fundraising: Columbo Cares (Rosie)**

- Friday; cancelled
- **Easter's Purdy's** catalogues distributed; delivery date TBD; code will be sent out on social media

### 3. Movie Night (Amanda)

- How did it go? Turnout?
  - AMAZING 100% good feedback, 80 people attended
- Fresh slice gave a great discount and was buy one get one free
- Profit of \$196.13
- Future movie night gym booked **March 6** possible Sing 2 or New Zootopia movie

### 4. High School Night -Community Building (Amanda)

- Discussion to find an event suitable for older students such as an amazing race, movie night, etc.
- Do a survey offering 3 types of events
- Could the Student Council be engaged to hype and get buy in from students. Contact Rob Larsson as he is the teacher that supports student council, they will need a lot of support and direction

### 5. Staff lunch evaluation/feedback

- Final cost
- Amount of food - Still, lots of food and people took home
- Gluten free and dairy free options were available
- Loved the food Black Salt Catering did great again (not a lot of communication up to the date though was nerve wracking)

### New Business:

#### 1. Donation from the Knights of Columbus

- Out of the donation, we will assist with Dry Grad & purchasing bibles see treasurer report

#### 2. Dry Grad Request

- Tara - Dry grad requesting funding for their venue. 27 children graduating. Total request \$1638
  - Discussion on sustainability of giving to dry grad.
  - Motion put in by Rosie and accepted by all try to plan to have **\$20 a student from PSG to a max of \$600**
- Knights of Columbus or other donations specified to dry grad is a bonus and unpredictable
- This year PSG will give  $20 \times 27 = 540$ ; Knights of Columbus \$535 TOTAL this year \$1075

**Next Meeting:** March 4th @ 6:30 pm at St. Ann's Academy