



# MINUTES

## St. Alphonsus Home and School Association

### Home and School

*Date / time* 4/4/2017 6:30 PM | *Meeting called by* Home and School Association Board

### Board members

**Tanya Pochowski**, Co-President (tanya7800@wi.rr.com) | **Lindsay Rugg**, Co-President (Lindsay.rugg@gmail.com) | **Chris Blackwood**, Treasurer (cblackwood@wi.rr.com) | **Julie Bates**, Secretary (juliew4321@yahoo.com) |

### Welcome

Prayer ( )

### Meet and Greet!

#### Introductions:

- Name
- Children and Grades

### Committee Win!

- Any good news/wins?

### Monthly Updates:

- Secretary Report (Lindsay Rugg) – February minutes approved
- Treasurer Report (Wendy Huot – for Chris Blackwood) – dine out check came in, Scholastic book fair money coming in, 8<sup>th</sup> grade has some expenses for their trip and the 7<sup>th</sup> grade can now begin their fundraising, fun fair money has come in and has overage, no other expenses, expense booked for John McGivern event
- Principal's Report (Pat Wadzinski) – Holy Week next week, 8<sup>th</sup> grade has living stations 8/11 at 6:30pm & 8/12 at 12pm; right after Easter we start with the Iowa testing for 3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> grade, report cards come out this week Wednesday, a number of students have shadowed and enrolled into St. Al's (3 families), last day of school has been moved to June 8<sup>th</sup>.
- Teacher Liaison Report (Mrs. Grogan) – Heinzman 4k – assigned prayer buddies, doing different activities with prayer buddies all through Lent, washing prayer buddies feet; Patterson 5k – learning about oviparous animals (chickens), eagerly awaiting chick eggs to hatch, a total of 36 eggs; 2<sup>nd</sup> grade – reconciliation complete, first communion after Easter, Junie B Junes play coming up; 3<sup>rd</sup> grade – doll baptism and was wonderful, stay in field trip Schlitz Audubon is coming to school next week and also bringing animals, finishing our cursive letters & Iowa testing to begin after spring break, end of year trip June 6<sup>th</sup> to Milton house; Schwemmer 4<sup>th</sup> - helping with Fish Fry 2,000 meals served, John Boon competed against 99 students at state geography bee in Madison, research on Engineers and doing report; Logicki – experienced a sater meal, living stations of the cross on 8/11 for parish; 8/12 for the school, research for Beauty & the Beast – public May 18, 19, 20; Brettingen – researching topics for informative paper, poetry; Pledl – students have been teaching in art, the 8<sup>th</sup> graders are demonstrating art technique, 7<sup>th</sup> grade did a PPT on pop art, 8<sup>th</sup> grades had field trip to Art Musuem. Unity t-shirts on Wednesday.

### Business:

#### A. Fundraisers/events:

- Notecard Sale Update – totals should be calculated over the weekend, final update will be provided in the coming weeks.
- Mother-Son Event (Wendy) – Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup> 11am – 1pm; bowling event Root River, 80 people max for event, 5 people per lane – soda & a pizza per lane, cost will include shoes/lane, ideas on fun contests for raffles

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- c. School Committee meeting changed to April 25<sup>th</sup> (probably at 6 pm) Do we still have someone to attend on behalf of Home and School? – Michelle Waddle
  - d. Sweetheart Breakfast/Pancake Breakfast – save the date in newsletter and bulletin; researching vendors because food was cold last year
  - e. Pasta Night for the Play – will the 7<sup>th</sup> grade be leading this again this year?
  - f. School Supply Update – The school supply lists have been completed and given to the vendor. Vendor is currently working on the web landing page and it should be live within the next couple of weeks.

**B. Open Positions**

- a. Committee to determine use of funds from Fun Run (desks/playground) \*\*\*\*IMPORTANT TO FILL
- b. Committee Leads
  - i. Pancake Breakfast (for 2017-18 school year) (Parish/School Event) \*\*\*\*IMPORTANT TO FILL
  - ii. Dine out for St. Al's \*\*\*\*IMPORTANT TO FILL
  - iii. Boston Store Community Days (Will eliminate if not filled for 2017-18)

**Committee Updates** (will provide updates for committees that have current activities only):

<u>Committee</u>	<u>Timing of Event</u>	<u>Chairperson</u>
• John McGivern	February 24, 2017	Michelle Waddle, Julie Bates, Mandy Sowa
• Dine Out with St. Al's	Monthly	Crystal Nguyen
• New Family	Monthly	Lindsay Rugg, Michelle Waddle
• Hospitality	Ongoing	Gretchen Watson
• Apparel Sale	Ongoing	Michelle Waddle
• Teacher Appreciation	May 1-5, 2017	Kim Smazal
• Fish Fry	Lent	Heather Halser
• Note Card Sale	March/Mother's Day	Jennifer Nencka
• Mother-Son Event	Spring 2017	Wendy Huot, Madeline Schmidt
• Sweetheart Breakfast	May 7, 2017	Jennifer Nencka, Tanya Pochowski
• School Supplies	Summer	Sheila Quinette
• <del>Entertainment Books (Recap)</del>	<del>September 1-15, 2016</del>	<del>Jennifer Lima</del>
• <del>Fun Run (Recap)</del>	<del>September 7-16, 2016</del>	<del>Fun Run Committee</del>
• <del>Father-Daughter Dance (Recap)</del>	<del>November 4, 2016</del>	<del>Tricia Czajkowski</del>
• <del>Fall Fest (Recap)</del>	<del>October 27, 2016</del>	<del>Mandy Sowa</del>
• <del>Boston Store-Community Days (Recap)</del>	<del>November 9-12, 2016</del>	<del>Tanya Pochowski</del>
• <del>Ornament Sale (Status)</del>	<del>November-December, 2016</del>	<del>Tanya Pochowski</del>
• <del>Cookie Walk</del>	<del>December 10-11, 2016</del>	<del>Amy Shamburger, Erin Ryan</del>
• <del>Fun Fair</del>	<del>January 13, 2017</del>	<del>6th Grade Class</del>
• <del>Scholastic Book Fair</del>	<del>January 28-February 3, 2017</del>	<del>Lindsay Rugg</del>

**Label Collection:**

• Box Tops	Monthly	Jean Nelsen
• Tyson A+	Monthly	Tanya Pochowski

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**Open Items**

- A. Open Discussion
    - a. Silent Auction Donation for church auction currently being finalized
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## Adjournment

### Volunteer Opportunities:

- A. See open positions above

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Please join us for our monthly Home and School meetings at 6:30 PM in the Father Alan Meeting Room (Room 200)

2016-17 School Year Meeting Dates (1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of every month):

- April 4, 2017
- May 2, 2017
- June 6, 2017

**Sign Up Genius Volunteer Website:** <http://tinyurl.com/stalsignup>

Any questions, feel free to contact Home and School Board: [homeandschool@st-alphonsus.org](mailto:homeandschool@st-alphonsus.org)