

**LOFT General Membership Meeting
November 29, 2005**

Board Brenda Basalla, Cindy Burry, Tina Carleton, Mark Dudek, Peggy Jones,
Attendance: Terri Kress, Jim Lutterbaugh, Cathi O'Toole, Tracy Rehl, Mickie Rinehart
Member See sign in sheet.
Attendance:

- I. The meeting was called to order with a prayer at 7:06 p.m.
- II. Minutes from the October 25, 2005 general membership meeting were reviewed and approved. **m/s/v**
- III. Treasurer's Report –
No report - Lori had a baby girl on Sunday.
- IV. Principal's Report –
 - Mark thanked everyone who provided food for the teachers.
 - Food Collection - So much food was collected that they could not take it all.
- V. Report of Standing Committees –
 - Membership – Peggy reported that there are a lot of directories available at the price of \$5. Email addresses are for personal use, not mass emails.
 - Fall Festival – This event made over \$1,000.
 - Movie Night – Mary reported that the event went well with around 200 people showing up. Joe Kissel was able to have a popcorn machine and popcorn donated. The budget was \$100 and she has \$21 left.
 - Breakfast with Santa – Brenda reported that she is still taking reservations. She is looking for people to clean up. Santa will be in the eighth grade lunch room.
 - Elf Shelf – The Elf Shelf will be in the labs on the first floor. They are looking for volunteers. There was the suggestion to purchase items from Medic which is closing and has things for sale.
 - Night at the Races – They have had a meeting and some committee members went to St. Cyril's races. The next meeting is December 14. Information put on the web site and in packets. Brenda said that there are decorations in the garage. It was asked if the school has a number for capacity in the cafeteria versus the gym and if we can have alcohol in the gym.
 - Social Events – No report – Caroline was not present.
- VI. Unfinished Business –
 - Digital Cameras – Three cameras and a printer have been purchased for the school to use.
- VII. New Business –
 - Teacher Luncheons – Mary Ellen reported that we had about 100 people for both days. She encouraged staff to take things home. Brenda told about the survival bags the teachers received.
 - Class Masses – Brenda reported on the plan to have class masses rotate through the parishes and to have coffee and doughnuts after mass.
 - Cookie Walk – Mary Ellen said that our teachers and children are in class when most are out [near Christmas]. She suggested a cookie walk for the teachers. Parents provide six to eight dozen of one kind of cookie. It will be held on December 19. Teachers will be given a platter to go home with a selection of

cookies. She has a flyer and invitation for this. The cookies can be dropped off here or at her house.

Cookbook Fundraiser – Tina reported that we are going to put together a cookbook and are going to ask everyone to donate three recipes. We plan to have them ready for sale for Mothers' Day.

VIII. Announcements –

Brenda reported that the police called Mark Dudek today regarding the Reindeer Run. Lake Avenue will be closed on Saturday morning. Sport practices should be moved.

Ornaments are available to be purchased at events such as the band concerts, and they are in the office. We have two for door prizes tonight.

Jennifer reported that she has a list of people to help with hospitality, but she is not being called when things are happening. Please contact her, and not for just sad things. It was suggested to send a note to teachers and to have something put on the web site.

Ice skating is over Christmas break on January 2, 2006 at Halloran.

IX. Closing Prayer and Adjournment – Meeting ended at 7:31 p.m.
Next meeting Tuesday, January 31, 2006.

Minutes submitted by Tracy Rehl