



St. Joseph Catholic School School Council Meeting

Meeting Minutes

Nov. 02, 2016

6:30-7:30 pm

Celestin Center

Members in attendance:

Fr. Brian Emmick
Dan Gilbert
Keith Edwards
Jeff Seibert
Kantin Miller
Mary Kay Turner
Audrey Watt

We began with an opening prayer led by Fr. Brian.

The meeting was led by Keith Edwards.

- Fr. Brian discussed the Diocesan Capital Campaign. St. Joseph will be receiving a percentage of the funds from the 3 year campaign to go toward campus security and improvement. We discussed ideas that would be the biggest benefit for St. Joseph Church and School. Some ideas discussed were:
 - Updating the doors with a key fob system,
 - Possibly pricing rubber mat for the playground vs mulch
 - Relocating the office to a location closer to an entrance for security
- Dan went over the Principal's Report.
 - There were many activities taking place in October including field trips, basketball, cheer & archery practices, fundraisers, Red Ribbon week, Fall Festival
 - There are also several activities planned for November:
 - Open House and Wellness Fair will be on Nov. 3rd
 - Chicken Dinner will be this Sunday Nov. 6th
 - The first basketball games are scheduled for Nov. 7th
 - Principal's retreat in French Lick will be Nov. 10th & 11th
 - PTO meeting has been moved to Nov. 14th
 - Mid-term reports will go out next week

- Old Business
 - Discussed alumni registry
 - Audrey is going to research the best way to add an Alumni page to the St. Joe Facebook page
 - Need to research the best storage for alumni information
 - By-laws need to be looked through and updated. It was suggested that this be done every August or September meeting. Then any changes will need to be approved by the Parish Council.

- New Business
 - St Joseph school will host an Open-House on Nov. 3. All Catholic schools in the Evansville Diocese will hold their Open Houses on the same date. Available School Council members and a few students will help give tours to prospective families.

- Closing prayer: Hail Mary was led by Fr. Brian and recited by all.

Next meeting is scheduled on Wednesday, Dec. 7, 2016.