

<p>Members in Attendance</p>	<p><i>Cate Nelson, Kathy Linton, Bizz Browning, Nicole Richard, Chris Norris, Tim Clark, Katie Harber, Laura Casey, Amy Calridge, Lynae Louie, Jen McCoughan, Lauren Quebedeaux</i></p>	
<p>Agenda Item</p>	<p>Discussion</p>	<p>Motion/ Recommendation</p>
<p>Call to Order/Prayer</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Jen McCoughan began the meeting at approximately 6:35 with a prayer. 	
<p>Principal Report</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Dr Barrett only passed on what he wished to be discussed about the Reading Circle will discuss later. 	
<p>School Board Report:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Kathy Linton who is on the school board stated that the school board discussed the upcoming accreditation, buildings and they are working on the search for a new principle. 	
<p>Ongoing Business</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● PTVO Central Signup <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Working with the school to possibly put it on the website. ○ Talked about printing off the calendar for parents to see offline, possibly posted outside the office. ● Reading Circle <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Book list has been selected ○ Dr. Barrett is passionate about the book circle, hoping it will help parents create a community. He has created a list that has to do with Catholic Education ○ Would like community members interested to select a book from the list and that person would be the MC for that book and summarize it - not presenting, but helping the discussion. ○ Two questions would be answered about books. ○ Discussed having the book circle in a home of those that signed up or maybe see if some place like the Fire Tower would host after hours. ○ Talked about having Lauren advertise and then sending out a sign up. ● Library Move <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ No help needed at this time. ● Virtue of the Quarter <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ At this time they don't need volunteers, Mrs. Browning stated it is going really well and is super easy. ○ Would be nice to have some funds for the \$10 Big Dipper gift cards. ○ Also discussed free ideas like free dress, old griffin wear, or something like that. ● Fall Fest <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Kara Olmstead was not at the meeting to give an update on getting helpers for Fall Fest, but Jen McCaughan will check with her later. ○ Need a couple of parents to supervise a few booths and count money from the pumpkin contest. 	<p>Decided to promote reading circle and publish a book list. Put out a sign up and then have the group agree on a location to mee.</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mrs. Browning asked how the Pumpkin contest was done in the past because she has been told they had done it wrong the last few years. It was decided the fundraising portion of voting with money was the part that has been missing. ● Gaga pits and Basketball Hoops <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mrs. Hurley is still looking for volunteers to put these up. Please contact her for details. ○ Brought up visibility issues for recess monitors. May need more monitors depending on where gaga pits are installed. ○ Jen McCaughan is going to talk to Mrs. Hurley to see where they are going to be placed. ● Book Fair at Teacher Conference <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mrs. Amos is still interested in running. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Good News Book Fair doesn't have a distribution center close enough to us to have a physical book fair. They are willing to offer us a virtual one. ○ Consensus was to look for other book fair options. ○ It was suggested that we do it on a different night since children don't often come to our Parent Teacher Conferences. ○ Usborne books was brought up but apparently had the same concerns as Scholastic, just not to the same scale. ● Missoula Children's Theater update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Lauren Quebedeaux said she had 23 families participate with one or both parents helping. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ It went really well this year. ■ Meeting with Mrs. French on how to make MCT run smoother next year ■ She will be putting out a survey ■ Made over \$1000 ● Classroom Parents <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Lynae Louie will reach out to the last teachers and see if they still need them or if they can contact their students' parents and maybe they will have more success. ● Turkey Trot <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Kathy Linto is on board to help setup. Contact Kathy if interested in helping. fireweedhumanpreformance@hotmail.com ○ We want it to be a fundraiser and a community event, not a free event. ○ Crossroads is doing a turkey trot this year, and we decided to do a different date. ○ Jingle Trot, St Andrew Feast Run, Trinity Run are examples of possible fun run names. ○ She needs 45 days to plan, and needs insurance which will be a couple hundred dollars. ○ Permits needed depending on route. ○ Kathy has a couple routes planned depending on days. ○ Biz recommended not May, but maybe April or March ● Prayer Group <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Music annex if out before 9:00 MWF 	<p>Look for other options to have a physical book fair, pick date once known.</p> <p>Jen McCaughan will meet with administration and pick a date in the Spring.</p>
