

St. Dominic Education Commission
October 8, 2018

Attendance: Bill Cavanaugh (Principal), Peter Gibbs (Chair), Kim Luebbering (Vice-Chair), Juliane Belisle, Jeff Lively(Secretary), Patrick Lahni, Jennifer Bizailon, Mike Liderbach, Ken Streder, Jessica Williams (PTO),

- 1) Call to Order (Peter Gibbs, 7:06)
- 2) Opening Prayer
- 3) Approval of September Minutes.
- 5) Old Business (7:10)
 - Jr. High questions/update from last month (play/concert, social studies curriculum)
 - School Strategic Plan Updates
 - Timeline proposal; Communication plan (Staff, PTO...)
 - Grant: Cincinnati Foundation??
 - Individual Sub-Committee updates
 - Academic Excellence
 - Technology Plan Update?
 - 3D Printer Update
 - School getting another 3D printer (different model)
 - Training for teachers on Monday 10/15
 - Teacher Recognition/Engagement
 - Catholic Culture/Community
 - Patty Bosse Catholic Identity
 - Dr Romanello PBIS
 - Julie Schloemer Christian Service Club
 - Marketing/Communication
 - Websites: Pto, Men's Society, Athletics, School, Cub Scouts
- 6) New Business (8:05)
 - None
- 7) Committee Reports (8:05)
 1. **Tuition Credit** (Lahni)...5 minutes
 - Approximately: Remke-\$400, Kroger-\$3,000, Shoparoo-\$800 yr
 - Chipotle-only every 6 months (Dec.)
 2. **PTO** (Williams)...5 minutes
 - General meeting Nov. 13th, March 5th, May 7th
 - Magazine Drive over \$8000
 - Looking to support the technology plan
 3. **Faith Formation** ... No report
 4. **Principal's Report** (Bill)...25 minutes (8:25)
 - See below

- 9) Closing Prayer (8:30)
- 10) Adjournment
- 11) Next Meeting: Monday, November 12, at 7 pm in the School Library

Education Commission Mtg. on 10/8/18 Principal's Report

1) Update on Technology Committee-Cindy Birck and I visited Our Lady of Lourdes last Friday 9/28 and met with their technology coordinator and a couple of their teachers. They recently purchased some Sharp (70 inches), interactive Boards. The boards were really easy to use, student and teacher friendly to use, and worked very well. The teachers gave very favourable reviews of the interactive board and preferred them much better than the Smart Boards that had been previously using. After our visit, Cindy and I reached out to Mike Finnegan from Sharp and asked him to bring two Sharp Boards the teachers could use. On Oct. 26th (our In-service) Mike will present to the teachers how the Boards are used, answer any questions, and let them interact with the boards.

2) Interims-Went out this past Thursday and parents were asked to look at them and sign them and return the next day.

3) Blackhawk Singers-Mr. Dickman and Mrs Schoenfeld have been working with the Blackhawk Singers to prepare them to sing at mass. They Blackhawk Singers will be singing at the 9:30 mass on the following dates:
10/28, 11/25, 1/27, 2/24, 3/31, 4/28, 5/26

4) Enrollment
We had 52 kids in last years 8th grade.
Our total for k-8 was 400
Preschool-63
Total-463

This year we have 38- 8th graders (a loss of 14 students from last years' number of 8th graders)
Our total for K-8 is 364
Preschool is 71 students
Total is 435

A loss of 36 students K-8
We added 8 students in Preschool=29 students total loss Preschool-8th grade

New Students in 1-8-13 new students

Grade 1-4 new
2-2 new
3-1 new
4-1new
5-2 new
6-2 new
7-1new
8-0 new

Last year's k classes were 21 and 20 for a total of 41
This year we have 29 students; a difference of 12 students from last year

So we 12 lost from k last year to this year combined with 14 students lost from 8th grade gives us 26 students total.

5)Safety Plan-I needs to get Signatures from First Responders, upload to State Website and send to Navigate to make sure we have everything included in the Emergency Safety Plan.

6)Frisch's-I stopped up and spoke to the mgr. Mike Herzog. I have a flyer and will pass this on to the PTO. Mike is willing to do as many fundraisers as St. Dominic parish, school, and athletics want to. Have. Whether it is dining in or carry out customers need to mention that they are there to support the St. Dominic fundraiser.

7)Cafeteria Monitor-I have posted the position on the Archdiocese website. I have had one person e-mail me who may be interested. I will keep you posted.

8)Computer Lab-At this time, I have no timeframe of when the lab will be moved. Quotes need to be gotten regarding air conditioning, electricity, and any other costs associated with this move.