Minutes - Wednesday, November 29, 2017 HSA meeting:

H.S.A President, Lauren Mularski, President, calls meeting to order, Welcome & Prayer

Lauren begins the meeting with a thank you for all those who attended the auction and donated items to the benefit of the school auction.

Treasurer's Report – Blake Carter

- Lyman Pies- \$4,104
- JPII Day at Illiano's- \$320
- Scholastic Book Fair- \$4,332 in sales
- Family Photo Day- \$348

Principal's Report – Principal Larry Fitzgerald

- Phase 1 of the playscape has been completed. Phase 2 is on the agenda.
- Basketball is in full swing. SJP will be hosting games for 2nd and 3rd graders for 4 Saturdays.
- Survey email from Superintendent was emailed out on Tuesday. Please complete.
- 12/7 will be our school wide Pajama Day. It will be \$1 to wear PJs for the day (NO nightgowns or slippers). All proceeds will be delivered to CT Children's Medical Center.
- 12/15 is the Middle School Christmas Dance
- Entering Advent Season, school took a field trip (11/30) to see "The Star" at Metro Movie theater. The school will be focusing on acts of kindness as the advent theme this year.
- Friday, Dec 1st, Bishop Cote visited all classes
- Our Grade 5 students decorated a tree at the Knights of Columbus Museum in New Haven. About 22 Catholic Schools from CT each decorated a tree there with the theme "Peace on Earth" and can be viewed along with their "Creshes from around the World" display. We can go view the tree display and vote for People's Choice tree.
- "I Ready" math tests have begun. Reports will be coming home.
- Dec 8th report cards will come home.

Upcoming December 2017 Events/Fundraisers:

- Breakfast with Santa 12/02; chairperson needed; if no chair the event will be canceled
- December H.S.A December 6th at 6:30 in the Parish Center
- Children's Shopping Day December 11th (Elizabeth Diaz volunteered to chair for 2018)
- NUT DAY December 13th

Upcoming 2018 Events/Fundraisers:

- Wednesday, January 10th- HSA Meeting 6:30pm
- Friday, January 19th- NUT Day
- Saturday, January 20th- Roller Skating Event
- Saturday, January 27th- Father Daughter Dance
- Sunday, January 28th- Open House

- Friday, February 2nd- Pasta Dinner (need suggestions)
- February 3rd- Butter braid Fundraiser Begins
- **Please note the Mother Son event has been moved to Saturday, April 7th to allow for an outdoor activity.

Questions & Answers / Comments:

- Parent's Night Out for PreK to 5th grade students tonight, Friday, December 1st (no siblings allowed unless they attend SJP), 6-8pm, \$5 per child
- Band and Choir Concert- December 6th in the gym
- Christmas Pageant for PreK to 5th grade- Tuesday, December 19th
- Early Dismissal at 11:30am on Friday, December 22nd.
- No school December 25th through January 1st. Classes resume January 2, 2018.
- Breakfast with mom/Dad event is being discussed with the school and has been postponed to the spring.
- If you would like to chair an event or would like to shadow an event to chair next year please contact Lauren Mularski