



Date: April 9, 2025

Time: 6:30 pm

Location: ABC Room

Event: St Mary PTU General Meeting

Attendees: J. Fedak, J. Yanko, J. O'Donnell, G. Ciani, K. Passow, L. Woolard, A. Donato, A. Burr, L. Key, S. Mullins, D. Payto, F. Rihtar, K. O'Keefe, K. Gregorc, C. Fiorta

Meeting Minutes

I. Call to order

II. Prayer

III. Approval of Last Month's Minutes

- a. Motion - Angela Donato
- b. Seconded - Lynn Woolard

IV. Officer reports

- a. President: Gina Ciani
 - i. Foertmeyers' Flower Sale
 - 1. Prizes were sent out today; Foertmeyer prizes available when flowers are delivered
 - 2. Dress down and ice cream party for 5th grade will be May 2
 - 3. Pizza party for top 5 sellers will be May 1
 - 4. Pick-up on May 3 from 12-3
 - a. Volunteers are needed from 9-12 to unload and 12-3 to load into cars - sign-up in Viking Update and Facebook
 - ii. PTU Fish Fry - April 11
 - iii. Fundraising for 2026
 - 1. Color Walk in September to replace Stoller's

- a. Need to decide whether to hold the event on a Friday afternoon during school or on the weekend
- b. Will set up a committee to discuss details and make plans

b. Vice President: Gina Ciani

c. Secretary: Jessica O'Donnell

d. Treasurer: Julie Yanko

- i. Budget Update

V. Principal's Report - Mrs. Fedak

- a. Accreditation reports and STEM designation are being worked on
- b. Enrollment is looking good

VI. Teacher Liaison - Mrs. Passow

VII. Committee Reports

- a. Teacher Appreciation Week - May 5-9 - Kathy Payto and Jen Zulantt
 - i. 90s theme
 - ii. M - breakfast, T - dinner to go (send link to Mrs. Fedak for Viking update), W - catered lunch (Cremona?), Th - afternoon treat, F - dessert
 - iii. Baskets/items to be raffled
 - iv. Decorating will be Th or F - May 1/2
- b. Mother/Son Captains Game - May 23, RSVP due May 7
- c. Vice President Nominations/Candidates
 - i. Amending By-Laws
 - 1. ONLY the positions of President and Vice President will need to have attended 50% of meetings to run. Treasurer and Secretary are encouraged to be active in PTU before running, but will no longer be required to have attended 50% to run.
 - a. Vote - 16 yes, 0 no
 - ii. Vice President (2025-2026, transitioning to President for 2026-2027) - Julie Yanko
 - 1. Vote - 16 yes, 0 no
 - iii. Treasurer (2025-2026 and 2026-2027) - Catherine Fiorta

1. Vote - 16 yes, 0 no

VIII. New Business

- a. Maple Float - Parade is April 26 and 27 - Mr. Staraitis
 - i. Sign-up to walk will be in Viking Update
 - ii. Please send in candy; suggestion to get Easter candy on sale after the holiday and bring it into the church office over break.
- b. Spring Fundraiser Recipient - a school family in need
 - i. Dress Down Day will be on May 9th with donations
- c. 2nd Grade Communion
 - i. Mrs. Merkle and Mrs. Lisachenko put this together with funds provided by PTU
- d. 8th Grade Graduation Reception - being planned by Mrs. Rios, Mrs. Inihtar, and Mrs. Weidig
 - i. Mrs. Cardenas plans the shirts
 - ii. Mrs. Passow plans the gifts
- e. Uniform Swap - In need of a new chairperson
 - i. Kelly Gregorc would like to help out.
 - ii. Donations will be accepted the last week of school through the first week of summer.
 - iii. Event will take place first week of June
- f. Volunteer Participation
 - i. Mrs. Fedak will send out a survey regarding what times work for meetings and what would motivate families to attend meetings/volunteer for events

IX. Adjournment

- a. Motion to adjourn: Gina Ciani
- b. Seconded: L. Woolard