

SJRA- HSA

Tuesday, November 12, 2013 Meeting Agenda

1. Opening Prayer & Pledge
2. Roll Call of Officers
 - a. President - Kathy Goff- present
 - b. Vice President - Katie McArdle-present
 - c. Treasurer - Trish Spillman-absent
 - d. Secretary - Sharon Kukal-present
 - e. Principal – Amada Salovay-present
 - f. Pastor – Monsignor Chizmar - absent
 - g. Faculty Representative - Mrs. Martino - present
3. Pastor's Report - none
4. Principal's Report
 - a. Nov 12th - Report cards out today
 - b. Nov 13, 14, 15 - Parent -teacher conferences Wednesday, Thursday & Friday (Thursday & Friday are 1/2 days)
 - Schedule additional time with Teachers if needed
 - c. Nov 16th - Barnes & Nobles Book Fair - Nov 16th whole weekend
 - d. Nov 18th - Family Promise DDD
 - e. Nov 19th - 7pm Marketing Meeting - business cards/posters for parents to promote school, working on new brochure for school, bumper stickers
 - f. Nov 20th - Golf Tournament Meeting - 6pm
 - g. Nov 22nd - CYO Dance - 5th to 8th grade, \$5 each
 - h. Nov 25th - NED Program - self esteem program -K through 8th
 - can buy yoyo - available after thanksgiving as well
 - i. Dec 1st - Vendor night
 - j. Dec 9/10th - Santa's Workshop - small gifts, \$2 each to purchase gifts for family/friends
 - k. Dec 13th - Christmas Program, 6pm, Snow Date - Dec 16th
 - l. Dec 17th - Cookies with Mrs. Claus, Snow Date Dec 18th, 6-8pm

- m. Dec 20th - CYO Dance, 5th to 8th grade, \$5 each
 - n. Dec 20th - 1/2 day, come back on January 2nd, 2014
 - o. Transfer Tuition - \$600 now until Catholic's Schools Week in January 2014
 - \$100 credit per child that you bring to SJRA
 - p. Pre-School Waiting List - have them call the office to get on the list
 - q. Pre-School can purchase Scrip towards Kindergarten
5. Treasurer's Report - none
6. Committee Report

A. Fund Raising

You don't have to participate in every fundraiser. We like to let you know all that is going on and you can choose what you want to do!

- Race For Education (Oct 18) - Jim Thorpe HS Track
 - \$10K so far
 - Waiting for \$ from people who pledged per lap
- Fall Foliage Festival (Oct 12 & 13) – Jim Thorpe
 - Profit - \$828.50
 - 2 special trains came in
- Halloween Costumes
 - Profit - \$29.36
- Gift Card Bingo (Nov 3rd) – Mahoning Valley Ambulance Squad Hall
 - Chair: Evelyn Lindermuth, Kathy Goff
 - Profit - \$1400
 - Gift Cards, consolation prize: Turkey
- Simply Soy Candles
 - By Andraleen
 - Delivery Dec 9th
 - 10 orders - 16 large candles, 25 small candles
 - Raised: \$155

- Food Court (Cookie Dough/Pizza)
 - In progress
 - Orders Due Monday, Nov 18
 - Delivery Tuesday, Dec 17
 - Sell 15 items and select 1 free (1 free for every 15 sold)

- Lottery Calendars
 - \$20 each calendar - \$6 goes towards your obligation!
 - Try to sell. If you can't, please return to school as we have a waiting list for them!
 - Ileana Mohammed - St. Peter the Fisherman Church contact for selling calendars before and after masses - cell (646) 552-1548; ileana0880@aol.com

- 2nd Annual Pallet of Beer – Highland Beverage in Jim Thorpe - sending out early December!
 - Draw at the end of January 2014
 - Also Meat gift cards and snack gift baskets (about \$1500 in prizes)
 - Heintzelman Meat Market, Lehighton
 - Walmart Gift Cards
 - Each class put together one snack basket – each child brings in something
 - 30% towards the HSA Obligation
 - Tickets \$5 each

- Nick's Lake House Fundraiser - Nov 30th
 - Each class bringing in items for theme baskets
 - Please support this! Made about \$500 last year

- Scrip Program
 - Get Holiday Gift cards!
 - \$ towards your tuition!
 - Cards for Black Friday shopping will have to be ordered by Wed, Nov 20th.
 - Cards for Christmas will have to be ordered by Monday, Dec 16th.

- Shur Save Bonus Program
 - Goal is 50 people

- Runs until December 31 2013
- Numbers roll over to next year
- Shur Save Gift cards available at SJRA
- Tommy's cards
 - Tommy's Steaks & Subs on 4th Street in Jim Thorpe
 - SJRA gets 20%
 - \$5, \$ 10, \$20 denominations
- Rita's Gift Cards
- Giant A+ program
 - Goal is 100 people
 - SJRA gets % through bonus card – runs to March 2014
 - Giant gift cards available at SJRA
- Polar Plunge – January 25th, 2014 – 9:30am – 12:30pm
 - Maunch Chunk Lake approved
 - Fish and Game approved
 - \$1M insurance policy
 - Need sponsors for T-shirts - anyone you can think of, provide sponsor information please
 - Need Help! Marketing, put goodie bags together, need pop up tents, parking help - any help would be appreciated!
 - Advertise in Skirmish/Adventure places; adventure websites; colleges; communities
 - This has a lot of potential to raise a lot of money!
- Technology Recycling Program
- Pizza Hut Nights – Lehighton
- Target Credit Card
 - Sign up for SJRA
 - SJRA gets 1%
- Ink Jet Recycling
 - Chair - Lorraine Kabitzke

- o School's address, with Lorraine's email.
- o Requesting display boxes around town for collection.
- o Request flyers to go home.
- o Money made depends on the type of cartridges they are.

B. Social

- > Family Mentor Program
- > Skating Party
- > Family Social Event

7. Old Business

8. New Business

a. Fundraiser Ideas

- Please provide any ideas! Running it is even better! We will try to accommodate any ideas.
- Night at the Races

b. Parish Scrip Program

- Same weekend of the month to be there to sell cards

c. Nov 15th - Local Shopping Day - Jim Thorpe

- 20% off and other discounts

d. \$25 Drawing for the Meeting! (\$250 drawing at end of year for 100% attendance)

Winner – Katie McArdle, Casey McArdle's Mom (3rd grade)

9. Closing Prayer

Thanks so much for coming!

Next meeting is Tuesday, December 3rd, 2013 @ 6:30pm