

Minutes - School Council Meeting, Tuesday November 17, 2009

Prayer - Laurie Zastrow

Principal's Report - Bob Grose -

- October Financials reviewed. School has received some nice donations this fall.
- Vision and hearing screening to be held Wednesday, Nov. 18
- Conferences scheduled for November 23rd and 24th.
- Tony Melendez concert will be Thursday at 9:45 in the church. Parents and friends are invited.
- Last week the 8th graders visited Eagle Bluff in southern Minnesota. The school received a letter thanking our students and chaperones for wonderful behavior. The students won the Golden Plate award by throwing away less than 1 pound of food (in total) over 3 days!!!
- Bob reviewed a flyer of information called Interesting Facts about the Archdiocese
- **PAA Report - Claudia Munson -**
 - Recent PAA meeting topics included successful end to Marathon 2009 and the \$75,000+ that was raised.
 - Over \$3,000 worth of books raised for the library during Book Fair. Barnes & Noble book fair night for St. Odilia is Friday December 4th.
 - Target Take Charge for Education has raised almost \$90,000 for St. Odilia school since it started. 261 St. O's families currently have designated their Target card proceeds to St. Odilia School. PAA is reviewing ways to raise awareness of the program and increase participation.
 - Men's Club provides Turkey Bingo Friday November 20th. Money raised helps the school athletics programs.
 - PAA has paid to repair broken playground equipment.
 - Franciscan Brothers of Peace food drive is currently underway at school.
 - Parent volunteers are needed for Conference Meals.

PLC Update - Mike Witham

- Creation of the columbarium has had some complications
- PLC continues to look at long range planning.
- Discussion of possible leasing of Priory for hospice use.

Finance Committee - No report. Future meetings scheduled.

50th All School Reunion - No report.

Marketing Committee - Paul Johnson -

166 families have completed the marketing survey! Pam Newcombe is reviewing and consolidating the information. The information will be used in future marketing plans. Discussed possible dates for parent information night in January but not completed.

Policy Review Committee - Jean Nickman -

Reviewed the Student Promotion/Retention policy and approved with minor changes.

Crisis Management Policy Committee -

Hazardous Materials Policy handed out, discussed briefly. To be reviewed at next month's meeting.

No other business. Meeting adjourned - 7:55 pm.