

Fathers' Club of St. Ursula School

Minutes of General Meeting, November 8, 2009

Call to Order at 7:49PM by President Steve Ports, meeting starting with a prayer to St. Joseph by Rob Commodari. 52 members in attendance, each received No-Uniform Passes for their children.

President's Report - Steve Ports

Recognized new members in attendance, whom introduced themselves. Steve thanked Marshall and the Fundraising Committee for organizing the Comedy Night, the night before, saying it was a success and noted 151 tickets were sold.

Vice President's Report - Rob Commodari

Talked about the Teachers' Christmas Dinner on 12/18, to be catered by Dave Quinn – any help would be appreciated

Treasurer's Report - Wayne Matheu

Club is in sound financial condition. Anyone who needs to pay dues can send it through school (Lauren 6A)

Secretary's Report - Joe Pucillo

Was absent at last month's meeting, minutes from October meeting will be published asap.

The SUFC website and email list will go through some maintenance during the next month or so – look for emails marked [SUFC] for more info. To join the list, see the instructions on the Fathers' Club website: <http://www.sufathersclub.org>

Social Committee - Mike Moscato - (410) 529-6817

Passed out No-Uniform passes for use on November 20th. SUFC will have a Skateland Party over the Christmas Holiday (December 28 from 3-6pm.) A flyer will go through school. Father – Son night was last month, and 33 kids played with their dads in the gym. Many had to stay home with the flu, but those who could go had a great time.

Maintenance Committee - Mark Hadaway - (410) 665-0869

One more camera needs to go up on the school building, and more projects will come up soon.

Fundraising Committee - Marshall Commodari - (443) 865-2300

Marshall thanked everyone for their help during the Comedy Night Fundraiser – initial returns showed about a \$2000 profit with 151 tickets sold, and some money earned on the 50/50 wheel. The comedians were good, gave a nice long show, and everyone in attendance seemed to have a good time. A good first-time fund raiser, which should be repeated in the future. **December Lotto Tickets on sale now.** Valentines Dance set for 2/13 in the gym with Appaloosa, tickets to go on sale soon. Golf Tournament date to be determined soon – either the first or second Friday in June.

Old business

Motion for \$900 donation to the basketball program, to help pay for court time for practice, tabled from the November meeting was voted and approved.

New business

Motion to donate \$1,200 for the SUS teachers' Christmas Dinner was tabled for vote at the December meeting.

\$50 moved and approved to pay the domain registration on the sufathersclub.org name for five years.

Motion to donate \$1,100 to the St. Ursula Band to purchase instruments for the school was tabled for vote at the December meeting.

Joe spoke with Kathy Bivons of the Environmental Club, who wished to have donated funds for the purchase of recycling bins and containers for prominent view at events such as the Harvest Festival, Spaghetti Dinner, etc. She will get more info on what she wants/needs and pass it along to the club. Also, Joe spoke with her about establishing a monthly paper drive, to help raise money for the school, which would be manned by the students, with SUFC's help. More info to follow.

Meeting adjourned at 8:28 PM

Next meeting on December 13 at 7:30 PM in the school auditorium. This is the **Fathers' Club Christmas Party**, please bring someone interested in joining the club, as well as an appetizer or dessert to share.

Check the website at www.sufathersclub.org for updates and details – event calendar is posted on home page.