

## Student Council Meeting

January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Present: Fr. Haggerty, Fr. Fischer, Jen Palmquist, Mike Pesek, Lisa Kreutner, Rob VanLaecken, Greg Hanson, Adam Raml and Becca Briggs

Opening prayer led by Fr. Fischer  
Meeting called to order by Mike  
Agenda approved by Rob and Lisa  
Minutes approved by Rob and Lisa

Welcome Adam Raml from Holy Rosary as a new council member

### Principals Report-Becca Briggs

- Raffle ticket sales will start Friday. They are increasing the goal in sales to help make up for the loss of the dinner theater fundraiser this year
- Enrollment for next year starts January 19<sup>th</sup>, opens to pastorate members February 9<sup>th</sup>, and to the public February 21<sup>st</sup>.
- Marketing for the upcoming registration session will include student council member blips and interviews with Mrs. Briggs on the radio and ads placed on the electronic billboard. We are also looking into the possibility of securing a permanent billboard.
- Summer KOT registration will follow a similar pattern to ensure that IC students receive a spot if desired.
- The accreditation review is submitted and will zoom with Mrs. Briggs to discuss on January 30<sup>th</sup>.
- The Watertown School District has released a plan, not approved yet, that McKinley will be a pre-k and k center. The pre-k offered by them will still be a ½ day.
- Catholic schools week is still in the planning stages for the daily activities. Students will still be doing daily service/gratitude projects to include treats to the parish staff, police and fire departments, and the school transportation employees. They are also planning on making tie blankets for Sleep in Heavenly Peace.
- Will start working on the 2024-2025 school year budget next month
- Golf Tournament will be June 7<sup>th</sup>. The golf course has raised the price to have the tournament on a Friday so price per team will need to increase slightly to cover the difference.

### Set Ablaze Update-Fr. Haggerty

- There will be town hall meetings in January, February, and March. The one in March will be specifically to discuss the school
- Pastorate name will be announced soon

Financial Report will be at the next meeting

Next meeting will be February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Closing prayer led by Fr. Haggerty

Submitted by: Jennifer Palmquist, Secretary