Holy Rosary School

Parents Club Meeting Minutes

October 13, 2011

Currie Baker, President, called the meeting to order and welcomed all those who were in attendance. Currie introduced the Parent Club Board. [Carl Baber, Vice President, Marti McGaughey, Treasurer and Karen Ginther, Secretary] Father John led the opening prayer.

Treasure's Report – Marti McGaughey None

Vice President's Report - Carl Baber

Carl announced ways to contribute to the Ed Kingston Memorial Fund.

2nd Grade Room Parents will be accepting cards to be delivered with a basket.

President's Report – Currie Baker None

Principal Report – Michael Cantu

Mr. Cantu discussed the changes with after school care at Holy Rosary. B.A.S.E improvements include staff phones, discussion to wire the gym for internet access, and the hiring of two new staff members.

Mr. Cantu discussed upcoming Parent Teacher Conferences and principal and teacher participation in staff retreats.

Green Team announcement - Holy Rosary is switching from using the 409 All Purpose Cleaner to a Green Works All Purpose Cleaner in an effort to reduce harmful chemicals within the school.

Mr. Cantu discussed various school commission projects.

- 1. The school commission is working together with Adcom to begin one component of beautifying the front school landscape. Work could begin by November.
- 2. The school commission is working on introducing a Lego Robotics program to Holy Rosary.
- 3. The school commission is working on bringing an Art Literacy program to Holy Rosary.

Mr. Cantu discussed bringing back the Geography Bee with the help of Ted Mohrbacher.

Compliments referring to last week's Living Rosary were stated.

Mr. Cantu discussed Mary Jo McFaul's participation with an accreditation team.

Mr. Cantu discussed a Seattle Prep invite to help assist Holy Rosary with math readiness.

School Commission Report - Sherri Chun, President

Sherri introduced the commission members.

Sherri presented a follow-up of back to school night.

The commission's strategic plan and the different sub-committees and ad hoc committees that are being generated were discussed. Sherri encouraged volunteers for these groups.

Development Committee – Gloria Teves

Gloria spoke about the Annual Fund and the desire to increase the Holy Rosary goal. She encouraged parents to turn in their forms resulting in Holy Rosary receiving a 100% participation recognition.

Parents were reminded that if they have any pledges, payments or other funds that are automatically withdrawn from different banking accounts that the parents must schedule withdraws for them to take place. Mention of corporate matching on donated funds to the annual fund.

Fundraising Chair Reports -

Westfest - Ann Connell

Ann discussed the success of the event and the financials of Westfest. She stated that \$14,750 will go to Holy Rosary School.

Ann announced volunteer opportunities to help with Westfest next year.

Golf Tournament- John Cahill

John introduced the on-line registration and discussed the \$10,500 raised for Holy Rosary.

Magazine Sales- Cindy Wingo

Cindy will announce if the goal was met at the Friday school assembly. The magazine goal is \$125,000.

Currie Baker, President closes the meeting and announces that volunteers are needed for the Tree Lot fundraiser and Italian Dinner fundraiser. A new fundraising opportunity offering family photos was discussed.

The next Parent Club Meeting is on Thursday, November 10, 2011 at 6:30PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Karen Ginther- Secretary