

Home & School Association (HSA) Meeting Notes January 16, 2020

- Treasurer Report
- Catholic Schools Week - Open House – Sunday, January 26th 12:00-2:00pm
 - Table and volunteers needed to help in the halls
 - Lunch for teachers from Bricco – Lauren Duncan
- Mardi Gras Fundraiser – February 22, 2020
 - Donations are being accepted-need to be in by February 7th
 - Tickets on sale now for \$35 each – volunteers needed to sell after masses
 - Baskets being assembled 2/1/20 at Blue House
 - Knights of Columbus to bartend
- 20/21 School Year – Vice President and Treasurer positions will be open – vote in April
- Gift Card Program
 - Volunteers needed to run program-can't be run out of the school office or rectory
 - Reports/paperwork done each week
 - Not enough marketing/advertising
 - Are there any alternatives to this program?
 - Scholarship through credit union
 - Other fundraisers – portion of the money goes towards tuition or field trips

*** We have two volunteers to take over the program until 6/30/20; revisit then to see how it is going and decide to continue the program

- School Kits
 - consideration to start using a school supply program (Bright School Kitz)
 - parents order supplies online (there would be an account for each teacher w/required supplies)
 - optional program for parents
 - supplies would be delivered to the school or home
- Retractable Gate
 - options are being looked at to put a barrier/gate across the back alley by the gym during recess and Latchkey
 - to prevent balls from rolling down the hill onto Water Street and to prevent people from driving the wrong way up the alley
 - must comply with fire code – the barrier or gate must not prevent a fire truck from driving up the alley from Water Street
- Next meeting will be in April – date TBA