Meeting Minutes

I. Opening Prayer

II. Introductions

Panther Parents Committee Members:

- President: Michelle McWilliams
- Vice-President: Rachel
- Secretary: Emily Hunter
- Treasurer: Ludmer Akers & Lauren Moloney
- Volunteer Coordinator: Lindsey Martin
- Fundraising: Lori Gevry
- Welcome Ambassador: Celeste Clennan
- Room-Parent Coordinator: Carrie Kaveney

III. Discussion items

a) Balance of Panther Parents account: $10,000? 9,717.83. discrepancy of 353. 1500 earmarked is 8th grade concession. 4200 truer reflection of the account balance. Treasurer proposing a receipt copy to track outgoing money to be signed by two members and to be used internally.
   i) $4,000 set aside for electronic sign- parking lot

b) What are we raising money for this year? Redo the restrooms? Sports uniforms? Converting from Pauline Memorial to St. Paul. Visualizations of the virtues, there are 10 per year for the next 3 years and they would be a banner for the children.
   i) Brainstorm ideas, vote/finalize next meeting

c) New Facebook Page/ Communication with parents- private to only St. Paul parents, no ads, just for all the parents to be aware of the activities to volunteer. HSA driven website. Fundraising opportunities going on etc. Start this year and weigh its value. How will verification happen? The President will be looking up the directory to verify.
   i) Sign-up genius

 d) After Action Plan- template proposed to help incomers assess the pro’s and con’s. One needs to be done on the Welcome Back BBQ
   i) Welcome back BBQ combined with Back to school night. So the previous years HSA will host it. Put it on the future calendar to organize it.

IV. Events:

a) Fall Festival
   i) Consider scaling down, refer to as Fall Picnic? More about fellowship and less about festivities and activities
   ii) Date: Considering Oct 10th, or Oct 3rd - Knights of Columbus breakfast on the 10th. Parish Faith night the 3rd. Leaning toward Oct. 17th. No contingency plan just cancel if it's moved indoors something to think about especially if the Knights donate food try to be considerate of that.
iii) More details in Fall Festival meeting to follow - Tents

b) Krispie Kreme Fundraiser
   i) Chaired by Lori Gevry - 50% profit, love to get 3 cars full of them, order 6 or more dozen and you get them all deleted.
   ii) Date: Late October - middle? Trying not to overlap with 8th grade.

c) Up-coming Events – If you chair an activity it takes care of your family’s 20 hours. Pay for hours not served. Working parent hours are needed.
   i) Breakfast with Santa (Chair position open!) Dec 12th is the date of the Knights breakfast to join up with them. Steve Fisher for Santa? Santa Jim “Bear”?
   ii) Pie and Poinsettias Fundraiser (Lori) – Pies came from the You and I catering. Company for succulents and poinsettias came from holiday shoppe - FUN services is the company name. 50% profit on this event. Pies were delicious and variety and good feedback. Hardly any work.
   iii) Christmas Shoppe: Dates Dec.9th-12th (Lori & Amanda) - It’ll be in the conference room. It will run through Sunday to catch everyone from masses and the Knights of Columbus breakfast.
   iv) Color run needs co-chair with Ellen Wellens – Stephanie Holmberg will assist her in that in the spring time!
   v) Mardi Gras - Now referred to as Luau. Parish event that benefits. Plug by Carrie to all the new members that the school benefits so greatly from the money raised. Feb 5th is the date of the event. On site daycare for the event that is free provided by the 8th grade.

V. Adjournment
   a) Closing Prayer
   b) Next meeting held Oct. 6th. 845am.