

St. James the Apostle

Parent Council Meeting Minutes

Monday, November 24, 2015

Agenda:

- Trips
- School Improvement
- Financial report
- Fundraising—World's Finest Presentation
- School Cash Payment Option
- Uniform Contract
- Guest Speakers
- Confirm next meeting

Attendees

A. Alves, J. Alves, C. Andrews, G. Bartolozzi, C. Bianco, L. Caliri, M. De Angelis, M. Clark, R. Destro, K. Levesque, D. Oresti

Minutes

1. Approval of last meeting minutes

2. Trips

- give parents a deal on price (to explore)
- police check required for trips
- you can go on a trip to care for your own child but not walk with others in the class
- it is a public place can't stop you

3. School Improvement

- how can parent council support?
- Zumba—Mrs. Levesque volunteering with our students
- met with Mr. Hubbard to review SIP on Nov. 1 will meet again in January

4. Financial Report

- Move-A-Thon raised \$1,028.00 – expenses = total \$768.00
- United Way Dress Down—\$330.00
- Buses for Cross Country school paid out \$138.00 extra
- Healthy Snack—cost 156.00
- Milk sales raised \$2,613.00 - \$1,259.00 paid out; profit goes towards trips

- Pizza sales raised \$3,788.66 for December to February collection
 - can a parent go to an establishment—Yes
 - first week of December Mr. De Angelis will ask students about pizza likes and dislikes
 - pepperoni is too hot

5. Fundraiser

- World's Finest Chocolate--\$90 per box, \$45 back to the school
- Samco 10% from receipt for next year
- Advent Night—canned good or an unwrapped toy
- \$1,500.00 to pay for treats / guest speaker
- Charitable Acts—Clothing for the good Shepherd
- Dec. 9th Mass, Mrs Pat Amos, Joy Day Craft

6. School Cash Online Payment

- Online payment option 21% used by St. James families

7. Uniform Contract

- JML contract expires Feb. 25, 2015; choose not to go with them?
- so far good relationship
- in January 2015 we will discuss it

8. Guest Speaker

- \$1,000.00 for parents, open to the community
- April—Jennifer Koleri
- After Easter—Chris Vollum
- Anti Bully
- Explore Social Worker—Roots of Empathy

9. Next Meeting

- January 19, 2015 @ 6:45 p.m.