

BOTCE Minutes November 12, 2018

Members Present: Jim Procaccino, Kim Kraft, Mary Cherry, Megan McElfresh, Dan Davis, Troy Cherry, Jamie Shelton, Maria Hunseder, Beth Lachmann, Lisa McDonald, Father Mario, Rob Detzel, Karen Schultz

Members Absent: Meghan Whelan, Adam Reed

(discussion was held of parental concern with the internet)

Father opened the meeting with a prayer.

Reading of October Minutes: A motion was made to approve by Dan Davis and seconded by Beth Lachmann.

Pastor's Report: It is the time of the year where we discuss the finances. The NET nights have been successful. RCIA is a small group this year. We only have three or four people. CCD is going well. We have a couple of requests from people to confirm their children who will not be confirmed at the Cathedral. We are looking forward to the Gala on Saturday night. We have begun the tile program for the lobby of the new building. The tiles can be ordered online and paid for with a credit card. We are encouraging people to purchase these. We are going to complete the first section of the wall and then add the second later. The Bishop will be here on December 8th for our Blue Ribbon Celebration. He will celebrate Mass and dinner will be held afterward.

Principal's Report: Veteran's Day celebration went well. Our first trimester ended today. Our awards ceremony is next Monday at 1:00p.m. (the flag and plaque were presented) We are now working on Accreditation. There are thirteen standards for Accreditation for our school and eight are already completed.

Unfinished Business:

Technology: We added an addendum to our Technology Policy concerning the Chromebooks. A discussion was held on where we can look for help with cleaning the technology in our school.

School Promotions: Karen is going to share some ideas from a national conference she attended to promote our school. We have an Open House in January and are looking for ideas to advertise for this.

BOTCE writing contest winners will be chosen soon and we will have those by our next meeting.

We will try to put together a Christmas bulletin to advertise and promote the school.

SCPTO: Tomorrow night is our meeting at 7:30 in the cafeteria. The Texas Roadhouse gift card fundraiser is in the works. December 4th will be the evening our fundraiser at Texas Roadhouse will occur. The teacher brunch is on the 18th of December. Joe Schultz will cook omelets for the teachers and staff. The signups for the brunch will be tomorrow night.

Sports Report: The basketball program is getting ready to start and the Men's Stag is in January.

New business: We need to come up with a policy to review the Student Handbook. It was decided that the school administration will review the handbook every three years.

The Gala is occurring this coming Saturday. Please attend.

The Blue Ribbon Celebration will occur on the 8th of December and it is requested that we all attend. More information will come via Email.

The ribbon cutting will be in the spring sometime. The candy bar fundraiser will be in February.

We will have a short meeting next month and a celebration. The date will be December 10th.

There is a link on the website for an RSVP for the Blue Ribbon ceremony.

Motion to adjourn was made by Kim Kraft and seconded by Jim Procaccino.

Father Mario ended the meeting with a prayer.