## **Ignatian Guild Meeting Minutes**

Tuesday, March 8, 2022 - In Person | No Zoom Component Parent Happy Hour 5 p.m. Orradre Courtyard Guild Hospitality 6:30 - 7:00 p.m. Guild Meeting 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

**Attendance**. Approximately 55 Guild Members attended the meeting in the Faculty Dining Room.

**Opening Prayer**. Megan Pryor Lorentz led the Guild in St. Ignatius of Loyola's Prayer for Generosity.

**Welcome by Cathleen Rigatti, Ignatian Guild President**. Cathleen Rigatti welcomed all members and introduced this month's theme: "Teach Me to be Generous." In the spirit of Lent, this is a fitting theme, acknowledging the good work that we each do.

## **Special Guest:**

## Staci Fleming | 2017 Ignatian Guild President and Associate Director of

**Advancement**. Staci Flemming thanked all the parents for their hard work supporting the school and announced the great achievements of our parent groups including that fact that in 53 years, this year's Fashion Show was the fastest to sell out tickets, and, secured more underwriting than ever before! Also, the Auction generated 1.6M and counting! For fun and easy ways to contribute to our Jesuit mission, participate thru Amazon Smile and Matching Gifts. Amazon Smile: <a href="www.smile.amazon.com">www.smile.amazon.com</a> | Matching Gifts: <a href="www.siprep.org/giving/how-t-give-/matching-gifts">www.siprep.org/giving/how-t-give-/matching-gifts</a> or for questions: <a href="giftmatch@siprep.org">giftmatch@siprep.org</a>.

The Synod | Megan Pryor Lorentz, Religious Studies. To give and not to count the cost. Pope Francis is all about Synods. The more we can look at each other eye to eye and talk to each other, the better off we are. This synod is to focus on voices that are not heard (people who don't go to church). Focus on three things: 1) communion (connecting with each other and being one together); 2) what would get you to church and why (for those that are baptized; Christians in general; those you are baptized but do not practice a traditional faith); and 3) Mission (where are we going and what are we called to do. Creativity of the gospel and not a defensive Catholicism). Email: <a href="mailto:mpryorlorentz@siprep.org">mpryorlorentz@siprep.org</a> for more information.

#### **Executive Board Reports.**

**Jolene Rocchio | Vice President**: A big thank you to all you ladies offering Hospitality at our meetings. See's Candy Sale generated \$900 benefitting the Scholarship Fund. Pitch for Working Board positions, including Mentor Moms. Join the fun!

**Cyrece Marie Puccio | Recording Secretary**: Email <a href="mailto:cyrece.puccio@gmail.com">cyrece.puccio@gmail.com</a> all announcements and links that your committee might like to publish in the monthly Guild meeting minutes. Also, invite others to share in the information available through the

minutes and the links contained therein by sharing the minutes with your friend group, sports mom group and others!!

**Marti Maes | Corresponding Secretary**: Birthday Cheer to our March Birthday Members and congratulations to families with new babies!!

**Jenny Yung | Treasurer**: You must submit your expense reimbursement requests before May to get paid!! Reminder regarding reimbursements: (1) submit general reimbursement requests to Jenny Yung using the following form <a href="https://resources.finalsite.net/images/v1631556656/siprep/t5gixxnl0rbkht0maei2/IGCheckRequestForm2021-2022Template.pdf">https://resources.finalsite.net/images/v1631556656/siprep/t5gixxnl0rbkht0maei2/IGCheckRequestForm2021-2022Template.pdf</a> with receipts to <a href="majered">Jenyung88@gmail.com</a>; and (2) for Fashion Show related reimbursements, use this form <a href="https://resources.finalsite.net/images/v1631556656/siprep/ieyicwybhteige0hc7lw/IGCheckRequestFormFashionShow2021-2022Template.pdf">https://resources.finalsite.net/images/v1631556656/siprep/ieyicwybhteige0hc7lw/IGCheckRequestFormFashionShow2021-2022Template.pdf</a> but submit the form plus receipts to both

# **Working Board Reports.**

**AALPA | Kelli Willis and Lydia Flocchini**. Jolene Rocchio reported that the BSU Showcase was fantastic success and invited everyone to the Potluck Meeting scheduled on March 16<sup>th</sup>, from 6 until 8 in the Faculty Dining Room.

Jenny Yung (<u>Jenyung88@gmail.com</u>) and Tricia Brown (<u>tbrown@siprep.org</u>)

**SIPAC | Michelle Mendoza**. Jenny Yung thanked everyone who attended the Lunar New Year Dinner - it was a great success! The March 23<sup>rd</sup> General Meeting will include a Career Panel discussion including ASC students. Nominations are due this April - nominate yourself and sign up to volunteer to develop friendships and build community!

**Hostessing | Maureen McFadden**. A big thank you to Maureen McFadden who has held this job since 2016!! If you need help with creating a SignUp Genius to staff your event with volunteers, email: <a href="maureen.s.mcfadden@gmail.com">maureen.s.mcfadden@gmail.com</a>.

