

APO Meeting 2/20/18

Presidents Report

- Breakfast with the Principal on 2/23 at 8:15am in the library
- mini grants dispersed after Christmas for Stem items. Continuing to connect to other areas of support.

Speakers

-Astronaut visit during Staff Appreciation Week; submitted request letter to NASA, and waiting to gain approval. Agenda format is being requested for pre-K-4th and 5th grade through Middle School. May 4th, 2018.

-Colleen Morrisette; Pre-school parent (Psychologist) conversation for Parents related to Bullying, Anxiety, and Technology. Date: April in the evening.

Pizza Luce: 2/19/18 all day, 25% back to school. Successful.

Catholic Schools Week

Service Project

- Donated 75 personal care kits to U of M families who are coming to the hospital for emergency stays.
- Pediatric kits to caring/sharing hands dental clinic.
- Activity Kits for HCMC maternal dental clinic.
- Items leftover were provided to 4/5 grade for service project.

School Report: A lot of Kindergarten applications, transfer tours and requests. Ahead of last year as far as enrollment requests.

Teachers Report: None report

Treasurer Report: Reviewed current balance.

ASC Report:

- Enrollment for next year is looking good. Talked about the possibility of pairing "first friends" with prospective parents before they have actually enrolled. Just an idea, but may look to APO for help with this.
- ASC has not heard any negative feedback from parents about tuition increases.
- Jennifer Cassidy is looking for parents who are willing to be interviewed for the IB authorization visit on April 16-17th. Please let her know if you are willing.
- ASC is putting together a narrative and vision board for funding upgrades to the Creative Arts space that can be used for Trivia Night and Auction.
- Reminders on uniform policy, especially for middle school (shorts in the middle of the winter).

Volunteer Coordinator Report: No Report

Health Office Updates: Health office could always use new volunteers

Hospitality Updates:

-Next Event; Breakfast with the Principal

-May 10; State of the School

Preschool Updates:

-Balloon Dance very successful (Preschool, Kindergarten, and Families who have toured) Possible feedback having it earlier or shorter time frame.

-APO hospitality

-Enrollment open: Discovery class am full, available space for pm, and Kinderstart am/pm space. Annunciation families are priority.

-Kinderstart Field Trip to Orchestra Hall

-Potential activity with APO for Preschool (Possibly with Kindergarten buddies)

New Business:

-APO 3rd grade class of parents will be providing lunch for teachers 2/22/18

-Conferences: Meal provided for teachers potentially on Thursday or Friday

-Trivia Night coming up in April

-Curiosity Fair, March 23rd

-APO Winter Newsletter is coming!!!