



## **December 14, 2023 MINUTES**

*Attendees: Mrs. Bergstrom, Kayla Carlson, April Cormier, Mrs. Doubek, Kaylyn Harmon, Bridget Hensley, Molly Kamarainen, Mr. Muhs, Libby Theuerkauf, Sarah Windbiel*

Libby called the meeting to order at 6:05 P.M with an opening prayer.

**MINUTES:** Molly sent minutes from the November 9<sup>th</sup> meeting via GroupMe on November 13<sup>th</sup>.

**TREASURER:** November lunch profit of \$317. Movie night cost of (\$397). Christmas Program cost of (\$50.00 for Santa) and (\$150.00 for Melissa Kowalski Photography). Current balance is approximately \$4,400.

**OLD BUSINESS: Vice President Position:** The Vice President positions remains open as we have had no one come forward with interest. Molly will get it added to NYCUC again following Christmas. Election of Officers begins in March.

**Hot Lunch:** December hot lunch went well – everyone was given a Christmas cookie, even if they did not partake in hot lunch. Dominoe's was wonderful to work with once again and provided a discount. We discussed students being tired of pizza - staff has requested our January hot lunch be a pancake lunch during Catholic Schools Week. We will host this hot lunch on Wednesday, January 31<sup>st</sup> with pancakes, sausages, yogurt and fruit cups. February hot lunch will be moved a week later to February 21<sup>st</sup> due to Ash Wednesday. Mrs. Mielke will be hosting March hot lunch, Molly to send her the current sign-up list.

**Christmas Program:** The Christmas Play/Program will take place on December 20<sup>th</sup>. We will once again serve baked goods and hot chocolate following the program. Hot chocolate will be provided by Home & School, flyers requesting baked goods were sent home and included in News You Can Use. We are still looking for 1 additional volunteer to help replenish the baked goods table. Melissa Kowalski Photography will set up at the end of the program along the South East wall of the gym. Santa will join for pictures as well.

**Catholic Schools Week:** Home & School has been working with the faculty/staff to plan Catholic School's week student activities. All area schools are short on bus drivers, we are waiting on confirmation of availability from Menominee and Stephenson before confirming the weeks activities.

Home & School has agreed to collaborate with the faculty/staff/students on a Parish Appreciation Breakfast which will take place 9:00 AM – Noon at Resurrection on January 28<sup>th</sup>. Cost of the breakfast will be split between Home & School and the Schools general fund. In years past there has been approximately 150 attendees. Initial menu includes pancakes, ham, casseroles, juice and coffee. Mike has a



spreadsheet of tasks yet to be completed including students to make placements, postings in bulletin, students as masses inviting parishioners, shopping for supplies, set up, servers, clean up, etc. Sign-ups will be sent over Christmas Break.

**NEW BUSINESS: 100<sup>th</sup> day of School:** Molly to check with the office on the 100th day of school, we believe to be February 7th, pending snow days. Students will receive a NUT Pass to dress like their grandparents and we will host an event prior to school where grandparents can join the students for donut holes and juice. All voted in favor of this dress up day/event.

**Snack days for teachers:** Bridget Hensley agreed to arrange a snack basket for the teachers' lounge on behalf of Home & School in February.

**Smencil sale:** We will host a Smencil sale in February during lunchtime. Lisa will check with Mrs. Knight to see if this is something the Junior High Leadership group could handle.

**Winterfest Dance:** We are looking to move our Winterfest to March 8<sup>th</sup> as February 16<sup>th</sup> is the start of Winter Break. Molly will check with the office to see if there are any events that day.

**NEXT MEETING:** The next Home & School meeting will be held on Thursday, January 11<sup>th</sup> – 3:15 PM in the school library.

Kaylyn motioned to adjourn the meeting at 6:44 P.M, April seconded.

Molly Kamarainen/Secretary