

# Immaculate Conception School Board Agenda

## August 20, Garden Level, 7:00 pm

1. **Opening Prayer**

2. **Roll:** Jolene Sasser, Jessica Wachtel, Andrea Bodinet, Bill Gregozeski, Brandy Dohle, Marie Grastle, Jim Schuette, Mark Verticchio, Barb Baum, Jessica Strabley, Justin Knobloch, Susie Funk, Fr. Steve, Mr. Gregson, Kara Dell-Hunt

3. **Parents and Friends Report:**

- Parents & Friends participated in the back to school night by hosting an ice cream truck for students and parents.
- We have a sign-up genius going on now for people to sign up for room parents and committee members.
- Bags & Bubbly will be this Thursday, Aug 22
- Our first Moms' Night Out event of the year is this Saturday, Aug 24, with Brunch at Annbriar (11am).
- Our first meeting will be Monday September 9th in the garden level
- P&F donated \$50,000 to the capital campaign and have pledged 25,000 a year for the next three with the ambition of contributing 50,000 a year for the next three if our fundraising efforts continue to be successful.

4. **Pastoral Council Report:**

Will Meet next week.

5. **Faculty Report:** Resource Department

**Resource Expectations:** Our overall goal for middle & upper grade students in Resource is to prepare them for future grades & high school. What does that look like...

- We will work with your child to navigate their learning struggles & ways to adapt learning to help them succeed.
- We will teach your child to be an advocate for themselves & their education which means asking teachers for help when struggling, asking for copies of the notes if they didn't get it, getting extra help, etc.
- We will work to develop the tools & study habits they need to be successful in later grades & high school.
- Resource is not a study hall to complete homework. Our purpose is to help the learning stick & further the learning happening in the classroom to increase success. *Remember:* Success looks different for every student, meaning an A is not the only measure of success. Your child's success will mean working to the best of his/her ability.

I will be at school on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Fridays, & Mrs. Cole ([lcole@icsmail.org](mailto:lcole@icsmail.org)) will be here Mondays & Thursdays. Please put us both on any emails regarding your child, so we are both always in the loop.

**Parent Expectations:** As a parent myself, I know home life is hectic. But, we ask you to take time each night & check in with your child. Check Homework Central & ask them where they are at in the steps of a project, have they studied for a test coming up, etc. We also ask that you help them stay organized; go through their folder each night, help them get work packed away, etc.

## 6. **Committee Reports:**

- A. Teacher/Employee Committee:  
Nothing at this time.
  
- B. Community Engagement Committee: Discussion about removing the snack table for Meet the Teacher Night moving forward. Parade went well. Pictures looked great of the parade. Signs and bags were well received. Future email about sign return.
  
- C. Curriculum Committee: No report but looking forward to the upcoming year with focus on math curriculum discussions. Also eager to hear about how the curriculum scope and sequence develops over this school year!
  
- D. Student Activities Committee:  
Athlete of the Month : Farmers Insurance (Geoffrey McKay - ICS alumni)  
  
Help needed at the concession stand for Cross Country. We have 400 students running and have the opportunity to turn a good profit at this event. Help is needed and appreciated.  
  
Fall sports have started and all is going well so far. The Athletic Committee is tremendously appreciated and a welcome addition to ICS.  
Question asked about who to contact for the Athletic Committee.
  
- E. Budget Committee:  
Not a lot going on just yet with start of school. We're doing good. \$4,000 is overdue, with \$12 being from last year.

Some fees are due at the beginning of school, others are billed over the course of 9 months. Lunch is being billed out daily instead of weekly to help with family budgets.

F. Discernment Committee:  
Nothing at this time.

G. Building/Grounds Committee:  
A lot of permit work going on behind the scenes. Not a lot to report.

H. Strategic Planning Committee: Consideration of removing this committee. Mr. Gregson will discuss the Strategic Plan at the next meeting with the teachers. Board Members were encouraged to refresh their memories on the Strategic Plan to see how the committees can be implementing it.

7. **Principal's Report:**

Administrative Assistant: Lori Deffenbaugh

Cafe Manager: Hillary Hobbs

Resource Aide: Liz Cole

Classroom Aides: Taylor Cygan (kindergarten), Allie Sternau (1st grade),  
Courtney Schilling (PreK)

Afternoon Latchkey Director: Thomas Young

Cafeteria: Lynette Schreder, Donna Gardner, Jan Gleanzer, Earnie Schoellhorn,  
Deb Ross

Cafeteria and latchkey staff : all good

**ENROLLMENT:**

Preschool:	21
PreK:	33
Kindergarten:	41
1st:	46
2nd:	38
3rd:	46
4th:	40
5th:	36
6th:	30
7th:	41
8th:	29
TOTAL;	401

Triple Shine Cleaning Co - awesome

8. **Pastor's Report:**

Nothing to report, but offered to answer questions.

Anyone donating money can stipulate how they want it used in the campaign.  
Under 200 families have turned in a pledge card.

9. **Old Business:**

Padre Abdias is coming in September. Catie Evans will be helping to translate.  
School Board Members are encouraged to look at their calendars to see how they can participate.

10. **New Business:**

IC Picnic is coming soon. Please be generous with your time.