

# Holy Rosary School Parents' Club Meeting Minutes

## April 15, 2008

Tara Turpen welcomed everyone and led the opening prayer. The minutes of the March 11, 2008 Parents' Club meeting were approved as written.

### **President's Report-- Tara Turpen**

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- ⌚ The Father- Daughter Glow Bowl was a big success. Pictures should be coming home in the next few weeks.

### **Vice-President's Report-- Nikki Page**

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- ⌚ The School Commission met on Thursday. Terry Scanlen, President of the Commission, will present next year's school budget in a few minutes.
- ⌚ Several positions are opening up on the School Commission. It is a 4 year commitment. Applications are available in the office for anyone who is interested.
- ⌚ A defibrillator will be purchased for the school out of the Parents' Club budget.

### **Treasurer's Report— Donna Suhadolnik**

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- ⌚ Next year's Parents' Club budget will remain the same as this year.
- ⌚ Please get all receipts in by June.

### **Principal's Report—Ted Mohrbacher for Kris Brown**

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- ⌚ Standardized testing is in progress. Emphasis was placed on the importance of a good night's sleep and breakfast on test days.
- ⌚ Thanks for your help with the auction fund an item this year. There will be a Smart Board demonstration at the end of tonight's meeting.

### **Standing Committee Reports**

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#### ***Christmas Tree Lot—Tara Turpen for Allison and Scott Willhite***

- ⌚ After donating 5% to the three West Seattle charities, the Tree Lot raised over \$49,220 for the school this year.
- ⌚ New tree lot chair people are needed for next year. Contact Tara Turpen, Nikki Page or the Willhites if interested.

#### ***Auction Committee Update -- Ann Martin***

- ⌚ The Auction is this Saturday. We have reservations for 285 people.
- ⌚ Smart Boards and lap top computers are this year's fund an item.
- ⌚ The Mens Poker Party is open to family and friends outside of the parish. 50% of the buy-in is a direct donation to the school.
- ⌚ 241 tickets have been sold so far for the tuition raffle.

## **Featured Program--- School Commission 2008-2009 Budget Presentation**

School Commission President, Terry Scanlan, presented the 2008/2009 Holy Rosary School Budget. A budget report was distributed outlining sources of income, expenses, cost of education, and the 2008/09 tuition schedule. Tuition will be increased by 5% next year. For planning purposes, families should expect a 5% increase in tuition annually for the next 3-4 years.

A Technology Presentation on Smart Boards was made following the business portion of the meeting.

**Next Parent Club Meeting: May 20, 2008**

Virginia Wiegand McIntyre

Secretary