SHPP MEETING FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST, 2017 8:00AM

CONFERENCE ROOM AT ASCA

- I. Prayer-Theresa.
- II. Introduction by Theresa C. (SHPP president)
- III. Recess Update-Theresa Cunningham
 - A. Purchased new cart for chess pieces for recess pad.
 - B. Getting another cart to replace the current ball cart.
 - C. Working on chess board (painted or purchased) for outside to go with large chess pieces purchased last year.
 - D. Briefly mentioned art awareness project with Mrs. W. (the only one you rocks k-5, 6-8 did kindness rocks).
- IV. Book fair update- Kathy Kokkinos and Cristine Shaw
 - A. Fall dates are October 30-November 3, same format as last year but occurring over parent conferences.
 - 1. Poster contest for grades k-5 when the preview.
 - 2. Library contest for scholastic gift cards: k-2nd, 3rd-5th, 6th-8th.
 - 3. Include preschool and additional raffle for just preschool.
 - 4. Visit from Clifford the Big Red Dog.
 - B. Several volunteers are needed to make this event a success.
 - C. Total sales for last year's book fairs were \$18,938.74.
 - D. Earned \$4,649.57 in cash for the library.
 - E. Earned an additional \$1,126.89 in scholastic dollars.
 - F. Spring book fair dates are March 12th-16th.
- V. FUN-raising committee updates-Jennifer Heidu.
 - A. Four events for the year.
 - 1. Tears for cheers already occurred and was a success.
 - 2. Trunk or treat.
 - a. Oct 27-gym available.
 - b. All about the candy and pizza sales.
 - c. Looking for volunteers.
 - d. Taffy apple sales did not do well last year
 - e. Probably not going to do pumpkins again.

- 3. Parents Night Out.
 - a. December 1st, right after school and involve little kids-end at 7 or 730.
 - b. More activities, need volunteers, activities to keep kids involved.
 - c. They do have the gym.
- 4. Spring Event-In the planning stages.
 - a. Last year was players event low attendance.
 - b. No availability at players until the end of March.
 - c. Called Bowlero -all Sundays available 12-3-we could have the whole place, not sure of price-maybe 20-25 per person, need to get date set.
 - d. If you were involved with events last year, please stay to talk.
- B. Question from Theresa-how was Parent's Night Out last year?
 - Feedback-need things for older kids, would like to have the older kids still here.
 - 2. Anna G.-have we reached out to the high school kids to ask them to chaperone and receive service hours?
 - 3. Erika B. -need the form for younger kids to work here-similar to protecting gods kids but for students.
 - 4. Question-How about we have the forms at the high school or parishes for the younger kids to help out?
 - a. Alumni are most likely the ones to come and help-know the school.
 - b. Patty should have a database of alumni.
- VI. Patricia and Amy-Outreach Update.
 - A. Patricia's first year-Amy is mentoring.
 - B. Cereal collection-175 pounds of cereal-down from last year.
 - C. Halloween candy-few volunteers to stand outside and collect candy.
 - D. Advent-forms come home from school.
 - E. MLK-need help to coordinate locations and take pictures.
 - 1. Amy reserved 2 spots at Feed My Starving Children- 75 people each.
 - F. Lent-students collect cash for orphanage in Mexico.
 - G. School supplies collection.
 - H. Predschool-5th grade outreach.
 - 1. They decide what they want to do.
 - 2. Preschool and kinder just do Easter baskets
 - Grades 1-5 have ballots to vote.
 - 4. Need volunteer to help teachers,
 - 5. Patricia needs parents from each grade level-teachers had sign up but no one signed up-have Patty put in school speak, Margaret-might be some overlap with room moms helping.
- VII. Art awareness update- Monica Risdon.

- A. 5th year and officially part of SHPP-expand reach and share with parents.
- B. She has combined a series of collections.
- C. Want to share our love with art with the children.
- D. She had a syllabus of presentations. Slide show, project, combined with art room to use their supplies.
- E. 1st-5th grade 3 times a year.
- F. One grade coordinator, coordinate with teacher and schedule dates.
- G. Teacher gets dates and volunteers.
 - 1. Working with SHPP to get volunteers.
- H. One more element of art awareness is full SHPP support-rocks from SHPP efforts and funding, Parents and kids have enjoyed this project.

