

# St. Hilary School Board Meeting Minutes



## Date:

April 10, 2018

## Attendees:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Eppink	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Arnone
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Goske	<input type="checkbox"/>	Brunovsky
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	McGrath	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Camerato
<input type="checkbox"/>	Peterson	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sinopoli
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Redle	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reese		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Towell		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Woodburn		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Woodman		

Additional Attendees:

### **1. Opening Prayer**

### **2. Welcome**

- a. School Board attendees for upcoming Parish Council / Finance Council meetings discussed
  - i. Finance Council (3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday each month) – 4/17: TBD
  - ii. Parish Council (4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday each month) – 4/24: Paul Goske
- b. Year end open School Board positions = Four
  - i. Six candidates have applied – voting ends on 4/17

### **3. Pastor's Report – Fr. Steve absent (L. Camerato provided update)**

- a. 8<sup>th</sup> grade Confirmation Mass to be celebrated at 4 PM Saturday – Bishop Perez (Celebrant)
  - i. Suggestion was made to video tape homily / post online if possible
- b. 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of St. Hilary Parish in August
  - i. Bishop Perez to celebrate Mass
- c. New Church Fabric / Painting project is complete
- d. New School roof in process of quoting
- e. For next school year – all grade levels will have three classes

### **4. Marketing Report – D. Sinopoli (absent illness)**

- a. Report emailed to School Board members in advance)
  - i. 66 registered incoming kindergarteners
  - ii. Kindergarten screening is this week (4/12 & 4/13)
  - iii. Have heard from all but 17 of our students in grades K-7 as to their plans for next year.
    - 1. Reaching out to non-confirmed parents to finalize
    - 2. Majority of students will be returning, with just a handful not coming back, mostly due to family relocations or transportation logistics.
  - iv. Shadow visits and tours for potential students across the grades continue
    - 1. Expect all the current interest to pay off in the next few months
  - v. Overall enrollment looks strong for 2018-2019

**5. Principal's Report – T. Arnone**

- a. St. Hilary has contracted author Jessie Weinberger ("Boogieman in Pocket")
  - i. 1 hour per grade session (4<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grade)
  - ii. 2 hour parent talk (4/18 7-9 PM) to share data collected / perspective
    - 1. Non-St. Hilary parents welcome to join, but data will be St. Hilary based
  - iii. Funded using St. Hilary Professional Development Funding
- b. iPad update
  - i. Students are allowed to take iPads home after school again
  - ii. Scheduled policy compliance audits
    - 1. One classroom audit per week
    - 2. Random classrooms chosen
    - 3. Audit during school Mass

**6. Business Manager's Report – L. Camerato**

- a. St. Hilary School will hook up to the Fairlawn GIG for their internet needs
  - i. Offers faster speeds / more bandwidth (10-fold bandwidth increase)
  - ii. Will allow for Fairlawn Police department to remotely access school video feeds in case of emergency

**7. Parents' Association – J. Towell**

- a. St. Hilary Celebration was another big success raising more than \$80k
  - i. Soliciting volunteers for Co-chairs for next years event
- b. Parents' Association has three openings to fill and currently three candidates
- c. Field Day scheduled for May 24<sup>th</sup>
- d. Volunteer Appreciation Day scheduled for May 29th

**8. Closing Prayer**