

**Immaculate Conception School  
Parent Support Group  
Zoom Video Conference October 11, 2023  
Meeting Minutes**

**Present:** Kathleen Barth, Jes Hoeg, Tonya Kruger, Julia Good, Freddy Padilla, Jerry Joseph, Raven Hogue, Andrea Robinson, Sarah Roberge

**Prayers and Welcome:** Tonya Kruger

**Adoption of Minutes:**

- Adopted by Sarah
- 2<sup>nd</sup> by Julia

**Adoption of Agenda:**

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**Principal's Report:** Kathleen

- Please see the handout
- We had our Rosary Assembly today (October 11<sup>th</sup>)
- A big thank you to Ms. Ames for co-ordinating cross country last Wednesday
- We are excited that volleyball season has started
- A big thank you to Ms. Hanley and Ms. Nachbaur with their support preparing for student IEP's, we will be meeting with parents, etc.
- A friendly reminder about parent teacher next week
- A huge thank you to all our staff and families who supported our food drive

**Treasurer's Report:** Julia

- Thank you for the healthy snacks at cross country
- \$419 from last year, and \$2 service fee
- Cheques have been issued for all the classroom funds
- Gaming summary - surplus, nothing was spent on equipment. Money does have to get used for extra circular equipment
- Some suggestions on how to use the remaining funds - replace the basket ball nets outside, funds towards supporting our music program, some funds have been used for bussing
- Year end budget has the amount unspent from last year

- We discussed a big ticket item, having a stage
- The staff really appreciate the classroom funds

### **Old Business**

- Cobs Bread fundraiser - we still have to sign the forms
- Purdy's fundraiser - starts on November 1<sup>st</sup> to November 30<sup>th</sup>
- Art Card fundraiser - a big thank you to Ms. Sousa who sent the art in last week, we should hear back within the next couple weeks
- We had a volunteer signup sheet at the open house; we received interest from so many volunteers, thank you!
- We seem to have a lot of volunteer interest during our Lobster Fest

### **New Business**

- We will be sending out a community calendar for our events
- Sending an email about coffee on Sunday- to verify volunteers and to ensure we have enough, we need 8 volunteers

### **Feeding Futures**

- The ministry is releasing funds around food security for children, we are allotted \$9,000, and applied for further funding
- We were thinking of placing food bins in each classroom
- We would like to have healthy food options, it's been approved to order additional hot lunches, to hand out to our kiddos
- Everything has been submitted, we are waiting till November for our funds
- This initiative is called "Feeding Futures"

### **Shopping Cards**

- Shopping card sales, from January to September 30<sup>th</sup>
- Value of current cards, last day for orders, for Christmas is December 7<sup>th</sup>

**Next Meeting: November 8, 2023 via Zoom**