

PFA General Meeting 9/13/2007

The General PFA meeting was brought to order after an opening prayer.

President's Report: Dayna Murphy started the meeting by reviewing the following:

- In the future, PAL will be combined with PFA general meetings to increase participation for the PAL meetings.
- Volunteers are needed at Funfest to man the PFA table that will have available for purchase trash bags and spirit wear.
- The Sample of St. Matthew is scheduled for Saturday, October 6th before and after mass, and on Sunday the 7th after 9am and 11am masses.

Treasurer's Report: Katie Lee was not in attendance but did submit the budget for review. Money is still being collected from trash bags and uniform sales. It was requested that 18 graphing calculators be purchased for middle school. Martha Marshall made the motion and Kim Whigham seconded.

Committee Reports

Chili Supper: Joann Hinke, chair for the Chili Supper reported that Steak & Shake and Starbucks have "adopted" St. Matthew! They will be providing chili and coffee. New this year will be fall items such as pumpkins, corn, and straw available for purchase.

Grandparents' Day: For the upcoming Grandparents' Day, Jeri Sauer received over 150 requests for invitations. Refreshments will be served in the Lawless room.

Trash Bags: Stacy Jerger reported the school had 78% participation and 87% were paid in full. Trash bags will be for sale at all upcoming events.

Pioneer Day: Martha Marshall has scheduled 10 stations for children in grades K-5. Subway will be providing the sack lunches.

Sports Wear: Ann Timmons showed the winning design for the new sweatshirts. All new items should be in and available for sale by Funfest.

New Business: Red polo shirts will be on sale with the old logo at Funfest.

Lisa Verona will meet with Starbucks and get more information on selling coffee beans especially blended for St. Matthew.

Jane Calandro met with Mr. Erlenbaugh to discuss promoting the school in magazines such as Indy Moms and Indianapolis Monthly and submit pictures from Pioneer day to the Star.

Ellen Ahlers made a motion to accept Steak & Shake's generous donation for the Chili Supper and Martha Marshall seconded the motion.

Stacy Jerger motioned that the meeting be adjourned and Kathy Hofmeister seconded.

The next PFA General Meeting is November 6th, 2007 at 6:00pm in the Providence Room.

These notes respectfully submitted by Sylvia Matheny, Recording Secretary.