

## St. Jude Council Meeting Minutes

Thursday, Dec. 10, 2015

**Attendees:** Father Mainzer, Danelle Urban, Gary Pond, Susan Hale, Matt McCall, ~~Larry Menestrina, Jean Cruziero,~~  
Kim Chacon, Sarah Pedruzzi

### Prayer

**Nov. Minute Review / Approval:** Approved

### Principal's Update

Subway Fundraiser almost completed.

Veteran's Day – presenter talked about Father Kapaun.

West side schools working on pamphlet for realtors. We want our schools to be known to others.

Raised \$800 to date for the Adopt-a-Family.

Christmas program is next week for K-5.

### School Security

The proposal needed revisions. The new bid is \$27,500. We currently have \$16,000 guaranteed toward the project. Kim is looking into a potential donor for additional monies.

Goal is to try to get school security implemented over Spring Break.

### Strategic Plan Review

Council will receive updated strategic plan for review. **Council to look over the Diocesan Priority: Unity and be prepared to share additions, changes, or exclusions for that section at the Jan. meeting.**

### Announcements and Open Comments

Increase Enrollment:

- Considering an Open House the week of Catholics School Week
- Targeted invitees include people who have kids eligible for school
- Open House to include tours, lunch, and presentation
- **Council: Send Danelle key points to hit on during the tour**

Cell Phone Policy

- Discussed new cell phone policy
- Possible exception form to be developed
- Discipline for kids who have phones on them during school hours

Virtus Training

- Discussed every household having 1 parent Virtus trained

Council Comments:

Father Mainzer:

- Survey result - 50% Diocesan participation at mass

Next School Council meeting – Thursday, Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> @ 5:30 p.m. @ St. Jude.