



CATHEDRAL ALUMNI

Meeting Minutes

Meeting Title	Cathedral Alumni Monthly Meeting
Date/Time Start	Feb 13, 2019 at 7:00 PM
Date/Time Stop	Feb 13, 2019 at 8:00 PM
Location	Cathedral High School
Categories	Adjourn, Alma Mater, Committee Breakout Committee Reports, Meeting Start Minutes Approval, New News, Opening Prayer Return to Cathedral Meeting, Sports Update Treasurer's Report
Attendees	68 Dan Lopez, 85 Paul Dominguez, 85 Tony Camarena, Daniel Barcenas, Hector Roman, Richard Nava 62, Ruben Jauregui '59 (ruben416@pacbell.net)
Minutes by	Daniel Barcenas

Item Notes	
1 - Call to Order	7:00PM
2 - Opening Prayer	Paul Villareal
3 - Old Minutes	1,750 2,500 8,565 1,968 - Class of 1968 1,440 - Facebook 54,523 total contribution 11,880 in the bank
4 - Welcome	<p>Tony C. Met with Board of Directors Get their feedback with the Alumni Association's performance Received approval to use the new performing arts center Membership has been busy on several platforms. Went after the LinkedIn platforms. Received approx 100 new members. More importantly from younger alumni Let's network with our own members and help each other.</p> <p>membership renewals: Packets are being selected for the renewals. Possibly Polos, Caps</p>

New Logo.

Mr. Roman suggested we have a vote. Keep the old logo.

Tony C. We'll put a poll online to choose the logo.

Carlos: No disrespect intended by new logo

Tony C.

School is starting their walkathon. Wednesday, March 20th.

The school is inviting the alumni.

Tony to walk and have the association sponsor. Better to include other alums.

Angel:

Put together an alumni association fundraising handbook.

Nuts and bolts to raise funds, mainly through grants.

PowerPoint presentation to be reviewed by Paul and Tony.

Budgets

Goals and major projects

New approach is to begin a process of pay for foundation online.

Access a large database of grants available to our school.

Working in partnership with the school.

large grants would go directly to the school.

The alumni association would target the smaller grants and find other areas to raise funds.

If you know any alumni grant writers, please give their names to Paul.

Ease the pressure on the Alumni of raising funds

Paul D.

Met with Brother John, Farfan and Lopez.

10 foundations and 10 large donors are being targeted by the association.

The school benefits from "new money".

Approach members to get grants. Help not necessarily by donating money but rather by grant writing. This can be done from home.

Once you do the first one, the template has been set. The next ones are easier to approach.

The school insists on coordinating all submissions. Make sure that the metrics needed to qualify for these grants do not conflict with their current resources and staff.

Rosary Committee

Lot of fun.

We decided that the members would go to the classes.

20 classes in two days. Educational and exciting experience

Kids do not watch TV so we're glad we didn't do the video.

Had fun delivering the message to the kids. Mostly sharing stories.

36 students attended the mass and rosary.

Most students are not familiar with the rosary.

Student: At the sophomore retreat, rosaries we're giving to the students and they prayed the rosary.

New Events:

1 - Mothers Day Mariachi Festival - Saturday, May 11, 2019.

Wine, Tequila tasting before the festival.

2. - Comedy Night - Couple of dates in June or July. TBD

3.- Looking for large booking events i.e. George Lopez, Chicago, etc.

4 - Gala,

5 - Class of 1969 will donate a mariachi and dancers to the gala

Golf Tournament in September

6 - New Dance event. Sock Hop. Battle of the DJs. Possibly in October.

5 - Sports Update

Dan Lopez: Basketball lost in the second round

Varela: Our boys got tired in the end.

Suggestion: Grandmother/Grandson day.

Soccer won on PKs 4-2.

Saturday vs. Mater Dei - possibly at 5:00PM

San Clemente is in the other bracket

Weather: May rain a bit. Should be clear by game time.

6 - Adjourn

Tony C.