

St. Jude's School Advisory Council Meeting Minutes- August 28th, 2024

In attendance: Scott Doney, Katie Kopp, Pat Gillen, Erin Thorsen, Bobbie Dolphay, Carly Brunk, Alicia Richmond, Fr. Dan Wathen

Time: 5:30- 6:20 pm

Prayer

Old Business:

- May Minutes approved
- SAC Membership
 - 10 current members, Bobbie Dolphay new member
- 2024-2025 Registration/Class Numbers
 - Registration remains at same numbers as last year for both elementary and preschool
- Financial Report
 - Finance Council will meet soon
 - Discussed increase in property taxes over the last few years
 - Discussed Diocese approval of engineering plan for new heating
 - Discussed budget for school supplies
- Committees
 - Executive Committee- Scott Doney, Pat Gillen, Katie Kopp, Erin Thorsen
 - Marketing and development (Alumni and Growth)- Shea Carroll, Carly Brunk, Katie Kopp, Bobbie Dolphay, Scott Doney, Kathy Tilleman
 - Facility Improvement- Fr. Dan Wathen, Katie Kopp, Bobbie Dolphay, Scott Doney, Alicia Richmond
 - Discussed potentially adding community members in the future
- School Needs and Equipment upgrades
 - Discussed creation of a formal list of need/projects for the school
 - Discussed MT Qualified Endowment Tax Credit

New Business:

- Newsletter/School Paper
 - Carly Brunk working on starting the 49ers news monthly school paper again to highlight school events/news
- Communication between groups (school, church, Home and School and Booster club)
 - Discussed ideas for improving communication of school events
 - Discussed coordination of fundraising events between groups
- Committee meetings to be set for next month by each group

Next Meeting:

- October 23rd, 2024 at 5:30 pm

