

**Parents Club Meeting Minutes**  
**Wednesday, January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

**Welcome and Opening Prayer**

**Peggy Schifferdecker**

We are ready to kick off a New Year! I'd like to read a letter I saw on the website, from Terry Southerland, who is Caroline Fleming's mother. It is impactful and the message should jog everyone's memory about why we are here everyday.

- The letter was read in entirety. A copy of the letter was entered into the minutes.

**Principal Update**

**Dr. Kay Bennett**

We have a Title I teacher thru Dist. #118 who will be supplementing in the areas of reading and math to those students who would benefit. There may be enough funding for a second teacher.

Catholic Schools Week planning is underway with a Bingo game, theatre group and Mad Science planned. Fr. has also approved and out of uniform day on Wednesday, our early dismiss. That day will be Spirit Day.

Many of our students will be going to Washington D.C for the Pro-Life Rally. The trip is headed up by Doug Lugge.

We are planning a Tech Night in February, for our upper grades, 5<sup>th</sup> –8<sup>th</sup>. All parents are invited to attend.

We are working on bids and ideas for the cafeteria renovation, as the budget allows. Unfortunately, nothing can be done to the ceiling.

Next Wednesday, Channel 5 will be at the school to film for their 5 is #1 segment. And it is also the day scheduled for our first disaster drill.

**Treasurer's Update**

**Nancy Schmidt**

Beginning balance \$3100 with deposits including Market Day, Papa John's, eScript, Breakfast w/Santa and Mrs. Claus.  
Expenses approx. \$1000 for the movie and party  
Ending balance \$4600

Also wanted to add that the Girls Volleyball Tourney brought in \$5100 for the Athletic Committee and the Holiday Tourney \$3500.

**Volunteer Hours****Amy Toenjes**

Please take a look at the Volunteer Hours sheet coming around. You can turn in your hours or double check that hours have been entered. You can also email me or send me a note.

**Mrs. Claus Update****Kim Luecking**

Thank you to all who participated! We had a very successful event. We are already planning for next year. We are looking for a new Mrs. Claus.

**Breakfast with Santa Update****Kerrie Harter**

On behalf of Kerrie, Peggy thanked all for a wonderful and successful event.

**Auction March 13, 2010****Peggy Schifferdecker**

As stated, the auction is March 13<sup>th</sup> at the McCormick Center. Mass will be at 5pm and the doors open at 5:30pm. We are looking for a Sign-Up Party chair and the Stock's have agreed to handle the Treasury. We are looking for "Gently Used" sports items and memorabilia as well as other items. Renae Eichholz offered a dining set. The basket themes have been set and a letter will come home with your child with that information. We appreciate your support.

**Family Fun Event****Julia Piper Jung**

Thank you to everyone who turned out for the Barnes & Noble event and to all the teachers who helped make it successful! The next event is the All School Dance. It is scheduled for Friday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>, from 7 to 9pm in the gym. More information will be coming home soon, including a song request list for the DJ. The cost is \$5 per family and it is BYO snacks & non-alcoholic drinks.

**Attendance & 50/50****Jody Lauf**

In attendance are 37 members and 2 others, for a total of 39 representing 63 students. The winning class is 8H and #17 Mike Rall. The 50/50 winner of \$25.50 is Linda Hobbs.

**Closing Prayer**