



Immaculate Conception High School Alumnae Association

MEETING MINUTES February 15, 2018

Members Present: Anna Marie Gilson '61, Debby Grasso '74, Denise King '89, Khiana Duncan '14, Mary Ann Muto '70, Robin Manzo '73,

Members Excused: Dana Regan '88, Joann Beatrice '79, Kimberly Klain '90, Lisa Buono 75, Renee Gitto '91

Correspondence

- Sympathy Card sent to Sister of Arlene Jancsak Plutchok '64
- Get Well Card sent to Alan Lavery (husband of Dorothy Lavery) 1/18
- Nancy Salomone Eisenberg '66 - donation to cover shipping to St. Croix 1/18
- Jane Wojslawowicz '64 - donation to cover shipping to St. Croix 1/18
- Nadia Patane – Cucina de Nadia – support of ICHS Alumnae Assoc. Events with best wishes

Discussion

- **Collection for St. Croix**
 - Renee, JoAnn and Denise packaged and mailed 1/20
 - Received by Sue Diverio 2/14 with gratitude
- **Ad for Spring Musical**
 - All present voted in favor of sponsoring a half page ad (\$50) in the Playbill of the spring musical (42nd Street (April 20 & 21))
 - All agreed also that a policy should be in place to define parameters for contributions to school sponsored organizations. Robin will draft and distribute for review and discussion
- **Wine Tasting Fund Raiser**
 - Robin is checking into a possible fund-raising event where a vintner from Tuscany presents a selection of wines and accompanying foods for pairing. This would be limited to fewer than 50 attendees. Robin volunteered to host in her home. More information to follow.

➤ **Taste Of...**

Thursday, April 26, 2018

- Admission Ticket Pricing: Per January's Meeting Minutes, vote extended via email to members who were not present at meeting to increase Admission ticket price from \$30 to \$35.

➤ In Favor of increasing ticket price to \$35:

Denise King	Joann Beatrice
Khiana Duncan	Robin Manzo
Dana Regan	Coreen Sabat
Renee Gitto	

Total in favor of increasing ticket price to \$35: 7 members

➤ Not in favor of the Ticket price to \$35:

Debby Grasso	Lisa Buono
Kimberly Klain	Ann Marie Gilson
Mary Ann M	

Total not in favor of increasing the ticket price to \$35: 5 members

- Grand Prize Ticket Pricing: Per January's Meeting Minutes, vote extended via email to members who were not present at meeting to maintain past Grand Prize Ticket Price at \$25

In Favor of keeping the Grand Prize Raffle Price at \$25 per ticket:

Denise King
Robin Manzo
Khiana Duncan
Dana Regan
Renee Gitto
Joann Beatrice
Coreen Sabat
Lisa Buono
Kimberly Klain

Total in favor of keeping the Grand Prize Raffle at \$25 per ticket: 9 members

➤ In Favor of Lowering the Price of the Grand Prize Raffle Ticket:

Debby Grasso
Mary Ann Muto

Total in favor of lowering the price of Grand Prize Raffle Ticket: 2 members

No Vote/Undecided:

Ann Marie Gilson

Total Undecided: 1 member

- Per January's Meeting Minutes, Renee was able to secure a price of \$500 for printed (single color) envelopes with Taste of logo pre-printed. This is \$85 less than 2017 envelope cost. Vote taken via email.

In Favor of \$500 expenditure for pre-printed envelopes:

*Denise King
Robin Manzo
Dana Regan
Joann Beatrice*

*Kimberly Klain
Debby Grasso
MaryAnn Muto*

- Debby continues to solicit prize donations
- Denise has contacted many of the past participants and has added a few new ones to the list. Robin to follow up on remaining past participants
- Mr. Azzolino sent email to faculty and staff to encourage them to ask the restaurants they patronize to participate or to ask if we could mention their name and contact them directly
- Disney has not yet responded to our donation request, nor has ICHS Alumna. In order to print Grand Prize raffle flyer, information is needed ASAP.
- Envelopes and flyers (Sponsorship & Reservations are scheduled for delivery 2/17). Target mailing is week of March 5. Slight delay may be necessary based on Grand Prize flyer availability.
 - AnnaMarie has volunteered to ask the St. Joseph ladies group to help with stuffing envelopes
 - All present agreed to help with stuffing. Possible to get together to do this.
 - Debby suggested taking to Saddle Brook post office rather than Lodi as mail is sent from Lodi to Saddle Brook

Next Meeting Scheduled for March 15, 2018 at 6:30 pm in the Faculty Lounge of ICHS.

Respectfully submitted by:

Robin Dellraria Manzo '73