## ST. FRANCIS XAVIER Preschool - Grade 8



Elementary School Acushnet, Massachusetts

St. Francis Xavier School is a Catholic faith and academic community serving the students and families of St. Francis Xavier parish and surrounding communities. We strive to develop God's gifts in our students, faculty, and others, working in cooperation and mutual respect with humility and compassion. We live the teachings of our Lord, Jesus Christ, and His Holy Catholic Church, demonstrating our faith in action through our care for and service to one another.

## School Events Committee

Meeting Minutes

Monday, December 4, 2017

This month's meeting began promptly at 7pm, and opened with prayer.

Those in attendance at the meeting were: Michelle Russo, Haley Ketschke, Keri Borba, Jessica Ennis, Laura Guenette, Barbara Pereira, Melissa Maldonado, Angel Gauthier, Nellie Hotte, Raquel Antonio, Colleen Martin, Laura Duarte, Sarah Giroud, and Suzanne Hannigan.

On Monday December 4th we had an Advent/St.Francis Xavier prayer service. The students were gifted with rice pudding and a piece of artwork called the Miracles of St. Francis Xavier. We also kicked off our Advent families today as well with the theme "give to others".

**Fun Run!** Jocelyn Martins came in and presented to us about a Fun Run. We will be working with a company called Booster-thon. This will be held on the Wednesday of Catholic Schools Week (January 31st). This is two weeks on fun for the students. There will be a pep rally on Monday January 22nd. The theme is castle based and the company focuses on different leadership skills and virtues. Family pledges can be made as well as individual challenges all done online. There is no minimum pledge amount and every student will be able to participate. We have set a goal to raise \$15,000 for this event. Stay tuned for more information in future months. **St. Nicholas Feast Day**- We are meeting tomorrow to fill our students' shoes. Barbara is going to be delivering milk tomorrow to the school. Keri will be sorting cookies for each of the classes.

**Spaghetti Dinner** is scheduled for February 10th. Cindy Martins (K) is going to donate the sauce and Pasta House is donating the spaghetti. Trista St. Jean(4) is willing to help with planning the event.

**Vision 2022** please continue to encourage alumni to like our Facebook page and give their information.

**The Adventure**- Plans are underway for the Gala! Our first meeting with be next Monday November 11th at 7pm. Please join us if you are interested in helping us with the Gala.

Our next SEC meeting will be Monday, January 8, 2017 at 7pm in the library.

Meeting minutes taken by Haley Ketschke