

# St. Joseph Parish School Advisory Committee

October 3rd, 2022

6:30 pm

**In attendance:** Amanda Matthews, Principal, Jenny Marquardt, Chair, Chris Baylor, Vice-Chair, Lyn Schaetz, Secretary, Krystal DeRuyter, Shannon Morgan, Julie Shaefer, Parker Shipley, Nicole Vaculik, Daniel Le, Mrs. Bartelt, Teacher Representative, Mrs. Lemke, Teacher Representative, Brenda Jobe, Pastoral Council Liaison

## *Mission Statement:*

*St. Joseph Parish School: Teaching, Learning, Leading, and Serving as the Hands of Christ*

## *Minutes*

- Opening Prayer – *Amanda*
- Today's Business:
  - Playground Stenciling Update
    - Monday for October 10<sup>th</sup> @ 7am Poblocki Paving will be onsite to complete plan
    - Plan: restripe everything inclusive of kick-ball court, move basketball key, add one 4-square court and two hop scotches.
    - Funded thru last year's Catholic School Walk
  - Home & School
    - Excellent turn out for volunteer commitments from Back 2 School Night
    - Book fair & auction leads still open for fulfillment
  - Wisconsin Forward Exam – Spring 2023
    - 3<sup>rd</sup> grade – 8<sup>th</sup> grade. We will be converting standardized testing formats from IOWA testing to the Wisconsin Forward Exam
  - Catholic Community Foundation Grant 2022
    - Reapplying again from last year
    - \$15,000 applicable for student scholarships
    - Recipients announced Jan/Feb
  - Student of the Month
    - SAW (Student Activities & Wellness) lead initiative
    - RUBRIC for team nomination, teachers nominate
    - 1 nominee per grade level (K3-K5, 1-5 and middle school)
    - Traveling yard sign, announcement, school bulletin board, Lancer Times, student of month backpack & certificate
  - Typing Class
    - Type-tastic (typing app 2<sup>nd</sup> grade and up) current pilot program
  - Communication Platforms (Bloomz, Google Classroom, etc.)
    - Recommendation to determine a centralized communication platform
  - Open Discussion
    - Sports

- Goal is to have teams
- Low participation for basketball and volleyball
  - Soccer season, club season, Christian formation participation low
- School Counselor
  - Still open and actively recruiting
- By-laws
  - Must be updated by end of 2023, still under review.
- Upcoming Events
  - Pet Blessing – Oct 4<sup>th</sup>
  - No School – Oct 7<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>
  - Haunted Trail – Oct 21<sup>st</sup>
  - Family Fun Night – Oct 28<sup>th</sup>
  - Early Release – Nov 3<sup>rd</sup>
  - No School -Nov 4<sup>th</sup>
  - Next Meeting Nov 7<sup>th</sup>

**Ground Rules:** 1) Remain focused on our mission, 2) Respect the speaker and all ideas, 3) Assume positive intent, 4) Maintain confidentiality, 5) Promote transparency, 6) Be productive and stay on time