



Important Dates:

Next Meeting 4/25/24

Father/Daughter Dance 3/9/24

Family Learning Night 3/21/24

Mother/Son Dance 4/27/24

Fish Fry Fridays 2/16/24-
3/15/24

Teacher Appreciate Week
5/6/24 – 5/10/24

Date: February 8, 2024

Prayer and Introductions

President Report – Jeanine McKenzie

- Major fundraiser ideas
 - Open to new ideas, discussed pros/cons of color walk

- Cannot host an evening event due to lack of parking
- There will be a committee for major fundraiser
- Event will need to take place in October – for many reasons, a major one being that the Church hosts a fundraiser every other spring and we can't have two major fundraising events back to back
- PTO has been intercepting teacher requests for items needed in the classroom instead of asking parents to donate said items or allowing teachers to spend their own money on said items
- Teacher lounge renovations – the two lounge renos are underway. PTO has met with contractor regarding ideas/plans. Due to begin once students are out for summer break, will be completed by start of 2024/2025 school year.
- Catholic Schools Week fundraisers
 - \$1856 raised to go back to Nativity Academy
- A list of committees for next year will be sent out late February/early March in order to start that conversation and get people involved and thinking about the next school year now.
- PTO will purchase solar eclipse glasses for all students! Solar eclipse April 8, 2024.

Treasurer's Report

PTO Expenses* 2023-2024

Math Cubes (2nd Grade)	\$159.00
Recess Equipment	\$340.00
Math Kits (3rd - 8th)	\$352.00
Books (5th Grade)	\$794.00
New Maps for 7th-8th	\$1,883.00
Cathedraticum Assessment	\$2,400.00
Staff Expenses**	\$2,665.99
Gaga Ball Mat	\$3,885.00
Staff Gift Cards (Beginning of School Year)	\$5,100.00
LEGO (STEM - Robotics)	\$5,999.25
Guitars	\$6,290.00
Student Activities***	\$6,451.56
Christmas Gift Cards for Staff	\$8,300.00
Outdoor Tables (10)	\$14,206.00
iPads (1st Grade)	\$15,090.00
New Library Books****	\$16,972.98

Total in Expenses **\$90,888.78**

Current PTO Balance as of 12/31/23 **\$165,117.00**

*does not reflect all class parties, Sunshine Committee, and misc. expenses

**monthly lunchones, staff lounge coffee and snacks, and staff meetings

***citizenship awards, misc parties, and projects

****projected total

CAM Fundraiser

- During fish frys
 - Auction website is LIVE!
 - Money raised will support sports- keep registration fees low, help purchase uniforms, help purchase a new walk in freezer for the concessions stand
 - Balloon pop fundraiser at 3/1/24 Fish Fry
 - Raffle Drawing on 3/15/24 Fish Fry – last Fish Fry of the season

Upcoming Events

- Yearbook committee working on photos for this years yearbook- submit online!
- Saint Patrick's Day celebration – held Thursday March 14, 2024, due to school being out March 15, 2024.
- Grandparents Day in April – date TBD. Mass & donuts in classroom
- Spring Play – dates TBD
- Teacher Appreciation Week – week after Derby (May 6, 2024 – May 10, 2024)
- 8th Grade Graduation Party – date TBD
- Back to school kits will be promoted earlier this year. 10% of school kit sales comes back to PTO
- Father Daughter Dance – March 9, 2024. Benefits our Girl Scouts
- Mother Son Dance – April 27, 2024. Benefits our Boy Scouts

Student Engagement Committee – Tonya Davis,

- Grade mass, donuts to follow
 - 4th Grade Mass – already held – January
 - 2nd and 5th Grade - Feb 25 tentatively
 - 3rd + 6th Grade - March 10 tentatively
 - 1st + 7th Grade - 21 tentatively
 - K + 8th Grade - May 12 tentatively
 - Looking at dates to add preschool mass

Principal's Report – Dr. Sturtzel

- Stewardship – plans for next year
 - We discussed who will lead grade/class stewardships. Opportunities for more parents to get involved and get in the school.

- Good Friday March 29, 2024 is Holy Hush Day. School will be dismissed at 1:00 pm
- Grades third through eighth lead stations of the cross
 - Eighth grade acts out stations of the cross outside
- Flex Concept – wrapping the school year before Memorial Day each year. First two snow days are traditional and not NTI, will be made up during planned days off so that we are still able to wrap the year by Memorial Day weekend.
- Sixth, seventh, and eighth grade will have retreats the week of St. Patrick's Day
- March 21, 2024 Family Learning Night
- Total Solar Eclipse on April 8, 2024 between 3:00pm and 3:30pm. Early dismissal 1:00
- Assistant Principals- Ms. Yates JK-4, Mrs. Meyer 5-8
- First Day of School for 2024/2025 school year – tentatively August 13, 2024
- Discussed tentative calendar for the 2024-2025 school year. Should be finalized and published soon.

Questions

- School zone flashing sign on Beckley for safety?
- Security guard/fee?
 - Reevaluate for next year
 - Security Fee ~\$100
- Score board falling down in gym?

