



Divine Child High School

9/13/2021 | 7:05 p.m. Meeting called to order by Erika Laszlo

1. Opening prayer led by Erika Laszlo
2. Introduction of Mr. Tony Trudel, Principal
 - Mr. Trudel shared his personal background, leadership style, and his vision for the high school.
 - a. He plans to observe the community for one full year. He has already created a "School Life Team" which meets weekly.
 - b. A priority this year is to review the school's Mission and Vision, getting input from community stakeholders including parents.
 - c. A future goal is to create a strategic plan to cover the next 3-5 years.
 - d. The larger trend of teacher shortages was discussed.
3. Words from Colleen Johnson, Director of Advancement. advancement@divinechild.org
 - a. Advancement handles marketing (including social media) for both schools and the parish, the Falcon's Nest, fundraising, admissions, alumni relations.
 - b. They are always looking for volunteer help, including projects that can be done at home.
 - c. Two major events are the Hall of Fame (11/12/21) and the Spring Auction
 - d. Parents are invited to send photos for DC to post on social media, to social@divinechild.org
4. Review/Approve Minutes from previous meeting
 - a. Amy Gencarelli moved to approve the 4/26/2021 minutes. Michelle Rudzinski seconded. Motion carried.
 - b. No correspondence
5. Board Members Reports
 - a. Faculty Liaison, Mr. Ben Cronin shared information about Spirit Week and Homecoming, this week.
 - b. President's Report, Erika Laszlo shared info on upcoming events, listed on page two of the agenda
 - c. Vice President's Report, Michelle Rudzinski
 - i. Volunteer(s) needed to be Events Committee Chairperson. Ranyia Tamburro, Brandi Varga, and Jenny Murdza are interested in helping.
 - ii. Volunteer(s) needed to be Chaperone Dance Coordinator. Bridget Hanson is interested.
 - d. Treasurer's Report, Mary Jo Bushart-Luke
 - i. Erika Laszlo is waiting to confirm current balance of PSO account.
 - ii. Moving forward, PSO will prefer to buy snacks and reimburse the parent rather than accepting donations. This change will simplify concerns during covid.
 - e. Class reps were introduced
 - i. Freshmen: Julie Scalf, Denice Testani, and Denise Thomas jadscalf@aol.com
 - ii. Sophomores: Jill Rubarth jem060504@yahoo.com
 - iii. Juniors: Nancy Nadolsky kevannan@hotmail.com
 - iv. Seniors: Peggy Pawson peggy.pawson@yahoo.com
6. Business at hand - None

7. Open floor questions

Amy Gencarelli asked whether the timing of the Spring Auction will impact Senior Lock-in fundraising. Mr. Cronin and Erika Laszlo will check with Colleen Johnson.

8. Raffle Winners were selected: Anne Cibor, Lisa Marusak, and Dennis Griffin.

9. Meeting closed at 7:59pm, with prayer led by Erika Laszlo

The next meeting will be held on Monday October 11, 2021.