

# ST PATRICK'S HOME AND SCHOOL MINUTES

10/09/2023 2:03 pm | *Meeting called to order by* Crystal Wessel

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## In Attendance

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Crystal Wessel, Holly Christensen, Pam Mohan, Sara Thielen, Kami Landenberger, Stacy DeMuth, Ashley Carlisle, Abbi Gowen, Melissa Peal, Anne Moeller, Mandy Busch, Mandy Zink, Melissa Cupich, Julia Lund, Jess Suing, Kaitlyn Malone, Ruth Mumm

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## President's Report

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- ❖ President's Report: Crystal Wessel
  - Approval of September meeting minutes
    - Motioned to approve by: Ashley Carlisle
    - Seconded by: Melissa Cupich
  - The teacher back to school event and meal during conferences was well received and \$892 was spent under Food Committee.

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## Vice President's Report

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- ❖ Vice President's Report: Holly Christensen
  - Shared about the WOSP Lighted Rosary that was going to take place on 10/9 @ 7pm. All are welcome to attend.
  - Pumpkin decorating contest – we took in over 40 pumpkins for classrooms and specials and they were all donated from Nelsons Farm. We will set them up in Boland Hall on Halloween so that parents can view and bid on them.

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## Treasurer's Report

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- ❖ Treasurer's Report: Pam Mohan
  - Available balance of about \$201,000
  - Paid the school / church for the security guard.
  - Donated money for top golf – that came out this month.
  - Working with spirit wear team to make sure that we are getting all of our money – mostly waiting to get more from FACTS
  - Another expense from Fall Festival – was \$3500 to fix the grass but we split the price with the Athletic Committee
  - Profit from Fall Festival was about \$61,000
    - 30% of profit goes to school for curriculum use for that school year
      - Likely would go towards science kits that the state declined to fund

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## New Business

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- ❖ Miss Mumm – 4<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> grade retreats
  - Planning to have the Courage and Kindness Retreat again this year. They are built into the budget almost like field trips. The company is called Youth Frontier. Done by an organization that brings in professionals to facilitate. Courage \$4,050 in December for 7<sup>th</sup>, Kindness \$3,600 April for 4<sup>th</sup>. Would love for H&S to help fund again. Will do parent volunteers for the 4<sup>th</sup> grade and then hoping to have college aged St. Pats grads to help with 7<sup>th</sup> grade.
    - Motioned by Anne Moeller to approve to the whole \$7,650
    - Seconded by Mandy Zink
- ❖ Kami – We are at \$45,000 today from Shamrock Stride but expect that number to continue to increase and it is amazing that we get to keep 100% of the profits.
  - Feedback – people would love to be able to see who donated and to write thank you notes to those who donated.

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## Old Business

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There was no old business.

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## Committee Reports

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- ❖ Anne Moeller –Room Parents / Halloween Parties
  - Great turn out for Room Parent meeting, close to 50 parents attended. A lot of new faces and great questions. Biggest change is that kids will wear black and orange and then kids will change into costumes in the afternoon. Will discuss new food options for next school year. Stick to prizes that are not edible.
  - \$4,010 profit from the kits – income should be coming in soon.
- ❖ Kim Dana and Lisa McCoy – Shamrock Stride
  - Great success and get to keep all the money.
- ❖ Family Food Night
  - La Casa – Thursday 10/12 off 168 and Pacific
  - Freddy's – Wednesday 10/25 off 168 and Maple
  - Juice Stop – November 16<sup>th</sup> off 171<sup>st</sup> and Center
- ❖ Fall Festival – August 24, 2024 – save the date. The week after school starts.
  - Looking for future 2025 chairs to shadow
- ❖ Spirit wear – made about \$3,000 during conferences. The basketball presale is open until 10/31 – you must order when it is open, we are no longer doing reorders.

\*Mandy Zink won the attendance prize. It was a Target gift card.

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Next Meeting: November 13, 2023

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