Saint Lawrence Catholic School PTO Meeting Agenda November 15, 2023 @ 6:00 PM

1. Prayer

- Madi Haisha
- 2. Introduction of Officers
 - President -Alexis McKenzie
 - Vice President Madi Haisha
 - Treasurer Mia Kozak
 - Secretary Leann Munaco
 - St. Lawrence Administration Mrs. DiMercurio and Mrs. Tsatsos
 - Teacher Representatives –Julia Rider and Diane Costie

3. Principal's Report

- Conferences went well. The food was spectacular!
- Christmas Shoppe 11/30/23 12/1/23. Kids can wear school appropriate Christmas attire for all grades on both days.
- 12/4/23 STUCO \$1 jean day to help support adopted family for Christmas.
- 12/5/23 Advent Reconciliation
- 12/6/23 Tree Trimming Ceremony and K-2nd grade Christmas performance in the church, 6:30 8:00 PM.
- 12/7/23 Christmas performance in church grades 3-5.
- 12/8/23 Mass to be held instead of 12/6/23. Time is the same.
- 12/15/23 Jean Day for children whose parents attended the PTO meeting.
- 12/17/23 Parish Christmas concert at 6:30 PM.
- 12/20/23 Christmas break starts at the end of the day.
- 4. Committee Chairs and Reports
 - Christian Services Alkida Offer deferred.
 - Christmas Shoppe Sophia Martinez and Concetta Michael
 - i. 11/30/23 12/1/23
 - Field Day/Fun Run Denise Sicheneder and Laurie Zacharevich deferred.
 - Fundraising Alexis McKenzie and Rina Adam
 - i. Box Tops Katherine Lucas deferred.

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- ii. SCRIP Christa Lass deferred.
- iii. 313 Presents Denise Sicheneder deferred.
- iv. Fundraising dates:
 - 1. Jet's Pizza on 11/29/23 and on 12/20/23
 - a. Once/month
 - 2. Sorrento's Pizza on 12/5/23
 - a. Once/month
 - 3. Urban Air on 1/22/24 12-4 PM and 3/11/24 12-4 PM
 - a. The event on 11/25/23 raised approximately \$1,500 for the school. The facilities' second largest fundraising event per Mr. Ayar.
 - b. Two dates in the future will be STL families only.
 - 4. The New Rink on 4/14/235:30 7:30 PM
- Room Parent Jill Tocco deferred.
- Student Enrichment Madi Haisha and Rina Adam
 - i. SkyDome Planetarium- January 8-9, 2024. Will consist of a 45-minute presentation in an inflatable planetarium.
 - ii. Detroit Lions "Leaders for Life" February 8, 2024, consisting of grades JK 5th. Will be a presentation on leadership and healthy lifestyle.
- Teacher Enrichment Paulette Vultaggio and Shayna Kern
 - The conferences went well. Food was from Mediterranean Street Food and Johny Blacks.
 - ii. Mrs. Guenther won the raffle. Will make sure to include middle school teachers as well.
 - iii. Looking into having a food cart regularly into the new year. Suggested using the teachers' lounge and/or Mrs. Tsatsos' office.
- Parent Enrichment Alkida Offer deferred.
- Trunk or Treat Alexis McKenzie and Madi Haisha
 - i. Great turn out. Profited \$2,972.
- Playground Leann Munaco and Michelle Cerullo

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i. Working on getting the mulch updated. More to come in the spring 2024.

5. Treasurer's Report

- Continuing to do more fundraisers throughout the year. Kroger Program raised \$728.23 from August through October 2023.
- Major upcoming expenses include updating the playground and mulch, Christmas Shoppe and STL Gala contribution.

6. Open Discussion

- Q: Can we bring back Girls on the Run?
- A: We need a person to chair this group. Please approach the board if interested.
- Q: Any social seminars planned in 2024?
- A: Jodi Blanco presented this fall. Will look into a presentation for next year.
- Q: There was an etiquette session done with American Heritage Girls. Can we incorporate this into the school as a presentation?
- A: The Student Enrichment chairs will look into.

7. Adjournment

• Next meeting: 1/16/24 @ 6:00 PM