

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PTC MEETING MINUTES – OCTOBER 18, 2007

Call to order by President Kelli Schoster – 7:05 PM

Devotions led by Stacie Combs

Announcement: Kelli welcomed Stacie Combs to the PTC board. Stacie volunteered as the new Vice-President.

Minutes of September meeting – Approved as written (Motion: Tina Tisdale; Seconded: Gayle Rolfes; Motion carried).

Treasurer's Report: Teri Giglio reports an ending balance on 10/18/07 of \$23,187.98. Teri Giglio then reviewed the PTC budget proposed for 2007-2008 including the amendments discussed at the September meeting for the "All Write" publications and the contribution required by the grant for the auxiliary tutor. The budget in the amount of \$28,925.00 was approved as written (Motion: Marilyn Walter, Seconded: Kathy Dean, Motion carried).

Principal's report

- Mr. Carey Owens reported that Student Council would be led by Kathy Wirsch this year. Elections have taken place. Expect to see service projects soon led by Student Council.
- The teachers had in In-Service day last week to attend an excellent technology session given by Southwest Local. Mr. Owens invited parents to visit <http://www.infohio.net/>.
- Next week is Red Ribbon Week, which focuses on drug abuse prevention. One of the activities will be a canine demonstration given by the local police department.
- Conferences are planned for November 1st and 8th.
- Mr. Owens and others from the Education Commission will be attending a school marketing seminar at Xavier University on November 2nd.

Committees

- Toy and Clothing Sale / Stacie Combs: The sale took place on October 6 with a profit of \$856.85. Stacie thanked all buyers, sellers and workers who helped to make this a success. The next sale is planned for March 8, 2008.
- Santa's Breakfast / Chris Jonas: This will be held on December 8th. Many volunteers are needed for 2 shifts. Parents are needed and 8th graders are encouraged to volunteer for service hours.
- Santa's Workshop / Gayla Huber: This will be held December 6th – 7th. The workshop provides an opportunity for the children to shop for inexpensive items to give as Christmas gifts. Volunteers are needed to help at the workshop.
- Oktoberfest / Anna Herrmann: Friday October 26. Volunteers are needed.
- Fashion Show / Ronda Schmid & Kelli Schoster: November 17, 2007. Things are going well with a lot of nice prizes that will be available at the show. Reservations are starting to come in.

Old Business

None

New Business

- Stacie Combs shared a document that describes the duties of all of the PTC Board Members as provided by each of the board members. This will be available in the PTC binder in the school office and will also be posted online on the PTC site.
- Teri Giglio is looking into organizing a Papa Johns night where 20% of sales are given to PTC. Details will follow.
- Teri Giglio is also looking into an opportunity through Cincinnati Bell to receive \$10 for our school for each family that signs up for online bill pay. Details will follow.
- Tina Tisdale shared a "PTC FYI" which provided some interesting statistics about attendance at the September meeting. Tina encouraged all to spread the word about PTC to try to get more people involved.
- Kelli Schoster is looking into an O'Charleys night in February where a percentage of the sales are given to our school.
- Marilyn Walter urged all to increase their use of the recycling bins on the school grounds. An increase of 15% over last year will earn a \$500 reward for our school. Marilyn also reminded all to provide used printer cartridges and cell phones directly to her for recycling.
- Christy Bittner asked about the recent "out of uniform" day where no jeans were allowed. Mr. Owens indicated this had been his decision. Some discussion followed.
- Chris Jonas reported that the 8th graders are selling \$5 bracelets for use on November 18th at Northgate Mall.
- Split the Pot Winner – Margaret Toyas (\$6)

The next PTC meeting will be November 15, 2007.

Adjournment: 7:35 P.M (Motion: Kathy Dean, Seconded: Marilyn Walter, Motion carried)

Respectfully submitted,
Julie Kluesener, Secretary