

St. Roberts School Board
October 19, 2006
Minutes

Board Members: John Grealish, Steve Mitchell, Dave Butler, Pat Cotroneo, Father Bruce, Yvonne Olcomendy, Jim Shick, Jennifer Dias & Jean Jauregui

Board Members Absent: None

Meeting Called to order: 7:00 PM

Prayer

Approval of Agenda

Approval of Minutes of September 28, 2006

Minutes approved with correction noted:

Fire Alarm System in the Kitchen *may* need to be replaced.

Old Business:

Festival Follow Up:

Father Bruce reviewed the meeting with the Festival Committee

Festival was very successful, at this time the majority of the festival bills had been paid

We have a few areas of improvement which will be discussed at next years planning session.

New Business:

1) Write In Issues from School Board News:

Instrumental Music Program: A survey will be sent out to parents to see in student/parents would be interested in an after school music program.

Jr. High Test Schedules: Every effort is made by staff to schedule comprehensive tests on different days. A single calendar is kept in each classroom with test dates outlined. Teachers give at least one week's notice on all comprehensive tests. Some smaller quizzes might only have one or two days notification.

Balls the children are playing with at recess was reviewed and the conclusion is that the foam balls were selected for our children's safety.

Centerplate requirements for Outdoor Education: Annually a letter to parents will be forwarded outlining the requirements.

Discussion over the girls being able to wear black athletic shoes vs. white athletic shoes, policy is in place so that staff and yard duty staff and identify boys (black shoes) and girls (white shoes) in the yard.

2) New Hot Lunch Program:

Ms. Olcomendy, discussed the responses from the survey that was sent home, overall the response has been very positive. Menu of items was reviewed and food preparation was discussed. Ms. Olcomendy will be attending a food sampling and provide feedback to the board.

3) Detention Issues:

Discussion on how detention is handed out was explained.

Board Member Reports:

Budget	Pat	The Annual School Financial Report dated June 30, 2006 was distributed and reviewed. Balance Sheet dated September 30, 2006 was distributed and reviewed
Scrip	Steve	Sales in front of church the 3rd week end of the month will continue.
Safety/Traffic	Dave	We are in need of a crossing guard in the morning in front of the school. This item will be readdressed in the weekly school news letter.

Next Meeting: Thursday, November 16, 2006
7:00 PM, Mahoney Room

Meeting adjourned: 8:35 PM

Respectfully Submitted by Jean Jauregui