# Waukesha Catholic Board of Directors Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023 - 6:00 pm - St. William Campus

**Members Present:** Nick Hudzinski, Angela Hendrix, Nancy Knapp, Jill Larson, Marisela Marchan, Mary Ann Prager, Fr. Chuck Wrobel

Members Absent: Elizabeth Brzeski, Frank Franco, Joe Fricano, Matthew Harris,

Staff Present: Joseph Heinecke, Lisa Kovaleski, Lidia Sobierajski

Meeting Opened at 6:03

1. Opening Prayer - Lisa Kovaleski

#### 2. Recitation of Waukesha catholic Mission Statement:

Waukesha Catholic instills faith and inspires futures by nurturing each child's gifts with an education rooted in the gospel values and a culture of community, compassion, and love.

### 3. Parent/Parishioner Comments/Concerns

No parent or parishioner comments or concerns

#### 4. Old Business

Approve August meeting minutes.

• Nick Hudzinski motions to approve the minutes as written, Nancy Knapp seconds, and ALL approved.

#### 5. New Business

- Revised Budget
  - o Reviewed updated budget provided by the finance committee.
  - It requires a vote for approval.
  - Not enough members present to pass the vote (2/3 of the board members need to be present for a vote)
  - Lisa will reach out to Elizabeth to send an electronic vote to approve the revised budget.

#### Before/After Care

- Both campuses have Before/After care, there are staffing challenges in always maintaining 2 staff members.
- Actively recruiting candidates with little success
- SNSP-Special Needs Scholarship Program
  - School will participate in information session.
- Busing update
  - School was informed of buses driver shortages during Labor Day weekend impacting
    bus routes with 58 students.

- Waukesha district provides updates on the transportation website.
  - Hiring bonus are being offered.
  - Only 4% of applicants make it thru the application and interview process.

## 6. System Reports

- Principal's Report Lisa Kovaleski
  - o No additional information to add, no questions from the board.
- Development Report Lidia Sobierajski
  - o Report provided in pre-read
  - Catholic School Walk is scheduled for October 14, 2023, with a fundraising goal of \$45,000
- Admissions & Marketing Report Meghan Gorzalski/Lisa Kovaleski
  - o Report provided in pre-read
  - o No additional information to add
- Business Manager Report
  - o Report provided in pre-read, No additional comments.

# 7. Committee Reports

# **Standing Committees**

- 1. Finance
- The Finance Committee revised the budget.
- School choice audit
- 2. Admissions & Marketing
  - Committee has not met.
- 3. Technology
  - Committee has not met.
- 4. Mission & Catholic Identity
  - Committee has not met.
- 5. Governance
  - Committee has not met.
  - Committee will meet at ad hoc.
- 6. Development
  - Committee has not met.

## **Affiliated Organizations**

1. Athletics

- Volleyball
- Seton tournament will be at the end of October.
- 2. Home & School
  - Hosted a social
  - Hosting grandparents' day on September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

# 8. Parish and Pastoral Council Updates

- The Celebration of the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Hispanic Mass was successful.
  - o Over 1000 members of the Catholic Community of Waukesha participated in mass
  - Over 1600 member of the Catholic Community of Waukesha participated in the celebration
- 9. Next Meeting: Wednesday, October 25, 2023 at 6:00 pm St. William Campus
- 10. Closing Prayer Lisa Kovaleski