VIII. Room parent coordinator - Margaret D.

- A. She was a room parent last year, she was asked to be the coordinator this year.
- B. Goal is to support all participants-room parents, helpers and teachers.
- C. Communication to make sure everyone is in the loop.
- D. Once parents are selected -priority given to those that have not been helpers before, volunteers are the umbrellas for the classrooms, checklists for the parties, letters going out.
- E. Party dates are Halloween, Christmas party, and Valentine's day-different party helpers for each party.
- F. Question-Does she do field days too? NOOOOO, she will communicate once she gets all the parents figured out from signup sheets on curriculum night.
- G. Would like to have meeting and set the guild lines up front.
 - 1. Facilitate party and have a great time.
 - 2. Respect teachers and their classrooms.
 - 3. Incorporate the teachers with planning, depends on age and grade level.
- H. Question-How is junior high? They think the same as last year-teachers coordinate but need volunteers to help.
- IX. Daddy daughter dance update-Michelle Klein and Kristen Johannesen.
 - A. Super excited and likes to plan parties.
 - B. Decided the theme is country western barn dance.
 - 1. Locations Cress creek or the school?
 - 2. Price has changed at cress creek.
 - C. Question-How tough is the school to have the dance? Could be tricky, dads liked cress creek-deciding best route.
 - D. \$30 last year.
 - E. Cress creek did not make enough last year, would be an additional \$8 per ticket for the next one.
 - F. Need to see how many dads and daughters.

- G. \$3000 minimum last year.
- H. Day and a half to transfer the gym-if we scale it back they might be disappointed, depends on volunteer base to set it up.
- I. Probably in April.
- J. Cress creek-340 people total-a little tight.
- K. Could probably get away with a few less tables.
- L. Can the dads go without a cocktail for a few hours?
- M. Last year dads were separate and kids were separate.
 - 1. Dads coordinate dinners beforehand.
 - 2. Older girls did not go because it was too childish.
- X. Mother and Son event update-Chris Gambs and Angie R.
 - A. Feedback that wolves game needs to try something new.
 - B. Possibly top golf-trying to pick date that there are no other school activities going on.
 - C. Looking for other ideas.
 - D. Not sure of date-Sunday after the playoffs-possibly coordinate for the fall, aiming for March.
 - E. Question-mother daughter event-top golf?
 - 1. Looking for volunteers to lead that?
 - 2. Pinots palette?
 - 3. Athletics take over daddy son event?
- XI. Erika-athletics department needs help and volunteers!!!
 - A. We are strapped for volunteers.
- XII. Additional idea-Dads with doughnuts for book fair.
- XIII. Grandparents day update- Amy and Lisa.
 - A. Lisa is good, but Amy needs help with her piece as far as spreadsheets go. (RSVP's, letters, etc.).
- XIV. Theresa-need more volunteers for lunch and recess.
- XV. Hospitality coordinators-Bridget and Christina.
 - A. Food for teachers-need help with food and setup, tear downs.
 - B. 5 events throughout the year (10 last year).
 - 1. Welcome breakfast, focusing on quality.
 - 2. Ordered Panera-teachers want Panera for conferences, might need food, sending out sign up genius,
 - C. Let everyone know about the committee.
 - D. We appreciate what the teachers do and show them our appreciation.
 - E. They minimized this year and just need help with food.
 - F. There were 10 events last year.

- G. Less, but better quality, ask parents if they want to donate money instead of food.
- H. Volunteers volunteers!
- I. Dates are:
 - 1. November 2 dinner-pizza.
 - 2. November 3-breakfast.
 - 3. December 13- Maison Sabika.
- 4. Not sure about cookie exchange, early spring hi-tea-asking for help-no dates yet, May 8th teacher appreciation lunch-ask for a lot of food from parents-end of year, book Mc Sherry hall-international food-highly decorated, will take money, setting up props and be there to run event, may order a catering company to serve the teachers.
- XVI. Question-new parents need to be tapped, it is different from where they came from. How can they become involved?
 - A. Volunteer booklet should be sent home and gives all the volunteer opportunities.
 - B. Maybe they need to start at Kinder instead of preschool for youngest and only.
 - C. New parent liaison coordinator????
- XVII. Closing-Theresa.
 - A. Future meeting dates to come.
 - B. Thank you!