

Minutes
IHM-St. Casimir School PTO
Wednesday, May 11, 2016
IHM East/West Room

- I. Welcome & Introduction- Attendance** - Angela Johnston, Bill Drake, Marsha Green, Mary Blair, Teresa Cherry, Laura O'Connor, Shonna Kerrigan, Jessica Escabedo-Emmons, Rachel Prose, Robin Kennedy, Ruth Fedewa-Frazee, Wendy Fuller, Allison Goodman, Anita Magaway

Opening Prayer - *Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created and you shall renew the face of the earth. O God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit, did instruct the hearts of the faithful, grant that by the same Holy Spirit, we may be truly wise and ever enjoy his consolations. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

II. Board Reports

- A. Approval of Minutes** – Laura O'Connor -Teresa Cherry & Rachel Prosen approved
- B. Treasury Report** – Shonna Kerrigan -\$5700 in account right now. \$1500 in checks written today. Box tops check for \$500.
- C. Marketing Report** – Angela Johnston & Bill Drake -Cinco De Mayo was fun and easy. Committee is working on calendar & plan for marketing, and committee goals. Planning an ice cream social in July. Enrollment about 185 so far. Kindergarten is at 24 so far. Yay!

III. Old Business

- A. Teacher Appreciation Luncheon**- Went well. We did more chicken this year and received good response. Almost all the pop was left over, maybe water for next year. Teachers loved it, yummy, fun shirts, thank you for the time!

IV. New Business

- A. PTO Executive Committee – President - Anita Magaway, Vice President - Jessica Escobedo-Emmons, Secretary - Allison Goodman, Treasurer - Shonna Kerrigan**- Thank you new officers for volunteering your time! Angela passed out Daily Devotion books to new officers. Thank you out-going officers for all of your help over the last two years. Angela passed out lovely flowers as thanks.
- B. November School Auction** – Teresa Cherry- Adult social night Friday Nov 4th. Please consider joining the planning committee. The next meeting will be Tuesday 5pm teacher lounge. If you have any leads for donations, we would appreciate it
- C. Honors Banquet** – 5th Grade Room Reps- Meeting tonight to work out details. No worries at this time
- D. 8th Grade Graduation** – 2nd Grade- Will be ready. No worries.
- E. Year End Teacher Appreciation Gifts** – Room Reps- The end of the year is nearing. Group gifts are a good idea. Check with teachers for field trip and end of the year picnics
- F. Thank You Current PTO Executive Committee for a Great 2 years! Thank you Room Reps for All Your Hard Work!!**
- G. 5th Grade spirit month** – Prayer cards & candy bars for 8th graders going to DC. Popsicles for field day for all other kids

- V. New Business**- Applied for amendment for title dollars and was granted. Like to use for summer month school help. Mobimax online for kids k-7 for math and reading. Angela would like to provide incentives to help encourage math work. Areas will be limited and guided by pre-testing. Can track hours, would like to have a drawing for family of four to zoo \$54, sky zone \$56 (maybe District 5 because it's local), grand prize Michigan Adventure family of four \$124. Patriarch park picnic July 29th, for all kids who work 30 min 5 days a week (average). PTO \$234 approves funds for this.

- VI. Next Meeting** – Summer Budget Meeting to be announced Will be reminded – Plan on August

- VII. Closing Prayer** – Angela/Adjournment