



## Divine Child High School

1/10/2022 | 7:00 p.m. Meeting called to order by Erika Laszlo  
37 parents attended online via Zoom

1. Opening prayer led by Erika Laszlo
2. Introduction of Mrs. Mary Pat O'Malley, Christian Service Coordinator
  - a. Rationale was provided for why students do service
  - b. A chart of grade levels, required service hours, and submission dates were shown.
  - c. Christian Service hours must be considered Works of Mercy or Works of Mission. Works of Mercy includes the life and dignity of the human person; feeding the hungry; option for the poor and vulnerable; care of God's creation; solidarity. Works of Mission support DCHS or parish life; up to 5 of the required 10 hours can be in this category. Christian Service hours support *charitable* non-profit organizations.
  - d. Students report service hours using the x2vol website. They must enter the name and email address of the service supervisor, who will receive a message and need to click three times in order to confirm the service. The service supervisor cannot be a family member.
  - e. The "Find Opportunities" area of the x2vol website has some upcoming local events listed.
  - f. Students can submit more than the required hours. It will be easy to add that experience to their resume. Also, the school gives out service awards.
3. Board Members Reports
  - a. Faculty Representative, Mr. Ben Cronin shared information about upcoming school events
    - i. The Mayor's Cup will be on 1/29!
    - ii. The school is hoping to continue as many in-person events as possible
    - iii. Sadie's dance remains on the schedule for 2/5. Freshmen will not be invited this year.
    - iv. Retreats for Freshmen and Juniors are being rescheduled.
  - b. President's Report, Erika Laszlo
    - i. The Morrow family was overwhelmed and grateful by the school family response. They requested another month for the Meal Train; sign-ups were filled within 30 minutes.
    - ii. Congratulations Julie Scalf, now in the Attendance office! She is the current parent of a student.
    - iii. Reminder that Lock-In refund requests go through Jude Ripley (DCHS). Coffee House refund requests go through Mary Jo Luke (PSO).
  - c. Vice President's Report, Michelle Rudzinski – nothing to report
  - d. Treasurer's Report, Mary Jo Bushart-Luke
    - i. There were three checks totaling \$376.35 since our last meeting: Falcon Nest (\$132.50), Thanksgiving teacher gifts (\$160), and Fall Open House (\$83.85)
    - ii. Balance on 12/31/21 was \$15,506.96
  - e. Class rep reports
    - i. Freshmen: Julie Scalf reported they are waiting on the class quote and selections for banner.
    - ii. Sophomores: Nothing to report

- iii. Juniors: Erika reported the committee is chugging along on planning Coffee House.
  - iv. Seniors: The Lock-In committee met today, prior to the PSO meeting.
  - v. Events Committee: Erika Laszlo gave a recap of upcoming staff recognitions planned.
  - vi. Dance Chaperones: The PSO can sponsor water bottles for the Sadie's dance.
4. Open floor questions
- a. Mr. Cronin confirmed that parents chaperoning dances need to have completed Protecting God's Children training. Parents can email a copy of their certificate to Jude Ripley and/or Mr. Cronin. Parents who moderate student clubs must also have a background check.
  - b. Mr. Cronin confirmed that Mrs. Schweiss is the NHS moderator.
  - c. Parents who attend PSO meetings are entered in a raffle to win Auction tickets.
5. Meeting closed at 7:51 pm, with prayer led by Erika Laszlo