

**St. Charles Home and School Association Minutes  
Tuesday October 13, 2009**

**I. Welcome**

- a. Meeting called to order 6:31 p.m.
- b. Opening Prayer
- c. Introductions of all the parents and the board.
- d. Opening Remarks/Public comment: None
- e. Take attendance (Sign-in sheet): Susie Weick, Sarah Sullivan, Jodie Belden, Jamie Lindeman, Sharon Sprague, Carolyn Jones, Dani Silvernail, Philippa Stanford, Doris Lemont, Beth Taylor, Amy Zdanowski, Mary Boni, Shannon Taylor, Angie Wood, Chris Lefor, Brian Simones, Margaret Karpus, Debbie Kassuba, Andrea Krause, Ann Marie Smith

**II. Secretary Minutes. We will do Sept. and Oct. at Nov. meeting.**

**III. Reports:**

- a. President
  - Pizza Hut Fundraiser will be Monday Nov. 9 (5-7 p.m.). Buy script before you go. We need volunteers to work. It will be buffet style with \$1 and tips for each buffet sold will be going to St. Charles Athletic Association. We made about \$500 in the spring between buffets and tips. They will make the pizzas and handle the cash and we do the rest.
  - Candy/Magazines-Money from 76 boxes has been returned.
  - Clothing Orders were sent home last week.
  - Playground- There was a great turnout with 40 people helping. It will be much safer for the kids. Thank you.
  - Family Pumpkin Carving will be Thursday Oct. 29 from 6-8 p.m. Bring your own pumpkin and utensils for carving. Prizes will be given away. Pizza and lemonade are provided. Bring a treat to share. There have been some small pumpkins donated for the small kids to paint.
  - Calendar-Pictures were taken of each class on Oct. 12. Each class did a theme for their month. All the kid's birthdays and all the Saints and holidays will be on the calendars. We are hoping to sell them for \$10 each at the bazaar. There will only be 100 printed and pre-orders may be taken.
  - Art contest info. Went home last week (back of agenda). Oct. 30 is the deadline for the entries to be turned in. The pictures must be length wise.
  - Spartan receipt-This fundraiser needs a chairman to bundle them, tally them up. This task is time consuming. We get

playground equipment and classroom items. It runs Sept. 1-March 30. Shannon Taylor to do this.

- Ideas- Andrea received a lot of e-mails with ideas. Keep sending your ideas to Andrea.

**b. Vice President**

- No report

**c. Secretary**

- No report

**d. Financial**

- Waiting on the bill for the candy bars. We are doing well. We've received money from computers, donations for wood chips, and pizza is doing well.
- Savings-the money stays the same because we don't use it.

**e. Teachers**

- Mrs. Smith- Bathrooms look nice. The kids are doing well with their sounds. She is getting ideas for the bazaar and she needs a helper with this project.

**f. Principal**

- Mrs. Karpus is trying to plan a family craft (so parents don't have to buy multiple gifts the kids made) for the bazaar.
- Virtus training is next Thur. 6-9 p.m. Parents who coach or volunteer need to do this training. This is open to anybody. We need 10 people to have this and you need to sign up on-line. We need volunteers to bring a veggie tray and baked goods.
- Jean day will be on Monday Oct. 19
- Picture day on Tuesday Oct. 20. Kids need to wear their Sunday best.
- H1N1 Vaccine-Just want to get a consensus from the parents. The pros/cons go both ways. The policy for the school is to call parents and send kids home if they have a temp. of 99 degrees or higher. They cannot come back to school until they have been fever free for 24 hours.

**IV. Review calendar**

- October 19 is jean day. This was changed from October 12 for pictures.
- October 29 is the family pumpkin carving.
- November 17 is the Thanksgiving luncheon. Watch for the flyer.
- November 30-December 4 is the Book Fair/Ice Cream Social.

**V. Future Agenda**

- Catholic Schools week is Jan 31-Feb. 4
- December 9 is the Christmas program at 6:30 p.m. The play is in the spring.

- Microphones-we had a \$5,000 quote. We still need a cordless mic. Clip-ons. We are writing a grant. Angie Wood to donate one.

**VI. Future meeting dates**

- Tuesday November 10, 2009 in conference room 2.

Drawing for the \$10 scrip for parents coming to the meeting-  
Winner is Beth Taylor.

Closing Prayer.

Meeting ended at 7:14 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Shannon Taylor