Minutes – Wednesday, February 4, 2017 HSA meeting:

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

Principal Report – Dr. Bullock

- Principal Survey please make effort to complete
- Registration Forms for 2017/2018 available the week of 2/13
- Financial Aid forms to be completed
- Five new students joining the 7th grade, Monday, February 06
- Advertisement Space purchased in 5 church bulletins, 1 year investment
- Video Security enhancement to be completed by end of March 2017; \$18,000+ cost; purchase made through Legacy Gift; system will monitor and record; areas to be covered do include the Pre-School & Kindergarten, front and back doors of JPII.
- Parents would like to see the Accreditation results posted in The Roar
- Plus Portals need to be updated

Treasurer's Report – Blake Carter

- \$18,000 current balance
- Not confident we will hit annual goal of \$39,000, current \$14,500
- In need of large fundraisers
 - Tuition Raffle
 - o Car Raffle
 - 50/50 Cash Raffle
 - Auction (Sabrina Fernandez offered to chair with assistance, committee of 3 or more; Kathy Pelletier, Christine Filush & Kerry May)

8th Grade Fundraisers – Laura Boone – Relayed by Lauren Mularski

Fundraiser to offset extra costs for 8th grade class (trips, caps & gowns); ongoing Hot dog (Thursdays in March) and Bake sales. Goal is to raise \$4,500.

Feedback on January Events:

- Roller Rink
 - 40+ participants (parents/students/faculty)
 - Fun Event
 - \$50 raised in snack and water sales

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- Father/Daughter
 - Best Dance thus far
 - Highpoint all dads able to escort their ladies home and not one required to stay behind to help clean.
 - o 109 attendees
 - Looking for a site to post all pictures for purchase (Maureen O'Connor)
- Open House
 - Positive Feedback; well attended
- Catholic Schools Week: Jan. 29-Feb. 4
- Pasta Dinner
 - Very well attended; raised over \$4,000 for Monarca Family
- Mother / Son Fun Day
 - o Fun outing; positive feedback; 21 families participated

Upcoming events 2017:

- February break 2/20 & 2/21
- Nut Day 2/22
- Box Tops contest ends on 2/24
- Butter Braid/ Cookie dough fund raiser (Feb. 6-24).
- Family Mardi Gras Dance scheduled for 2/24

March 2017 Upcoming Events:

- Illiano's JPII Night Date TBD
- Middle School Event Date TBD
- Butter Braid Delivery & Pick Up on 3/17

Open Discussion - Q&A:

- Paint night fundraiser – On the border (Christine Filush to obtain details)

- H.S.A future fundraiser initiative fee to opt out of fundraiser participation; per family opt out; \$300 is the proposed amount; no definitive answer for 2017/2018 school year; only would pertain to 3 or 4 large fundraisers
- Room parents are requesting an update on parent volunteer hours; should be sent out by JPII office within the week of 2/13
- Hartford Marathon Water Spot April 9th Water Spot located on Wadsworth St & Long Lane, Middletown; Tina Rideout has contact but cannot chair — JPII to sponsor; Kids and parents, would require at least 15-20 volunteers – 4 hour commitment – Jamilla Ranno to chair event and coordinate – opportunity for students to be involved in a community event – advertise JPII.