

BOTCE October 10th, 2016

Members present: Jim Procaccino, Rob Detzel, Kim Kraft, Megan McElfresh, Meghan Whelan, Karen Schultz, Margaret Hoffmann, Sandy Shay, Beth Lachmann, Lisa Foltz, Mary Younger, Lisa McDonald, Adam Reed.

Members Absent: Father Mario, Father Thomas, Karen Bunton.

Jim Procaccino called roll.

September minutes were read. Kim Kraft made a motion to approve, seconded by Sandy Shay.

Principal's Report given by Rob Detzel. We are ready to move forward on the building plans. We finished up MAP testing and are one of the first schools to finish. We had an awesome Grandparent's Day and had a record breaking attendance. We had a walk-a-thon rally and Youth 2000 just wrapped up. We have booked the "Conservation Caper" that will be held October 24th, 2016. Every kid gets a free conservation kit.

RCIA- No report

CCD- No report

SCPTO- No report

Sports Committee report was given by Adam Reed. We are finishing up soccer season. Some teams are participating in a couple of tournaments. Everything is going smoothly. We have about the same amount of kids as last year for basketball. We have space at Kenton Elementary and Summit View Elementary for practice. Our vacancy of Treasurer has been filled. We are trying to get all new members up to speed. Soccer pictures have occurred and went smoothly.

Technology report was given by Rob Detzel. Moby Max has been researched and is similar to Compass Learning but does not sync with MAP scores. The biggest difference between Moby Max and Compass Learning is cost, with Moby Max being significantly less expensive. Learnpads seem a little young for the middle school students. Chromebooks would seem more appropriate. We would be able to purchase Chrome books for \$60 each for one year old Chromebooks through an offer by Mr. Blair.

Budget- No report

Promotions- We revisited parent surveys and confirmed conducting surveys before Christmas break. Our goal is to become a blue ribbon school. For us to reach this goal, we need to offer a Spanish class for 30 minutes a week. We are working on coordinating a Spanish class for 7th and 8th grades.

A discussion occurred about creating a promo video again in the spring as well as funding for the project. A suggestion was given to reach out to local universities to ask students to consider creating and organizing the video either free of charge or very inexpensively.

Communications and petitions

Karen Schultz made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Margaret Hoffmann.

Adam Reed adjourned the meeting with a prayer.

