

Prep Mom's Monthly Meeting Topics

Agenda Item:	January 10, 2017 Discussion/Decisions Made	Person Reporting
Opening Prayer	Discussion: Mr. Jim Bopp opened the meeting in prayer, one that he feels speaks well to our boys and it resonated with the Moms too!	Mr. Jim Bopp
Introductions	Discussion: Moms represented all grade levels at this meeting.	Prep Moms
Principal's Report	<p>Discussion: Mr. Bopp covered many topics in his report, here are the highlights:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Operation Others</u> Mr. Bopp was so impressed at seeing how our community came together to serve others. Over 1,200 families were served. He said this event really "captures the spirit of Prep". • <u>New Football helmets</u> New helmets for all levels of our football program will start using new helmets with concussion sensors in the 2017 season. These helmets notify coaches when a player is at risk. Mr. Schinzel and Mr. Kleber were instrumental in getting these implemented. Prep is the first HS in Omaha to implement these helmets school wide. • <u>Breakfast by Flik</u> Breakfast is now available to the boys in our cafeteria, through Flik. This can be accessed through a funded account, as lunches were funded in the past. • <u>Pilot Classroom</u> There is a classroom across from the staff lounge serving as an active learning classroom with desks and chairs that facilitate this learning environment. • <u>Jesuits @ Prep</u> There are three more Jesuits coming to Prep this semester. Administration is interviewing for a regent as well. There are presently 9 members of the Jesuit community at Prep. • <u>Mr. John Naatz</u> A familiar and very valued member of the Prep Community returned to Prep as Assistant to the President. Mr. Naatz is working 3 days a week....working with faculty, staff, alumni and parents. • <u>Strategic Plan Developed</u> A plan has been developed through 2028 (150 yr. anniversary of Prep). It is a 10 to 12 yr. plan emphasizing these areas: 1.) Innovative Learning 2.) Restructure salary scale for faculty 3.) Sustainable growth (keeping tuition affordable) 4.) Inclusive environment for students, faculty and staff, summer programming, Loyola Scholarships 5.) Faith Formation (Recognizing students at graduation in this area) 6.) Global Reality we live in, introducing programs our students could participate in such as a student exchange program 	Mr. Jim Bopp

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Freshman Christmas Dance	Discussion: The dance was held on December 3 rd and was well attended. Freshman parents contributed greatly to the success.	Stacey Burke
Faculty Staff Christmas Cookies	Discussion: The boxes were assembled and delivered to staff on December 8 th . 125 boxes were made possible by all who donated!	Judy Pritza
Operation Others Workers Lunch	Discussion: The response for financial donations to fund this lunch was outstanding. There were 230 adults served. Arby's Owner & Prep Friend made a substantial donation which made this luncheon a success and provided Prep the opportunity to donate over half of the monetary donations back to Operation Others.	Toody Moffat
Maintenance Crew Breakfast	Discussion: Hot casseroles, donuts and pastries were served to the crew over Christmas break. There was enough food donated that it lasted the guys 2 days! All donations were greatly appreciated!	Christine Flint
8th Grade Scholarship & Entrance Exam	Discussion: More volunteers are needed for both of these events....January 14 th and February 11 th .	Wendy Prosser
6th & 7th Scholarship and Entrance Exam	Decision: Julie Dunbar will send out a Volunteer Sign Up through the Prep Pulse as well as email communication.	Julie Dunbar
Freshman Costume Dance	Discussion: This event is scheduled for Friday February 10 th .	Stacey Burke
Faculty Staff Lunches & Future	Discussion: Philly sandwiches and salads will be served to the staff on January 24 th . There have been a lot of changes with staff participation in lunches due to the Flik program. It was discussed that next year we may move to dinners that would correspond to parent teacher conferences or other times when faculty would be more likely to participate. Decision: The committee for next year will decide on the best way to serve the staff and utilize our volunteer cooks.	Lynn Weist Ann Tjaden

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Mom Prom	<p>Discussion: Mom Prom will be held on Monday February 13th @ The Ramada Inn. Invitations are coming via US Mail this year. There is a SignUpGenius for the raffle and to sign up for contributions. Monies that are generated from Mom Prom are used to fund Post Prom.</p> <p>Decision: It was discussed that next year there will be an email link to register for Mom Prom.</p> <p>Decision: Options for Post Prom venue were discussed</p>	Kelly Hickey

Future Meetings: March 7th @ 7:00 p.m. Prep Hall of Fame Room
April 4th @ 7:00 p.m. Prep Hall of Fame Room