

Home And School Meeting: 9/11/2019

Present: Mary Laidlaw-Otto, Kim Kelly, Kat Krueger, Carrie Lobenhofer, Sam Rios, Lauren Koier
Excused Absent: Melissa Rahill, Terri Richards, Tracy Ganas

Craft Fair (Sat., November 9th):

Lengthy discussions related to someone from Christian Women might have suggested menu price changes? Judy Eft (Christian Women) would like a call from someone regarding this matter.

- Consensus of H&S members was to keep pricing the same. Copies of menu items and prices were handed out to all members.

Needed for Craft Fair as of yet:

- Need to check with Badger Ham regarding ham for sandwiches. Can Terri reach out?
- Need a calendar raffle table set up--discussion was also had related to past years when other parents were dropping their calendars off for others to sell. This is not allowed; however, if an H&S member who is actively working the event needs some sold, we can make the exception.
- Kim to help with lawn signs
- Is there more help needed with set-up Friday/Sat? Can we ask Mr. Rahill / RE Kids?

Sign-Up Genius was updated to reflect more accurate amounts of chili requested from donors as we were off with amounts last year--possibly due to smaller bowls. We did specify quantity desired (gallon bags or 6-7qt). Sign-Up Genius to go out to families on October 24th.

Fun Run (Friday, September 20th):

Sign-Up Genius to go out soon after today. Teachers will again handle the run portion of this event and H&S and volunteers will handle food, serving, face painting, etc.

-Event starts at 5pm and we should be ready with food by 6pm for kids/families to eat.

Cafeteria/hall to keep kids out until around then so we can set up.

-Fuel-Up team to provide milk/cheese samples again; H&S to grill, ice cream scoop.

-Will check with Becky Buscher again to shop for supplies/food. Need to check with Mary Jo to see if we have a list of costs/menu.

-Jan will again facepaint

-Sign-Up Genius updated as well to reflect more ice cream scooping help.

Fundraising:

Pizza Fundraiser

We have lost Prize Steak as a supplier of our pizza fundraising ingredients! Other sources were discussed, including Alpine Lanes in Muskego that supplies St. Leonard's pizza fundraisers.

Lauren to check into using them / pricing. Also discussed Uncle Larry's/Goman's?

No dates noted as of yet for this as we will need to look into suppliers.

Art To Remember

Classes have been working on projects and deadline coming up soon. More to come.

Potential Fundraisers

Discussed several ideas, including:

-Cookie Dough (50% profit)

-Save Around Books --not very successful 2nd year it was done

-First-Aid Kits--positive reception; this may be good in Spring prior to camping season. More info to be looked into. (50% profit)

-Breadsmith - has take-home bread orders that can be taken at school and delivered fresh for pickup to SJE OR traditional in-store fundraiser. Lauren will talk with manager, Jason, on Monday, 9.16.

Teacher Lunches:

Next year, No Zupa's for back to school lunch. Very expensive, messy. Discussed possibility of Olive Garden.

--Conferences lunch will be Cousins

Miscellaneous:

- P. French asking if anyone would like to speak at mass about calendar raffles to help promote them/educated parishioners about them, etc. Sam brought up maybe Shawn would be willing?
- Downloaded GroupMe app to help H&S members communicate more effectively than email as messages get lost in chain-mails, lost, missed, etc. Everyone should now be invited through the app.

Next Meeting:

Wed., October 16th