

SAINT SUSANNA PTP
MINUTES
September 17, 2008

Thank yous

Mrs. Guptill and Mrs. Daum

Treasurer's Report

Auction: \$74,917.89

General: \$38,606.96

Young Authors: \$1,429.77

Old Business

Rewards Programs

- Box Tops for Education – We have accumulated 44,000 points. We are placing an insert in bulletin and sending one home from school on how to cut Box Tops and how to sign up for Marsh points. We will also be kicking off a Box Top contest for school-more info to follow. Also, watch for info to come regarding a Box Top cutting party in October- volunteers needed
- Campbell's Soup Labels
- Marsh Fresh Idea's for Education
- Nestle Water - We accumulated 7600 points last year and we need to place an order or we will lose our points- Kristy Keith will take care of order.
- Scrip - Volunteers Needed!! Sign up sheet passed around
- Sweatshirt/T-shirt Sales - Due to popular demand, we will have another sale will be in November for the PTP t- shirts and sweatshirts
- New Family/Veteran Family Pairing - Veteran families that have been assigned new families, please call your new families. New families have been giving positive feedback. Oct.5th there will be a New family and Resource family picnic after 11:30 Mass. Watch for more info to come.
- Sixth Grade Shaker Boxes auction trip - The PTP is not able to fund any field trips per Fr. Kevin. A suggestion was made to sell concessions at any home games. Anyone interested in raising funds for possible field trips is encouraged to attend the next School Commission meeting where this issue will be discussed. Many ideas were circulated for raising funds such as a family movie night, bingo night, spaghetti dinner, etc...

New Business

● Past Projects

- Saint Susanna Indians Game - We had a great turnout! It was truly enjoyed by all! We had 143 people from Saint Susanna in attendance.

- ZooBook Fundraiser - The Zoobook fundraiser ended on September 5th. Profit earned was just under \$5,000! Thanks for everyone's participation! We just concluded our contract with Zoobooks. We can resign with Zoobook or choose a new fundraiser. Anyone with ideas/suggestions for next year's fund raiser should come prepared to present their suggestions at the next PTP meeting. We will have open discussions regarding our fundraiser over the next few months. Suggestions brought to this meeting included: ZooBooks-school keeps 35% of profits, Mike's Car Wash-school keeps 27% of profits (boy scouts sell), Plainfield Coupon Card- (Plainfield High School sells them), Trash bags-35% of profits(boy scouts sell), Candles-\$5.00 per \$14.00 candle sold.
 - Kindergarten Bake Sale - This sale was one of our best ever! Profits included \$100 cash and 2,275 Box Tops (\$227.00 value) bringing our total to about \$330.
 - Donuts with Dad - We had another great turnout with 108 Dads attending. We went through approximately 43 dozen donuts!
- Upcoming Projects
 - Quaker Day Parade, Saturday, October 4th - "A Community of Values" is this year's theme. The Student Council is decorating the float and will meet at 8:00 a.m. The rest of the students will meet at 9:00 a.m. The float theme is a "Kinder Garden" with the Kindergartener's wearing hats to look like flowers. More info/permission slips to follow.
 - Scholastic Book Fair, October 6th - 10th - This event is being hosted by the 3rd and 4th grades. Many volunteers will be needed.
 - Friends and Family Day, Thursday, October 9th - The program will be at 9:00 a.m. Mass will be at 11:00 a.m. The students will not be wearing costumes this year so there won't be any need to change prior to mass.
 - Parent Teacher Conferences - PTP donated dinner, Tues. Oct 21st

School Commission Report

- Parish Picnic, Sunday, September 21st, Plainfield Aquatic Center
- Parish Bonfire, Sunday, October 12th
- Mission Days have changed. A letter will be sent home from the school commission. Money will be collected for the designated missions, separate from dress down days. Fr. Kevin will choose dress down days.

Principal's Report - Mrs. Davis is on maternity leave

Open Forum

- Stewardship Hours- several people have volunteered for hours and projects and have not been called back. Suggestions: communicate with your teachers if you do or do not need stewardship hours; make sure you check the stewardship board in the back of church; Bart Fisher is coordinating stewardship opportunities for parish and school; Every Tues night the Men's Club meet to fix things, just show up.

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday, October 15th, at 7:00 p.m. in the school.