

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
SCHOOL BOARD MEETING MINUTES
MAY 6, 2008**

- President Chris Yarnell called the meeting to order. Those in attendance were: Jennifer Cassmeyer, Jill Struempf, Father Dolan, Christie Linsenbardt, Chris Yarnell, Jill Kliethermes, Melissa Lorts, Jocelyn Strand, Vic Rackers, Kevin Yanskey, Lori Kempker, and Jim Macy.

COMMITTEE & OTHER REPORTS:

President's Report:

Mr. Yarnell opened the meeting with a prayer.

April's meeting minutes were read and approved.

Pastor's Report:

Father Pat would like to see more structure at our board meetings for efficiency. He also suggested potluck dinners in the cafeteria prior to school board meetings for all parishioners so that we can get to know one another better. Another suggestion by Father Pat was to compile carpool lists to help save gas money for our families.

Principal's Report:

No report. This being Mrs. Cassmeyer's last meeting as Principal of Immaculate Conception, a gift of appreciation was presented to her from the school board.

Finance Committee:

The budget will be finalized in June by the Parish Council.

Home & School Association:

Mr. Yanskey announced the new Home & School officers: Sheri LePage – President, Joe Schaefer – Vice President, Lisa Berendzen – Treasurer, and Lynn Shea – Secretary. Mr. Yanskey and the board members discussed collection of funds from parents; and \$80 activity fee per child was suggested. Further discussion of fees will be held at a later date. IC logo shirts will be provided by Laura Payne; a sample of the logo will be included with the order forms. Shirts will be approximately \$12.

Technology Committee:

Mrs. Struempf reported that computers were ordered from IBM for the upper lab.

Publicity & Public Relations Committee:

No report.

Parish Council:

Mrs. Strand reported that Christ Highway is moving to the corner of Clark & McCarty Streets in the future because it is blocking the view of the new statue. The worship committee will have a blessing/dedication for the organ and statue on June 1st. The marble color behind the statue will be changed so the Blessed Mother will be more prominent. Air conditioning was approved for Kennedy Hall with some of the funds provided by the Immaculata Club for three years. The renovation is complete at the old Gerbes property; a 5-year lease has been signed by Furniture for Less.

Long-Range Planning:

Father Ben will talk with children in grades 1-7 about Africa on May 21.

Other Business:

- Mr. Yarnell reminded board members of the retirement reception for Mrs. Szabados.
- Debbie Kolb and Janie Wyrick were elected to IC's school board.
- Mrs. Connor's son, Mark, is making slow progress in his recovery. The insurance has run out and he is moving home with his parents.
- Future training for new school board members is being sought.
- Vocation Day will be held 5/9/08 at McClung Park with many presenters scheduled.

There being no further business, Mr. Yarnell adjourned the meeting with a prayer. The next meeting of the IC School Board is set for August 5, 2008.

Father Dolan, Pastor

Jennifer Cassmeyer, Principal

Rena Kuster, Secretary