

## **APO Meeting 9/20/16**

### **In Attendance:**

Maranda McCarthy-President  
Sara Nuahn -Co-Vice President  
Christy McFadden Co-Vice President  
Sandy Martinek -Treasurer  
Loryn Follrath-Secretary  
Kerry Korman -Volunteer Coordinator  
Charlene Rutt -Barnes and Noble Rep.  
Terry Herr -Teacher Rep.  
Heather Mueller -Preschool Rep.  
Mary Eilen  
Courtney Gabel  
Jennifer Renstrom

### **President Report:**

Handbook: Passed out to APO Members  
First Friends Mixer: Good turn out-record number  
Back to School Night: Seemed successful,  
Next year, to be out more visible location.-Jen to mention to Donna for set up  
APO Dues- majority collected, turned into the fall teacher grants-Donna  
Fall Teacher Grants- same amount as last year.  
Teacher/staff enrichment funds-for teacher supplies or anything not covered-form  
submitted to Donna.  
Septemberfest Basket/Collection  
Parent Information Night: Thursday Night 9/22  
Autumn Kisling to shadow Janet Daly to take over script  
Looking for a shadow for Tom Arms to take over the health office  
School box kits will also need a shadow for Mandy Hasslen-Gartner

### **School Report-Jennifer**

Enrollment up 375 had budgeted for 358.  
Continue to get tour requests most from Burroughs and Ramsey-middle school  
Weekly masses in google calendar  
Directory not available-several open tech tickets to correct the problem.

### **Teacher's Report-Terry**

K-5 has new math curriculum  
Teacher meetings every week to work on IB programs

### **Secretary Report-Loryn Follrath**

Notes copied to Presidents and Jennifer Renstrom  
Sent to Meghan Stebbins to be added to website

**School Advisory Report-Christy/Sara**

Leadership council formed by Father Park for the parish and school  
Want to see it work as an Action group  
Looking at middle school technology and future needs vs wants  
Investigating possible grant money for technology through CISCO (Catholic of School Center of Excellence)  
4 new members on SAC

**Volunteer Report-Kerry**

166 forms returned  
[volunteer@annunciationmsp.org](mailto:volunteer@annunciationmsp.org)

**Preschool coordinator update-Heather**

End of October for preschool preview night  
In the community room  
Have APO/SAC members present  
Jennifer to see if community room is available

**Hospitably Update:**

Cards sent for Condolences to :  
Mike and Lizzie Shaffbauer  
Kristine Sennetz father passes away

**Barnes and Noble Report: Charlene Rutt**

New space for B&N at the Galleria for Dec 6th Book fair  
Full restaurant with wine and beer  
Sept 29th planning meeting  
Nora McInerly Purmort-Alum "It's Okay to Laugh"-Speaker

**New Business:**

Virtus handout for re certification instructions  
Changed to every three year re-cert. Jimmy Dunn will be sending out emails to those who will need to recert.-(online process about 1/2hour)

**DWAS Vote Collectors (10/1/16)**

Let Maranda/Matt know if you are interested

**APEX Fun Run (10/10/16-10/19/16)**

Volunteers needed for:

10/14, 10/18, 3-5 people to stand outside the foyer to cheer on the kids  
6 people on 10/27 to count money  
8-10 people to help on the day of the run

Location: wiffle ball field. Rain plan in the gym

Breakfast with the Principle (10/14/16) in Library 8:00 am

Box Tops Collection-Christy

Revamp program: last year made about \$800. Potential to make a lot more.

Will get the word out on parent night

Info in the weekender

Suggestion to go to a teacher meeting

Investigate doing classroom contests

Script

Now GC available on phones

Discuss strategies to increase its use