



JOHN SWEENEY CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Monday, September 26, 2022

Present: Kendra Duench(Principal), Mike Clifford (Vice Principal), Kara Wagler(School Rep), Joanne Neeb (Community Rep), Catherine Silver, Sara Stewart, Sarah Manninen, Alen Petros, Sayo Tola Adenaike

Regrets: Ann Tombek, Sandra Soehner

Prayer

Kendra led us in "A Prayer to Start a Catholic School Advisory Council Meeting".

All in attendance briefly introduced themselves.

Role of CSAC

- Roles of council were reviewed.
- Student reps are also an important part of council. Kara will identify/approach 2-4 grade 8 students for this school year.
- Non-teaching representation – no volunteers at this time.

Vote on council positions

Council positions were discussed with the following outcomes decided:

- Co-chairs – Jennifer & Alen
- Secretary – Jo
- Treasurer – Sayo
- Parish Representative – Sarah M

Meeting Dates for 2022-23

- Tuesday, November 29/22 – 6:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, January 31/23 – 6:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, March 28/23 – 6:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, May 30/23 – 6:00 p.m.

Regular Agenda Items

School Report

- Opening Mass was held on September 15th with great success
- School Open House on September 21st was well attended
- Terry Fox event raised over \$900 so far

Living, Learning, and Growing in the Holy Spirit

- Excited to have exchange students from Colombia and Spain
- Rain dates for tournaments
 - 3-pitch September 29th
 - Jr. Soccer September 30th
- PD Days – Monday, October 24th and Friday, November 18th
- Progress reports go home November 21st
- Parent/Student/Teacher conferences – November 24th
- School Improvement and Equity Plan for Student Achievement (SIEPSA) data will be shared at future council meetings. This data drives planning to set goals.

Financial Report

- No report

Sub-committee updates

- Discussion took place regarding a fundraising Dance-a-thon on Thursday, October 27th. Sara S & Catherine to chair a planning sub-committee. Interested members to reach out to them directly.

Meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.