

# STVM PARENTS BOARD MEETING

## MINUTES

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July 14, 2021 7:00 Meeting called to order by Lisa Kane

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In attendance:

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Lisa Kane-President, Caroline Brindo/Becky Adamczyk-Secretary, Filomena Krejsa-Hospitality, ZaKiyah Stewart-Membership, Marlinda Bonus/Tracy Deitrick-Prayer Support, Patti Eickhoff-Staff Appreciation, , Lisa Englehart Marketing/Publicity, Anitha Kanakkanat-Alumni Parent Rep

### New Business

- Speakers for meetings
  - President Leo Hyland to speak at Sept. meeting.
  - Future meetings
    - McKrill potentially for Oct. to talk about all the policies, etc.
    - Hidden in Plain Sight/Judge Joy Oldfield
      - potentially invite elementary school parents to attend this as well
    - Angelo Anderson
    - QPR Suicide prevention
    - College Prep (4 year plan)
    - Monster in the Back Pocket/social media
      - potentially invite elementary school/middle school parents to attend
    - Speaker to discuss House Systems?
  - Discussed coordinating with Admissions on collaboration with the two speakers that would potentially be appropriate for inviting elementary/middle school parents to attend, Lisa E. will contact Admissions

### Opening Prayer

- Discussed the need for outside support for this position
  - Suggestion that we contact Mrs. Spinner and the House Chaplains
- Link for prayer requests will be live on the website, and will need to be managed
  - Discussed how to communicate these prayer requests to parents, students, staff
  - May be another area where we need input from Mrs. Spinner/House Chaplains

### Updates/Old Business

- Senior surprises on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of the month for the class of 2022.
- Lisa E. has reached out to the House Parents
- Freshman Rep
  - request sent to a potential parent to fill in this position
- Nice thank you card sent from Mrs. Godshalk for the bracelet we gave her for teaching at STVM for 50yrs!
- We will need a new storage space, Mr. McKrill is helping with this

### **Marketing/Publicity**

- Website is live
- Reminder to all to join the Parent's Club
  - Tracy D. joined during meeting, reported online service worked well

### **Membership**

- Moving forward, gifts for joining will be picked up at the next meeting, not at the school
- Discussion of a House competition for most parents that join to encourage new membership
- Lisa E. is working on updating the packet given to incoming parents

### **Staff Appreciation**

- Updating/cleaning up the staff lounge
  - Lisa E. is organizing
  - potentially painting, new tables, new rug
- All staff appreciation events are scheduled
  - Patty E. is organizing
  - first event will be a back to school breakfast on August 16, will ask parents for donations

### **Fundraising**

- Sports/Activity/Clubs yard signs are now for sale on the Parent's Club website
  - Tracy D. ordered one during meeting and reported site worked well
- Senior parking spots are very popular this year
  - need parents Aug 5-6, email will be sent out looking for volunteers

### **Treasurer's Report**

- Current balance: \$14, 190.15
  - checking: \$8,449.62, savings \$6,460.53

### **Input/Questions/Comments**

- Planning another uniform sale in January
- Everyone very happy with the website, ease of use

Meeting adjourned 8:04 pm

Minutes submitted by Caroline Brindo, Secretary

Next meeting in person Tues, August 10<sup>th</sup> at 7pm (Board only)