



# St. Joseph Catholic School School Council Meeting

## Meeting Minutes

**Nov. 01, 2017**

**6:30-8:00 pm**

**Celestin Center**

### Members in attendance:

Tyler Brengman	Keith Edwards
Dan Gilbert	Jeff Seibert
Audrey Watt	Kantin Miller
Licia Begle	Chad Begle

We began with an opening prayer led by Dan.

The meeting was led by Keith Edwards.

We welcomed new members to the School Council. Chad and Licia Begle will be serving a one-year term as non-parishioner members.

### ■ Principals Report

- The first basketball games will be next Monday.
- Archery practices have started.
- Auction update – donation letters have gone out
- St. Joe has received the first installment of the voucher money and money from the Assessment grant
- St. Joe will be starting Minds in Motion in the spring with the Wellness grant
  - Staff will be trained to help guide the kids with the stations
  - We watched a video about Minds in Motion.
- Dan discussed that it would be nice to add a projector and screen in the Celestin Center to be used for meetings. He asked that it be brought up with the financial committee

### ■ Old business

- Enrollment sub-committee met in September setting a goal of one thing per month to help increase enrollment.
  - November – working on the parade float for the Christmas parade, handing out goldfish crackers with card promoting our Feb. Open House and highlighting what our school offers.

- December – Fr. Brian would like to have a website for our Early Childhood developed by December. Licia and Chad have a lot of great ideas for the website and have agreed to attend the next Enrollment Committee meeting to discuss their ideas.
- Strategic Plan – discussed revisions to the plan
- Advertising and Marketing – discussed ways and places to market our school. Some ideas were ways to advertise with signs along Broadway, Main or Hwy 41.
  
- New Business
  - Sound system – Dan has received 2 and is waiting on a 3<sup>rd</sup> quote for a sound system for the gym.
  - Tuition Policy
    - Finance committee has developed a new tuition and cafeteria money policy.
    - Members of the School Council need to review, submit any questions or comments, and approve by the end of the week.
  - The School Council Workshop was held on September 19 in Evansville.
    - Break-out sessions that were attended by our members covered topics of PTO, Strategic Planning and School Council leadership

A closing prayer was Glory Be was recited by all members.

Next meeting will be held December 6, 2017.