



NEWSLETTER-FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2011

2011-2012 SCHOOL BOARD

I am excited to be a part of another outstanding school board at St. Elizabeth's. The purpose of the school board is to serve in an advisory/policy-making position for the school. The board is closely aligned with the Diocesan Board, both by way of implementing policy and also by developing new policies. Decisions of the School Board that have the approval of Father Bruce and are consistent with diocesan policy, are binding upon St. Elizabeth's School.

We are fortunate to have a very dedicated group of people on this year's school board who bring a variety of resources, expertise and time for the betterment of St. Elizabeth's. In addition to Father Bruce, Pat Kollasch, Joann Aubuchon, Vicky Kinney and Carrie Madden listed below are the Board Members and their primary responsibilities:

- Andy Crimmins: President
- Mary Pfaff: Vice President and Parish Council
- Beth O'Connor: Secretary, facilities and Policies & Bylaws
- Sharon Lester: CPTA
- Jim Lenox: Development, Public Relations and Marketing
- Julie Tapko: Finance Committee
- Susan Reidenbach: Education, Math Science and Technology
- Mark Knopke: Athletic Committee

Throughout the summer, the board identified six key goals that will be accomplished this year. The goals are as follows:

1. Enhance communication between school families and administration.
2. Develop and implement a parent survey to assess views of the overall St. Elizabeth experience.
3. Work to decrease adjusted tuition without sacrificing quality of education, facilities and student experiences.
4. Create an electronic payment system for school related fees and on-line statements.
5. Evaluate current facilities needs to reduce future unexpected expenses.
6. Develop and implement a three year technology plan.

We look forward to the coming year, and the continued excellence at St. Elizabeth School.

Andy Crimmins

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Office hours are 8:00 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.

After hours - Call 523-7101 and follow the prompts to dial the extension you are trying to reach. Teachers' phone extensions are found by clicking on FRONT DESK in the left hand column of the Sycamore home page and then clicking on Employee Directory.

The After Care extension is 3113.

There is a lot of important information on the Sycamore site at this time, both on the home page and the teachers' classroom pages. Please continue to check frequently for updates.

JOIN US for the 2011 CHRIST THE KING CARNIVAL!

The Christ the King Parish School Carnival (85th & Wornall Rd) is Saturday, October 1st 2011, from 5-9PM in the north parking lot and school gymnasium. Bring your kids, grandkids, neighbors and friends and enjoy a fun-filled evening. There will be a new "Photo Booth" this year along with music, face painting, clowns, games, prizes, food and much, much more. Game tickets will go on sale the week of the carnival or you may purchase them at the event.



See the flyers posted on Sycamore. St. Elizabeth Band and Choir will perform.



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