

St. Gregory the Great Parish School

School Commission Meeting Minutes February 16, 2016 – 6:00 p.m. – Great Room

Attendance

Members Present: Amy Schlegel, John Farney, Joey Kovnesky, Jeff Senn, Mary Wejrowski

Members Excused: Beth O'Connor

1. Prayer

Led by John

2. January Meeting Minutes

Minutes from the November School Commission meeting distributed, reviewed, and approved.

3. Introductions

School Commission members introduced themselves and shared about their experience on the Commission to a potential member present

4. Open House

The open house was successful. Many new families received tours and the new format of having teachers in classrooms and allowing free exploration of the building was received well. Many prospective families were alumni looking to enroll their own children.

5. Registration

Registration has begun for the 2016-2017 school year. As of now, 144 students have a complete registration. This number is slightly lower than this point in previous years. This could be attributed to the Choice application being online-only beginning this year.

The priority enrollment period ends Monday, February 22.

6. Budget

The budget process will be beginning soon for the upcoming school year. Amy sought potential budget item suggestions from Commission members. Since technology is considered up to date, extra money that was put forth in the past to technology will be moved back into curriculum and instruction. The textbook revision cycle will be restarting as well and increased focus on literacy and science programming.

7. Parent Survey

School Commission members reviewed notes from last month's meeting with Amy. Questions will be piloted and those in the pilot will complete a follow-up survey before the main survey is distributed to all school families.

8. Closed Session

Moved into closed session at 7:13pm to discuss staffing.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.
Next meeting Tuesday, March 15, 2016 – 6:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Joey Kovnesky
School Commission Secretary

2015-2016 Meeting Schedule

All meetings are tentatively at 6:00 p.m. in the Great Room

- ~~Tuesday, August 18, 2015~~
- ~~Tuesday, September 15, 2015~~
- ~~Tuesday, October 20, 2015~~
- ~~Tuesday, November 17, 2015~~
- ~~*No December Meeting*~~
- ~~Tuesday, January 19, 2016~~
- ~~Tuesday, February 16, 2016~~
- Tuesday, March 15, 2016
- Tuesday, April 19, 2016
- Tuesday, May 17, 2016
- Tuesday, June 21, 2016