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<p>New Business</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● November ½ day event <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ No ½ day in October. ○ Where to go? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Call and see if Ice Skating is available? ■ Bowling ■ Trampoline park ■ Matinee, Movie at Cinemark ■ Jen will call. ● Alyce Lachney has proposed a small coffee and donut sale during drop off this week. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Replace garage sale fundraisers with small fundraisers like this? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Won't work at drop off. ● The Cathedral is hosting a "Trunk or Treat" and has invited St. Andrew to participate. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Sounds like we are going to try to have the high school kids transfer the Fall Fest booths to the event and the HS kids can earn community service hours that way. ○ The PTVO has also been encouraged to host a booth. Who would like to head this up? Jen McCaughan will be unavailable that day. It's on Oct 31. ○ PTVO decorates a trunk and provides candy. How much Candy? 8 bags of Costco size candy. ● There is interest in using Griffin Wear as a fundraiser. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Tote bags, bumper stickers, ● Pasta Sales <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Amy May ○ Delivers for us. ○ Suggested date March 19 feast of St Joseph ● Extracurriculars and Clubs Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Alyce Lachney <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Wasn't able to attend. ● Encourage folks to bring someone new to the PTVO meeting ● Oct. 5th is international teacher day 	<p>Jen McCaughan is going to make calls and see what is available and within our expected costs.</p> <p>Decided this won't work with the congestion at drop off. Maybe include as part of the prayer group on Friday.</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Easy idea to acknowledge them?○ Fancy coffee and treats● November is international student's month and the school would like to host an event for the international students and incorporate the wider international community.<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ We have 5 international students○ Want to have them prepare food from their countries and share with the community.○ Talking about doing on a Saturday and doing it with some Carroll students and other international people○ When Jen McCaughan has more information will put out volunteer opportunities.● GG would like PTVO to do as much as we can to promote school through our events.● Parent-teacher conference meal<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Would anyone like to take on organizing the PT conference meals? Signup Genius, making sure someone is there to do setup and clean up.○ Jen McCaughan will just handle● Other Pip Opportunities<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ All for God's Glory Dinner (GG)○ Veterans Day Celebration<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Snacks, front office, who's contact person?○ Picture Day<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Front office	<p>Decide to do coffee and treats this week.</p> <p>Jen McCaughan is going to reuse old Signup Genius and handle this.</p>
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<p>General Discussion</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Where should teachers go when they have needs? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ First, reach out to class ○ Teachers are working on creating registries for them to track what they need. Create 4 for a group of classes. ○ Administration does want to see lists so they know, in case they can help provide through budget or other means. ○ Biz is going to go back to the teacher in charge of creating a registry to get more information. ● Jen talked about our Newsletter. ● Biz brought up accreditors wanting a parent night week of Oct 31. Will do on Tuesday Nov 1. ● After school program: the school does not have anyone who can run the program as of yet. See the YMCA after school program. ● Jen went over fundraising with GG. We are more than welcome to fundraise. ● Scrip program and other programs money goes to the school, won't be able to use for PTVO. ● Raise Right is the scrip app <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Nicole Richard, quickly presented it to us, will possibly talk more at next meeting. ○ St. Andrew code 24FCE46A29369 ○ You can buy gift cards online. ○ Nicole will do the buying physical gift card sales 3 times a year. ○ She can also do large denominations 	
<p>Next Meeting</p>	<p>Next meeting: November 7, 2022</p>	
<p>Adjourn</p>	<p>The meeting was closed with a prayer from Jen McCaughan 8:23.</p>	