

## Divine Child High School - Parent Support Organization (PSO) - Meeting Minutes

2/6/2023 | 7:00 p.m. Meeting called to order by Erika Laszlo 39 parents in attendance. Meeting was held on Zoom.

- 1. Opening prayer led by Erika Laszlo
- 2. Guest Speakers John Brahier and Mary Wilkerson, DCHS Campus Ministry
  - a. Discussed new and upcoming initiatives, such as themed opt-in retreats, programs for young women, souper bowl, grade-specific retreats. The Godcast podcast will be back soon.
  - b. They want to build a culture of prayer. They see Campus Ministry as serving families and serving parents. "How can we [Campus Ministry] partner with you?"
- 3. Minutes from 1/9/23 meeting: Anne Cibor moved to approve; Michelle Rudzinski seconded. Motion carried.
- 4. Board Members Reports
  - a. President's Report-Erika Laszlo
    - i. Thanked Kathy and Ranyia for their work during Catholic Schools Week. Thanked Mr. Veach for ice cream for the students.
    - ii. PSO planned to purchase new coffee urns for the school, however upon inquiry we learned that new urns had been purchased a year ago. We will ensure that Coffee House uses the new urns.
    - iii. Each class is welcome to submit a basket for the DC Auction.
    - iv. Last month PSO agreed to donate \$1000 towards Mrs. Delgado's vision to upgrade the Teachers' Lunchroom. This money will be donated to the Student Council, not to Mrs. Delgado personally.
  - b. Faculty Representative: Ben Cronin
    - i. Thanked PSO for Teacher Appreciation.
    - ii. Sadie's was one of the best run dances yet! Parents helped with decorations, monitoring and securing exits, and other roles.
    - iii. The "Freddies" senior mock awards will be done in a new way this year.
    - iv. Upcoming event include an in-school service opportunity, and parent-teacher conferences.
  - c. Vice President's Report-Bridget Hanson
    - i. Wanted clarification on whose job it is for Sadie's dance to provide water and snacks, and what the budget is. Erika Laszlo advised that Student Council had asked for PSO's help, and PSO budgeted \$250 towards the refreshments.
    - ii. PSO closet has items inside that are not PSO's (such as chafing trays for catering). Wants permission to clean it out. Mr. Cronin said that we can look at it with Linda from Facilities.
  - d. Treasurer's Report-Mary Jo Bushart-Luke reported that we do not have funds from DC yet.
  - e. Class Reps reports:
    - i. Freshmen: none
    - ii. Sophomores: Denise Thomas said they could do a basket for the Auction.
    - iii. Juniors: Jill Rubarth has a sign-up out for Coffee House. Mugs have arrived, postcards were mailed, and the wish list is out. She announced the Junior class will not be doing a basket for Auction because of its proximity to Coffee House, and a worry of over-

- burdening generous parents with asks for more donations. Marguerite Lampertius expressed interest in gathering a Junior class basket. Jill and Marguerite will discuss this privately after the meeting.
- iv. Seniors: Ranyia Tamburro is running the shirt sale for Lock In. Erika Laszlo created an Amazon wish list and with Senior parents' help, put together a dog-themed basket for Auction
- f. Events Committee: Jenny Murdza discussed the lunch provided for Catholic Schools Week
- g. Dance Chaperone Coordinator: Charlotte Lencioni handled Sadie's Hawkins dance
- 5. Business at hand: None
- 6. Open floor questions: None
- 7. Raffle winners: two pairs of Auction tickets will be raffled later, once Anne Nagrant compiles the attendance list. Erika Laszlo will notify winner via phone or email.
- 8. Meeting closed at 8:00pm, with prayer led by Erika Laszlo

The next meeting will be held March 6, 2023 in person in the BFLC.