

**EDGEWOOD
HIGH SCHOOL**
OF THE SACRED HEART
Parent Community

9/12/2023 Meeting Minutes

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[Number present for meeting: 12]

Welcome & Introduction by Alex Wood, EPC President

Calendar of Events – Handout provided

- Calendar of events can be located on the website
- Highlighted events on the calendar
- Alex Wood can be emailed if anyone has interest in helping with any of the events
- Signup Genius will be updated often; please check regularly
- Discussion of parents participating in Edgewood in the Community event

Committee Needs

- New Family Mentor Program
- Parent Education Events
 - Goal of having two events next year
 - Any ideas of topics can be emailed to Alex Wood

Upcoming Volunteer Needs –

- Lunch Duty- ongoing - Wednesdays (11:20 a.m.- 12:20 p.m.) and Fridays (10:50-11:50 a.m.)
 - There is a desperate need of volunteers for lunch duty
- Edgewood in the Community- Ice Cream Treats- September 20 (2:00-3:15 p.m.)
 - Will be located inside in the Commons
 - Culver's in Spring Green is serving the custard
- Edgewood in the Community - Help with prep
- Staff Appreciation - Conference Meal - October 4 (3 p.m.)

Guest Staff Speaker - Joe LaMontagne, EHS Associate Principal

- Before he was in his role as an Associate Principal he was a teacher of social studies at Edgewood HS
- Graduated from Edgewood HS and Gonzaga
- First year in role of Associate Principal
- Taking on academics, plus
- Still coaching Cross Country team
- Addressing discipline is a work in progress, but has been a team approach so far this year

- Would like everyone to know he is approachable

EHS Board of Directors Report - Lynn Wood, Board Member

- One of the goals of the Board is to be more transparent
- Board is focused on bigger picture, long term
- Board is focused on the strategic plan (identified 5 pillars, including Catholic Dominican identity, local and global engagement)
- Will be hearing more about committee work and board involvement in the future
- Look at future issues of Inside Edge to learn about who is on the Board
- There are 13 board members

Other Business

- Discussion with Joe LaMontagne of how to handle students transferring from the school – exit interviews with student and family?
- Discussion of the school providing more opportunities for students to get involved outside of the classroom – such as singing national anthem, broadcasting games, pep band, etc.

Adjourn

Next EPC Meeting: November 14, 2023, 8:15 a.m., Library or Student Services conference room

Minutes respectfully recorded by Michael True, EPC Secretary