

St. Anthony School - School Advisory Council
Minutes
October 3, 2018

Called to order at 6:50 pm

PRESENT: Fr. Chad Wahl, Susie Dickert, Craig Yeszin, Kelly Holdren, Nancy Hogle and Kim Buhk
EXCUSED: Jennifer Carranza and William Buhk

Opening prayer was said by Fr. Chad.

Open issues:

- School safety was discussed including new cameras put in over the summer. Susie also spoke about the two incidents we have had on Sutter in which cars were hit by the fence. The school staff had a meeting to review emergency procedures and find the holes in our protocol. The school had "all call" put on all classroom phones. Fr. Chad has been receiving bids to have the fence along Sutter updated to 8 feet and smaller gauge to keep outside people from being able to climb. He will also keep the truck gate and the pedestrian gate on Sutter. We will eliminate the fence on the corner of the school. Estimated cost is \$23,000. We also discussed having a buzzer put in by the northeast gate by the principal's office for ease of opening and closing gate for visitors. Buzzer will be in both the main office and the religious education office. Susie and Craig to work together on a plan to make this happen. In addition, Barbara (a parishioner of our parish) is working a plan for our keys - we may end up rekeying the church and the gym as well as a control method for checking in and out keys. Susie has also spoke with Laura Perez about the need to check in and out keys to the individual classrooms rather than leaving all rooms unlocked.
- 5 year plan - put on hold until next meeting due to incomplete packet.
- Budget and annual report was handed out, no questions were asked and members were encouraged to email or talk to Mrs. Dickert with questions.

New Business:

- We discussed our upcoming WCEA/WASC accreditation in 2020-2021 and the need for continual review of our SLE's, Mission and Vision. We also discussed updating our school logo with a crest. There was an in depth discussion of who we are as a school and what should be included on the crest including faith, learning, family, service among others. Fr. Chad will work on creating a school crest for review at our upcoming meetings.
- We discussed the Manteca Bulletin article that was attached to the agenda and how we can better market St. Anthony's school including brochures with the real estate agents that are selling to the areas where new building is occurring in Manteca.

- Catholic Schools Week is coming up January 27 through February 1. We discussed seeking multi-generational families to speak at Masses on Sunday, January 27. We also discussed focusing our efforts on students' pride in their faith for that week. We will once again thank parents with donuts and coffee at drop off, have grandparents day on Wednesday with the school Mass and discuss having a service project that week. We also discussed third Sunday Masses and the importance of our congregation seeing students in uniform and possibly having students as greeters at Mass in their uniform. In addition we spoke about the need for a marketing video for the school incorporating our mission and values, multi-generations and alumni, that could be shown during catholic schools week. Susie will speak with Jory about this possibility.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:15 pm

Next meeting will be December 3 at 7 pm in the school library.

