

**Home and School**  
**November 14, 2017 – 6:30pm - Cafeteria**

**Opening Prayer by Ellen Clark – 6:32**

**People Present:** Scottie Eagan, Kelli Schulte, Ginna Christiansen, Ellen Clark, Emily Mueller, Bridgette Beaman, Alicia Ferkel, Shelly Webber, Tricia Nelson, Christine Piontek, Christine Comley, Pam Smith, Nicole Schroeder, Jill Rosloniec, Sharon Eckhoff, Tegan Schmidt, Dawn Steffens, Beth Roetheli, Sara Josapovich, Christy Bleckman, Helen Seitz, Belinda Becker, Amie Kohlbusch, Linda Pahl, Chelsea Henderson, Barb Piontek

**Past Events:**

- Coupon Books
  - 306 total books sold with a total of \$4,350 coming to Home and School
  - Thoughts
    - Didn't have coupons you couldn't find online
    - The number of books to sell per kid was a lot
    - Buying the book for the coupons wasn't practical
    - Most vendors in the book are in St. Louis, not local
- Spooktacular
  - It was very cold but we still had a good turnout
  - We moved the movie screen to behind Joe's building
    - Everyone seemed to like this so the kids weren't running across the street
  - Thoughts
    - Need to do better advertisement
    - Maybe advertise at Pumpkin Palooza
    - Everything worked better this year being in one location and not spread out
- Halloween Parties
  - Preschool and Pre-Kindergarten has time alone and this worked well
    - Barb wouldn't change anything about the day, it was great
  - Everybody loved the goodie bags instead of the prize table
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**Upcoming Events**

- Movie Night
  - Will be December 1 in the Library and we will be showing the Grinch
  - Will provide cookies, popcorn, water and Santa
- Teacher Lunch
  - Still need beer and wine donated – Contact Ginna
- Christmas Parties
  - All being done in rooms

- Home and School is giving \$2 per child and anything over that should be covered by the parents
- Pizza Sales
  - Dennis suggested to have ready for Super Bowl (Jan. 4 – Jan. 18 with pick up on Feb. 3)
  - Thoughts
    - People have never had an issue selling pizzas
    - Would like to have something sent home before Christmas so people could sell at Christmas
  - Kids want incentives again (i.e. pie teachers in the face)
  - The pre-assembly went well last year and we should probably do it again

#### **Treasurer**

- Purchased blinds, Bibles, birthday celebration books, and bracelets
- Spirit wear is almost in the black
  - Maybe we need to think of new designs, different styles
  - Home and School needs to get together with Marketing to discuss ideas

#### **Open Discussion**

- Kindness cards
  - Marketing Committee came up with an idea about spreading kindness (i.e. paying it forward at a drive through) by leaving these kindness cards
  - Ideas include paying for the tab for first responders and leaving the card behind, bringing cookies to the police station with a card
  - Marketing would like to have these card available at the back of Church and in Jesuit Hall
- Ambassador Program
  - Marketing wants to bridge the gap between the new and old families
  - Questions were raised about how you match families – At Sacred Heart, the principal would choose
  - If the program goes through, you need to match families with similar ages and need to have a mixer or something as a way to introduce the families
- Discussed the idea of possible having monthly, or quarterly, movies in the courtyard using the giant inflatable screen.