



OLL SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Location: Canceled

Link:

Dial In:

DATE: ~~Thursday, April 17, 6:30 PM~~

Canceled

MEMBERS:

V - Brian Govern (chair/finance)		V- Meggie Humphrey (at large)		Fr. Peter Richards (pastor)	
V- Gretchen Chilson (secretary/education)		V- Claudia Thode (at large)		Becky Kennedy (principal)	
V- Tom Herr (technology)		Nancy Erdman (faculty rep)		Amanda Moodie (dir of enrollment)	
V- Ginger Skaja (education)		Meaghan Rasset (faculty rep)		V- Allyse Rodgers (Finance)	
V- Kassie Ricke (marketing)		Kate Spangenberg (faculty rep)			
V- Talia Hindi (marketing)		Steve Boatright (parish council)			
Katy Miller (PTO Liaison)				<i>P = Present, A = Absent, * = Proxy</i>	

Due to the regularly scheduled meeting falling during Holy Week, April's School Board Meeting is Canceled

Staff Updates will still be recorded in this agenda.

Reminder, May's School Board meeting will be held in person.

School Update - Becky

It is a busy month in the building with so many exciting things happening. The energy can be felt.

School Board Elections

Elections are slated for April 25-27. We are waiting on one more application to come through, but we have candidates for all open positions. Election information will go out next Friday with a link for voting.

Generation Day - April 25th

We have a great group of parents working on Generation Day plans. This is fun event for students to show off their school to grandparents or other special guests. This starts with Mass at 1:00 in the church.

DARE Graduation

Our 6th graders will have their DARE Graduation at Morning Meeting on April 25th.

Mid-year Parent Survey

A recap of results are at the bottom.

Virtues In Practice(VIP)

Students are focusing on the virtue of Honesty

NWEA MAP Assessment

Students will start their 3rd and final round of NWEA MAP assessments April 28th. Classes have 2 weeks to complete their assessments. Classes are not testing for two weeks straight, this is just the amount of time teachers have to administer the test. These results will provide feed back on how students grew this year and allow the staff to evaluate instruction and curriculum needs.

Preschool Enrollment

Due to our enrollment numbers we have decided to move to staffing two preschool rooms for next year. If our enrollment grows enough to fill three rooms, we will look at adding the staff for the 3rd room again. One staff member was not planning on returning next year so we are able to retain the rest of the preschool staff with the two rooms.

I anticipate us moving back to 3 rooms in one or two school years.

Staffing

Agreements for next year have been handed out this week.

The following positions are open, and I am actively looking for people:

1. 25/26 School Year Spanish - I have interviewed 2 candidates and working through next steps.
2. 25/26 School Year OLL+ after school care

Fundraising

Rake a Thon- \$58,881 (once all TADS dollars come in). Currently, \$54,782.21 has been collected **Budget \$59,000**

Annual Fund- \$112,293 **budget \$92,000**

~~Keg and Cork - \$0 **budget Net \$9,070** - Canceled. We will need to add this to annual fund.~~

Raffle- \$11,380 **budget Net \$12,000**

Help A Student - \$73,003 **Budget - \$70,000**

Gala- \$13,455.22 **budget Net \$60,000**

Strategic Plan Updates

Subject Matter Philosophies-

The school's subject area philosophy updates have been completed, yay! These will be used in enrollment, marketing material, and staff items.

Outdoor learning spaces

This is moving forward with our Fund-A-Need

Parent Education

We continue to utilize the faith-based education offerings that the parish is promoting to support our parents. We do this by fostering different parish initiatives via flyers in backpacks and SchoolSpeak announcements.

Sarah Winterlin is working with me on adding 3 parent education sessions next year, utilizing Dr. Jules's parent education sessions.

Professional Development

We continue to work with a few different initiatives for coaching with teachers.

1. 3rd and 4th-grade teachers are working with a Bluum coach focusing on Math and number talks. (Covered by CSCOE)
2. Teachers with different focus areas continue to meet with Allie from Northshore Coaching. She is working with us on our differentiation strategy in our strategic plan. (Covered by Title II funding and grants)

Parent Survey Recap

Below is a recap of the parent survey. I am now working with my leadership team to determine what and how to address the celebrations and areas of growth.



General Experience Rating

- Parents rated their experience on a **scale of 1–10**.
- Most ratings were **8 to 10**, with **10 being the most frequent score**.

- The **average rating was 8.7**
 - Common reasons for not rating a 10:
 - Desire for more personalized education
 - Behavioral issues in older grades
 - Communication between parent and teacher
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Reasons for Choosing OLL

Most common themes:

- Catholic/faith-based education
 - Strong academics and high-quality teachers
 - Small class sizes and close-knit community
 - Traditional values and safe environment
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Additional Comments

- Parents expressed **gratitude and appreciation** for OLL staff and leadership.
- Positive remarks about:
 - Teachers' **passion and faith**
 - Feeling of **support and connection**
- Some suggestions for improvement:
 - Continued attention to **student behavior**
 - Consider **more enrichment opportunities**

Marketing/Enrollment Update - Amanda

Finance Update - Brian/Allyse

Fundraising/PTO Update