

SPA Meeting Minutes November 7, 2017

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Ms. Alpa Brannam
Jennifer Leasure
Jayne Saucedo

Ms. Cristina Almanza
Mr. Morgan Daniels
Lori Mazzurana
Dr. Joan Wagner

Sarah Antenora Crystal Dietrich Ellen Miri Shanna Walsh Lori Rabensteine Megan DiTeresa Lara Morgan Marcela Wilhite

Rania Buzad Sandra Jones Cindy Perez Danellie Young

Opening Prayer: Sarah Antenora

Approval of the Minutes: October 3, 2017

Unable to approve minutes because not enough present for quorum.

<u>Principal's Update:</u> Mr. Morgan Daniels was away at the Catholic School's symposium and submitted his report to Megan: Thanked SPA for their support this past month which was very busy. Met with a representative from Parker uniforms and was told they had 2 challenges their contributed to the problems: new computer system which had not been tested before starting and switched over to a new call system. They state they have improved the computer system and have discontinued the call system. Also have a new store manager that started in the middle of the summer. Suggestions were made to see if another meeting is scheduled with a Parker representative and whether a specific email will be going out to parents. All students were able to meet college representatives at the Catholic College Fair. December exam schedule went out in the Eagle Weekly. Discussed the annual Library fundraiser, coffee house, at Barnes and Noble on Saturday hosted by the music dept. Encouraged all to take the PSAT survey.

President's Update: Dr. Joan Wagner

Not present

Communications: Ms. Cristina Almanza

Great turnout for the homecoming alumni tailgate. Admission season is in full swing: open house had the highest attendance this year with just over 200. Beginning to promote the parent sessions. On November 18th, some of our Savio students will be honored for their volunteer work on Thursday mornings with Feeding my people. Sarah had a question about middle school night information and how it is communicated to the middle schools because no information was in St Theresa's newsletter. She will meet with Cristina to discuss and see who is the parent liaison.

Development: Ms. Alpa Brannam

Annual appeal is going great and class socials are complete. Freshman class social had the most attendance. Jennifer suggested creating a spirit stick for the class to win. Discussed the schedule for the Grandparents Day mass on Thursday, November 16th at 11am at SVDP with a light reception to follow and tours of the school will be available. Will follow up with Mr Daniels if the student ambassadors will provide the tours or just the students with their grandparents.

SPA Chair: Megan DiTeresa

Thanked all for their hardwork this month!

Vice-Chair: Terri Allman

Middle School Night: went well and had plenty of volunteers. Suggestions made about halftime show to find out who organizes this and to have it more coordinated. They had plenty of pizza but needed more chips.

Savio Open House went smoothly and thanked all the volunteers. Will plan to discuss the Facebook issue next month.

Treasurer: Cindy Perez

Emailed the report, not present at the meeting.

<u>Historian:</u> Introduced the new Historian, Lori Rabensteine. Not enough for quorum to vote. Megan will email the board to vote via email.

Committee Updates & Upcoming Events

Supply Coordinator: Crystal Dietrich: Sarah suggested getting a few more rectangle tablecloths.

Social Committee: Rania Buzad & Lori Mazzurana: Great Principal's Coffee on 10/26, discussed college testing. Will promote the next one more.

Spirituality Committee: Marcela Wilhite

Not present, but sent her report to Megan stating she is getting plenty of volunteers for the masses.

Teacher Appreciation: Ellen Miri: Reviewed Teacher lunch for the student-led conferences, had plenty of food. Encouraged each of us to bring K-Cups for the upcoming k cup drive. Also have the Christmas cash drive in Dec.

Volunteer Committee: Sarah Antenora: going well.

Freshman Class Reps: Danellie Young & Kimberly Stewart: Class Social was great, big turnout. Reviewed needs for the Upcoming 1st Freshmen Breakfast on 11/30.

Sophomore Class Reps: Sandra Jones & Shanna Walsh, not present.

Junior Class Rep: Lara Morgan – not present but submitted a report: The Class Social was small and recommended having it a restaurant and maybe not during F1 weekend. Junior Class Breakfast went great.

Senior Class Rep: Jayne Saucedo, not present. Reviewed Class Breakfast: too much food and not many seniors due to having off the 1st period. Will order less food for the spring one. Senior Retreat was great and suggested for next year more big vehicles to transport luggage.

Next Meeting: December 5, 2017 in SVdP Portable at 8:30

Opening Prayer: Lori Mazzurana Closing Prayer: Terri Allman

<u>Closing Prayer</u>: Marcela Wilhite not present, so Jennifer read a closing prayer.