

## PHT MEETING MINUTES

3/8/07

The meeting was called to order at 7:10 p.m.; Jenni Corbett led us in prayer.

**In Attendance:** Parents in attendance represented 11 primary (K-4) students and 3 middle school (5-8) students. There was 1 member of staff/faculty in attendance.

### **REPORTS AND UPDATES**

#### **Principal Report:**

**Conferences** – Thank you to PHT for supplying dinners for conferences. It makes it much easier on the teachers.

**Enrollment** – There are currently 245 students enrolled for the 2007-2008 school year. There are still openings available, so continue to invite your friends and neighbors to check out St. Raphael's school. A welcome letter will be going out to all NEW families before spring break. PHT will also include a letter in that mailing.

**School Calendar** – Dates are being set for events for the 2007-2008 school year. The Rake-a-thon is scheduled for Friday, October 26, 2007. Catholic Schools Week will be January 26 – February 1, 2008.

#### **School Advisory Committee:**

**Wine & Beer Tasting** – April 20, 2007. Invitations have gone out to all families. Please invite your friends and neighbors to also attend. Each grade has chosen a theme for a basket to be put on the silent auction. Parents should be sending their donations (merchandise or money) to school during the month of March to their student's teacher.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

**Magazine Drive:** We will have a final amount of the money raised from Magazine Drive at the April PHT meeting. The earnings from magazine drive help fund PHT and wish lists for the teachers over the summer.

**Box Tops:** So far this school year, we have earned about \$2400 from cutting the Box Tops for Education. Please continue to cut and save them over the summer.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

**Conference Dinners:** There is still some money left over for next year's conference dinners.

**Sock Hop:** Sock Hop date is Friday, May 4. We still need volunteers to help that night, doing pictures, concessions, tickets, etc. Please contact Mary Wollman at [mariawollman6@aol.com](mailto:mariawollman6@aol.com) or 763-557-7258 to sign-up for a work time

**Staff Appreciation Dinner:** The yearly staff appreciation dinner is scheduled for May 18 at Marian Hall. To volunteer, please e-mail Jenni Corbett at [jnccorbett@msn.com](mailto:jnccorbett@msn.com).

**Maud Hart Lovelace:** Sr. Therese Ann has asked for a small donation to fund a pizza party for the students who participated in the Maud Hart Lovelace book club throughout the school year. It was motioned by Suzanne Crane, second by Karel Hoffman to pay up to \$50 for the Lovelace party.

Meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m. Next meeting is Thursday, April 12, 2007, 7:00, room 22.

The final meeting of the year will be Thursday, May 10, 2007 at 7:00 p.m., room 22. The May meeting is where we will be going over teachers wish lists for next school year.

**All parents/guardians of students at St. Raphael's school are members of PHT (Parents Helping Teachers). Please mark your calendars to join us at future meetings.**