

Notre Dame PTO Minutes 03/19/25

In Attendance:

- Cathie Lanker
- Becky Morgan
- Stefanie Behr
- Sarah Grable
- Stacie Bookhagen

Discussion:

- Treasury report:
 - Current balance \$10,354.47
- Fundraisers for next year
 - Instead of conducting smaller fundraisers, do a couple bigger events:
 - One in Fall
 - One in Spring
 - o Some ideas: Meat Raffle, Trivia Night, Night at the Races
- APEX
 - Abbott: 3/25 4/3
 - Pep Rally launches March 25th at noon
 - REMIX dance party April 3rd 9:30am 2pm
 - 3 different time slots through Sign Up Genius online
 - o Okell: 3/24 4/4
 - Launches March 24th
 - Color Games April 4th at 12:45pm
 - 3-4 parent volunteers needed with leaf blowers (Sign Up Genius)
 - o Money to be used to purchase folding chairs and Gaga Ball Pits
- Teacher Appreciation Week (May 5th 9th)
 - Meeting Monday, March 24th at 5:30pm
- School Principal's Day is May 1st
- Family Nights
 - Planning for Get Air in April
 - Thursdays only 5pm close
 - Entire place for Notre Dame families and receive 20% of sales back.
- Virtus Training
 - Needed by anyone who is volunteering within the school
 - Online training
- Field Day Committee
 - o Parent volunteers needed for both Abbott and Okell campuses to help plan the days
- Diocesan Art Exhibition (May 13th 6pm 8pm)

- o PTO to provide refreshments on opening night
- o Parent volunteers needed to help out and make snacks/treats
- Night of the Arts
 - o Date is currently May 28th at 4:30pm
- Science Fair/Stream Day
 - o April 30th 5pm 8pm
 - o Volunteers needed for Bake Sale and set up
- Fr. Jim Kirkpatrick is the new Parochial Vicar for the South Buffalo Catholic Family of Parishes. He will also be assisting at the school.
 - o In the Catholic Church, a parochial vicar, also known as an assistant pastor, is a priest who assists the pastor in carrying out the pastoral ministry of a parish, working under the pastor's authority and in common counsel.