



All Saints Academy

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Thursday, February, 12 6:00 p.m.

Lower Campus Library

Board Member Attendees: AJ Fossel, Rebeca Sastre, Merri Baxter, Joel Postma, Daniel Long, Lynne McMahon

School Staff Attendees: Megan Schneider, Amanda Cusack, Michael Debri

Excused Absences: Fred Kooistra

Joel Postma opened in prayer at 6:00pm

Merri Baxter moved to approve the [December minutes](#) and today's agenda. Daniel Longo seconded. Approved by consensus.

Megan Schneider and Michael Debri provided their principal's report. Catholic Schools Week was a great success and included an all school mass at St. Isidore. Staff will have a professional development day on March 6th. The musical, Finding Nemo, Jr, was successful again this year. We had over 900 community members attend. West Catholic's unified basketball team visited the upper campus to promote awareness and sportsmanship.

Megan Schneider provided a Mission Effectiveness committee update. Much of her update is in the [principal's report](#). The committee brainstormed ideas of how to build depth, warmth, community while furthering our mission. Having a larger presence of vocations (priests, deacons, etc) and continuing to work to connect the four founding parishes were identified as priorities of the committee.

The board recruitment process was discussed with a goal of each current board member nominating new candidates by March 1.

Upcoming board meetings were discussed and confirmed as March 12, 2026, April 21, 2026 (*Diocese of Grand Rapids School Board Summit, at Cathedral Square*), May 14, 2026 and June 11, 2026.

Board priorities were discussed. Staff compensation was added to board priorities.

AJ Fossel closed the meeting at 7:30pm