



SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Date:	January 14, 2025
Time:	6 pm
Location:	Monsignor Haller - Learning Commons
Minute Approval:	Danielle H., Jesse V.

Item:	Treasurer's Report
Presenter:	Sasha Bruce, Magda Chmidt
Notes:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Account update – Pottery to GO amount has come out of account, school council covered \$820.81. Ending balance in School Council General account is \$6,017.23 ● Mabel's Label's update – will reach out to Magda C. to confirm funds and update

Item:	Fundraising
Presenter:	All
Notes:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Next fundraiser: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ (Question brought to meeting) How many fundraisers can we have in 1 school year? 1 major school fundraiser where funds go back into the school. Terra Cotta and MacMillians are not considered major fundraisers. ○ We will consider Terra Cotta (Cookies) for Christmas for next year and MacMillans (Apps & Meals) for Easter of this year – Jesse V. will get information and sign us up for MacMillans to run for a few weeks before Easter. ● Dance-a-thon event – Dance-a-thon changed possibly to a day following the Family Fun night, offering the opportunity to collect pledges weeks before the day of the dance and then open up the opportunity for families to purchase more pledges day of family fun night. A thank you ticket will be given out to each student automatically and an extra thank you ticket will be given to students for every \$3 pledge collected. Tickets will be distributed the day of the Family Fun Night and we can have families put their tickets in the baskets at Family Fun Night and any student who didn't make it to Family Fun Night will have a chance to put tickets in the morning of Dance-a-thon. We will announce winners after the Dance-a-thon has taken place. Possibly sell glow sticks on the side. ● Started brainstorming and creating a list of a few staple fundraisers that can be held at different points of the year (e.g., thanksgiving - pumpkin) might help with organizing/planning. – List has been started and put on CSAC

Item:	Principal/School Updates
Presenter:	Gary Litschgy

Notes:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Pottery 2 Go was a huge success, a big thank you was extended to the school council for their contribution. ● Shrove Tuesday is Tuesday March 4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Volunteers – Ranita D. will help start setting up at 8 and will bring a tray of pancakes. Rebecca will grab Costco bags of pancake mix and we will distribute to volunteers who will make pancakes ahead of time. (Jesse V., Pam B. and Zhenya M. and Ranita D. will make pancakes ahead of time). Danielle H. and Kelli V. and Sasha B. will arrive and participate after their children’s drop off. ● Jesse V. and Sasha B. have griddles ● Schedule – link to document with Shrove Tuesday details ● Valentine’s day dance, organized by the student spirit team. Will sell glow sticks to help raise funds for events (Mount Mary, Graduation)
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Item:	Other
Presenter:	All
Notes:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Family Fun Night – we will be looking into changing our meal vendor for Family Fun night from burgers/chips/water from food truck to having a pizza tent

Conclusion:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Account update – Pottery to GO amount has come out of account, school council covered \$820.81. Ending balance in School Council General account is \$6,017.23 ● MacMillan’s fundraiser – we will be running in time for Easter ● Dance-a-thon event – Dance-a-thon changed possibly to a day following the Family Fun night, offering the opportunity to collect pledges weeks before the day of the dance and then opening up the opportunity for families to purchase more pledges day of family fun night. ● Shrove Tuesday is Tuesday March 4 – we have begun organizing event and assembling volunteers (Schedule – link to document with Shrove Tuesday details) ● Family Fun Night – we will be looking into changing our meal vendor for Family Fun night from burgers/chips/water from food truck to having a pizza tent.
Next Meeting:	<p>March 4, 2025</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Movie night (event free but buy snacks?) – not fully discussed, will discuss next meeting ● Future consideration: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Having a meeting early January so there’s more time to plan/scout for February events. ● Having a meeting in June to plan/generate ideas for Sep/Oct fundraiser (Pumpkin patch etc.).

