



HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Parent Booster Meeting Minutes - Nov. 9 6:30PM

Fundraising for New Playground

Wreaths- Kyle Brueckner - Volunteers will be needed Thursday November 19 at 6:00pm to help organize the wreath orders in the school gym. Sign up link for help will be out soon. The school had 11 families participate in wreath sales and over \$1000 in more orders this year. A Thank You card signed by the kids will be copied and added to each wreath order.

Christmas Trees- Andy and Mindy Crave - Volunteers will be needed to sell Christmas trees at Neitzel's Hardware Store. Sign up links have been emailed and posted on Facebook messenger. Due to the warmer weather in the beginning of November, the trees have not been cut yet. Hopefully we will still be able to pick up the trees for the Thanksgiving weekend. There were 15 pre-orders for trees this year!

Candy Bars- Angela Skalitzky -Candy bar sales is doing very well. 77 totes have been distributed leaving only 23 totes left.

Scrip- Lauren Eggert - Scrip is a gift card fundraising program. Buy a gift card - Get the full value - The brand gives back a percentage to the school. Updated forms on school website.

Book Fair - Amanda Brueckner - Usborne Book Fair will be next week November 16 - 20. Sign up for in-person shopping will be requested - sign-up link will be shared before next week. Online shopping is also available as week. Students will be able to make wishlists.

Coffee/ Tea/ Hot Chocolate - Gaby Solis - Orders will be picked up this Thursday Nov. 12, and organized on the weekend. Orders will then go home with kids on Monday.

School Apparel/ Bags & Box Tops - Laura Bartaszewicz - Looking at options for new printed school t-shirts/ sweatshirts/ bags. Kyle is working on an image that Mindy simplified of the school logo. Laura will then share with K Press to see if they can put the image on apparel. If K Press can work with the image, then it will need a final approval from Father Jorge and Mrs. Penny.

St. Nick Day (Secret) - We surprise the students with small gifts on their desks in celebration of St. Nicholas Day which is December 6. This year Dec. 6 is a Sunday, so we should have something for them December 7. More details in separate email.

Other:

- A thank you card is being made by the students for Amy Skalitskzy who made the students homemade masks.
- Christmas ornaments have been decorated by the students for those that made donations for the playground without ordering any items.
- The Christmas program will probably not happen due to so many restrictions. Mrs. Penny and the booster parents are hoping to have a program of some sort in the spring instead.
- Holy Family School will participate in the Waterloo/Marshall Community Holiday Parade on **Saturday December 12 at 5:30pm** as long as there is enough participation (*survey taken after the meeting suggests we will have great participation!*). Since students won't be singing this year, Mrs. Penny has volunteered to teach the students a fun dance/ exercise routine for the parade. **We do need a family to volunteer a low trailer that students could easily get on and off for their performance.** Most students will be walking, and we won't be decorating for a big float.

Next meeting: Tuesday December 8 at 6:30pm