



Saint Michael School

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St. Michael School Board Minutes

Nov 7, 2025

I. **Opening prayer**-Dee 5:37 pm

II. **Mission Statement:** all

III. **Roll Call:** Mikki Edwards, Dee Powell, De Willman, Niki Ray, Dave Miller, Karen Gostomski, Lisa Smith, Michelle Charron, Claudia Perry; Diane Taylor-via zoom

IV. **Comments from the floor:** None at this date

V. **Approval of Minutes:** motion to approve-Dave, second-Mikki

VI. **Approval of Agenda:** motion-Claudia, second-Michelle

VI. Discussion/Updates

A: Board seats: Welcome Diane Taylor and it is reported Andrea St. John is interested-Karen to invite her.

B. Safety grant: 31AA unable to complete d/t a glitch in the system/ school liaison office section 5 to be applied to: FEMA grant was applied to

C Tuition donations from parishioners-clarification on how this is being allocated to students acct. correctly.

D. Advisory board vs school board- we all voted to word this as an advisory board as we do in fact advise the principal and staff.

E. Tuition rates/discounts- for the 26-27 school year the employees will continue with a discount for their children to attend

a. Increase- it was proposed that a 1% increase to parishoner/non-parishoner be implemented next school year. This will be addressed with Fr.

b. Tech fee-\$50/child will be implemented

F. Diocesan school board fall summit

a. admin/marketing-Lisa

b. Bldg and ground/finance-Diane

c. development-Mikki

d. Mission effectiveness-Michelle

VII. Committee reports:

A. Bldg/Grounds/Safety: 11/18 Sheriff Main will attend a assist with a bx threat assessment. This needs to be complete along with an EOP.

B. Marketing-Family game night, school Thanksgiving Dinner, Can drive

C. Development-Nothing to report this date

D. Finance-Foundation mtg Dave and Karen went to. Audit not complete as of yet, so this

can be addressed at a later date

- E. Planning-Nothing to report this date; Lisa to send card to Angels in Action
- F. Technology-Technology fee to be discussed as addition to tuition. We will discuss as a board in Sept/Oct mtg.
- G. Home and School-According to Niki-regardless of the decrease in school families, there are lots of people who are stepping forward to volunteer, both parents and parishioners. \$600 pizza sales, \$12,200 Elephant ear profit; alleluia auction- great turn out and profit -no concrete numbers yet; Giving Tues is for the education of a child. This will occur 12/2. .

VIII. Action items:

IX. Old Business- Surveys-board gave recommendations for additions/changes and add a survey for parishioners along with a volunteer tab.

X. Dismissal prayer

XI. Next Meeting: Dec 4, 2025

Adjourned 7:10 pm

School Board Committees: building, grounds & safety, marketing & communications, development, finance, mission effectiveness, planning & policy, technology, foundation, home & school.

St. Michael School is committed to providing students an exemplary education centered on traditional Catholic values, inspiring them to walk with God, learn, grow, and serve.