

## **Home & School Meeting — May 6, 2009**

Meeting called to order at 6:10.

Paula Mayer let the meeting with a prayer.

The meeting started with Stephanie Ritger introducing herself as a parish council member and was attending to discuss the council's plan to move the child care center to the school. Stephanie is addressing the meeting for any concerns or questions that anyone may have. Concerns were expressed and questions were answered. Parish council member Jim, made several statements as to why the child care should be moved to the school. Discussions ended at 7:00 and the home and school meeting began with the parish council members leaving.

Lina Vorpahl accepted the minutes, seconded by Lori Bichler.

**Principal's Report:** none present

**Teacher's report:** Given by K5 teacher. Preschool's last day will be May 21st for 3yr olds and June will be graduation for K5 through 5th grade.

**Budget update:** We met this year's budget of \$45,000.

The President asked for any nominations for the VP Position with a two year term. None were announced. The President would like to nominate Paula Mayer for another term and she accepted. Nominations were asked for the Secretary position and none were announced. The President announced he had spoken to Sheri Depies and she agreed to another term.

### **Committee Reports:**

- **Task force:** Parent meeting on May 20th• Parents with questions for next year's plan should attend.
- **School Board/Parish Council Elections**
- **Family Fun Night:** Review was given by Dave Mayer and suggested changes for next year were discussed. A \$25.00 script card will be given out to the teachers who helped with this event. A Thank you will be sent to Catholic Forrester for the donation of the bouncy.

**Old Business:** Grandparents day update: Missy Straub agreed to coordinate for next year and it was addressed that expenses are not paid out of H&S Budget for grandparents' day they are paid by the Parish. Script will be available at Cedar Valley cheese. A box will be set up for orders to be dropped off. Market day sales are currently up. The Endowment & School auction went well this year and the date will need to be changed for next year. There will be a brat and bake sale at Cedar Valley Cheese store on May 22'. Baked goods are needed. Parish council approved three new fundraisers for next year which included Entertainment Book Sales, Ice Bowling and a Wine & Cheese Tasting.

**New Business:** A Preliminary 2009-20 10 H&S Budget was handed out. Coordinators and dates were reviewed. Budget items were discussed and the possibility of writing grants was suggested by Catherine Torcivia. Catherine volunteered to look into grant possibilities. Our current website is in the process of getting an updated with the help of a parish member.

**Next Home & School meeting will be Wednesday September 9, 2009.**

Meeting adjourned at 8:15.