

St. Mary's School Education Commission Meeting

October 12, 2022, 6:30pm

The meeting was called to order at 6:35pm by Matt Tobben with a prayer.

Members present: Principal Ron Kiesewetter, Christen Bergstresser, Whitney Blunier, Deanna Casey, Cindy Garber, Bill Kalman, Paul Kouri, Matt Tobben, Gerard Wigand, and consultant Cindy Byrd.

Members absent: Father David Kipfer

The minutes of the September 2022 meeting were reviewed and approved.

Principal's report: The new playground equipment is scheduled for delivery next week but will not be installed until the surrounding base mat project is complete. The school will participate in a hurricane relief fundraiser for St. Charles Borromeo grade school in Port Charlotte, FL on 10/19/22. The teaching staff attended the diocesan teacher institute on 10/07/22. Initial testing for the new school website will begin on 10/20/22 with training of the employees that will be able to add content to the site after. A program promoting reading by helping our students obtain new books will be held next week. Work on a promotional video continues and should be completed by 11/01/22.

Elections of officers for the 2022-2023 year were held. The Chairperson is Matt Tobben, the Vice Chairperson is Paul Kouri, and the Secretary is Deanna Casey.

The commission's by-laws were reviewed, and recommended revisions will be sent to all members for consideration before next month's meeting.

The committee reports were then given.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday, 11/09/22 at 6:30pm

The meeting was adjourned at 9:06pm by Matt Tobben with a prayer.