



Charger Parent Teacher Organization Minutes

Thursday, October 9th, 2025, at 6:30 in the MPR

Attendees: Kelsey Kersting, Ashley Keen, Danica Wilcox, Micaela Rahm, Jon Wiebers, and Natalie Julin-McCleary

- Opening Prayer
- Introductions and out of uniform pass Next Friday October 16th
- Financial Update: Renae McMahon had question on St. Nick's Shop budget.
 - Renae McMahon had request for \$300 more for St. Nick's Shop
 - Motion made by Ashley Keen and seconded by Micaela Rahm. Motion carried.
- Volunteer Coordinator:
 - Sign-up Genus for Fall activities
 - Early Fall activities are still at the top of the list and we suspect that many parents are not going to the second page on Sign-Up Genus.
 - Mr. Wiebers will send a follow-up email.
- Social Coordinator:
 - Halloween Trunk or Treat – October 25th | 5PM Mass | 6PM Meal | 6:30 Trunk or Treat
 - Donations are coming in.
 - Hot Dogs – Buy
 - Event is out on Facebook
 - Volunteers are looking good.
 - We still need someone to run the dinner
 - Father approved for kids to wear costumes to Mass.
 - Conference Dinners
 - NinjaU Night - November 7th | 6-8PM | \$10 per person
 - 3rd Grade to 8th Grade
 - We are considering letting the 2nd grades to attend too.
 - St. Nick's Santa Shop - Set-up on December 3rd
 - Shopping will be December 3rd through December 9th

- Still need more bags. Renae will be asking Knight of Columbus and Catholic Daughters.
- Luck out with Prime Day.
- Need more Pet Toys.
- Volunteers - We will ask Catholic daughters again many of them are grandmothers or moms of students. We obviously do not want to over ask them, but this event does not take a lot of volunteers. It is a good fit with their schedule and is pretty fun for them. It's also nice for them to see the event and why we go through so many gift bags.
- Fall Uniform Drive is coming up
- Peaches – talked about starting peach sales again and what was done in the past.
- Teacher Update: Natalie Julin-McCleary
 - Individual meetings with students - life skills, big feelings, coping, and career exploration.
 - Just completed 198 meeting with each student to build connection.
 - Leadership jobs have begun.
 - Fire Drill is coming up.
 - Red Ribbon Week is coming up at end of October.
- Principal Update:
 - 5th and 6th graders are starting Duolingo.
 - Final detail on Spanish in the Spring.
 - Facilities planning is underway and looking at the next 5-10 years.
 - Music concerts are planned in December.
 - New staff are settling in.
 - 1st and 2nd grade classroom separation is working well.
 - Multi Age Classrooms do work well in grades 3rd to 8th
 - Ability to work in small and large groups
 - Focus on their level academically
 - Pace can be different

2025-2026 Meeting Schedule

~~September 11~~

January 8

~~October 9~~

February 12

November 13

April 9

May 14