**Sunshine Hugs | Stephanie Luedorf, Jen Mahoney, Michelle Patterson**. Database of volunteers to support families in need. Please consider volunteering to provide meals to those in need. For more information, send an email to <a href="mailto:ignatianguild@siprep.org">ignatianguild@siprep.org</a> requesting to be added to the Volunteer list.

**Communications | Priya Anto, Kealy Murray**. Kealy Murray reminded everyone to read and share the Parent Newsletter with your friend groups and to forward content for posting to the Instagram Account. Submit Parent Newsletter content to <a href="mailto:ignatianguild@siprep.org">ignatianguild@siprep.org</a> by <a href="mailto:Monday">Monday</a> of each week for <a href="mailto:Thursday">Thursday</a> circulation and be make sure your email subject line includes: "<a href="mailto:NEWSLETTER-Name of your committee">NEWSLETTER-Name of your committee</a>"; Instagram Handle is "si\_ignatianguild" and email your submissions designating your subject line: "<a href="mailto:INSTA-Topic/Event">INSTA-Topic/Event</a>" and include photos, short captions and hashtags.

**Prep Shop | Katy Wall**. Jo McKay and Gabrielle McKay. Thank you to everyone helping to fill the Sports Pac orders!! Please join in and help! Prep Shop Hours: Tuesday/Thursday/Friday 12:00 to 2:00 p.m. and Wednesday 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.; To volunteer, contact: <a href="mailto:gabrielleoneil@gmail.com">gabrielleoneil@gmail.com</a> or SignUp Genius: <a href="https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0445aeaa2aa6fc1-siprep">https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0445aeaa2aa6fc1-siprep</a>

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Mother-Daughter Night | Daniela Franco, Orla Gallagher, Maira Hillinan, and Amy Thompson. This event was a huge success!! Thank you to everyone who helped host the event and attended!! Enjoy and download photos at: <a href="https://siprep.slickpic.com/gallery">https://siprep.slickpic.com/gallery</a>.

**2023 Fashion Show Chairs Announcement | Jolene Rocchio**. With much excitement, Jolene Rocchio announced the Fashion Show Chairs for the 2022 - 2023 school year. Stay tuned for the unveiling of the theme and more details at the May 24<sup>th</sup> Guild Meeting. If you would like to volunteer or ask about specific opportunities to get involved next year, reach out to Jolene Rocchio at: <a href="mailto:Jprocchio@me.com">Jprocchio@me.com</a>

Show - Terry Marks & Marti Maes Party - Karin Tucker Underwriting- Michelle Patterson

**Mother Son Night 2022 | Donna B. Mohr, Carla Birdthistle, and Shannon Gomes**. Sunday, March 27, 2022, 5 - 8 p.m. at SPIN, 690 Folsom Street #100, San Francisco. Join the fun and see the Professional Ping Pong Players, the SI Wildcat Mascot, take photos with your son and friends, and rock out to the DJ!

Mother & Student Communion Mass on May 1, 2022 | Carolyn Lau-Ng. The Ignatian Guild and Campus Ministry will host the Mother & Student Communion Mass with a special tribute to the senior class of 2022 and their mothers/guardians. Senior Moms & Guardians: Start looking for photos of you with your student as a baby/toddler. The traditional mother & senior student video will be one of the highlights of the morning! The deadline for photo submission to be included in this special video is April 1, 2022. Any photo will do, but baby/ toddler photos are always a hit! Email the photo to: <a href="mailto:siclass2022pics@gmail.com">siclass2022pics@gmail.com</a> in JPEG format labeled: "student's last name\_student's first name\_and\_ mom's first name." Email <a href="mailto:siclass2022pics@gmail.com">siclass2022pics@gmail.com</a> with any questions.

International Food Faire | Alma L. Araneta-Garcia, Margaret Garrou, Marijoy Ganzon Arguelles. The Chairs were excited to announce that the all-you-can-eat 29<sup>th</sup> Annual International Food Faire will be in-person and held on Saturday, May 7th from 12:30-3:30 pm and will include a Beer Garden, Entertainment and a DJ! The Guild is cosponsoring the event with SIPAC, AALPA, and the Father's Club. Volunteers will be needed so look out for the SignUp Genius!

**Library Upholstery Project | Sue Ann Wercinski**. Sl's beautiful solid oak library chairs need reupholstering, and we're looking for parents who like to work with their hands. First, we will deconstruct the chairs by pulling out the fabric staples. You will have a how-to guide and video, and an opportunity for support during the process. Then, we'll have an upholstery party with pre-cut fabric, tools, and refreshments. Tools will be supplied and you'll be guided at each step. No sewing nor upholstery experience necessary, but by the time you finish, you'll know how to update your own dining room chairs. If you are interested in helping, please email the Director of the Library, Christina Wenger at <a href="mailto:cwenger@siprep.org">cwenger@siprep.org</a>. Make "Library Chairs" your subject line, and include your name, email, and best contact number. We need at least 30 volunteers!

### Save the Dates.

April 12, 2022 | Guild Meeting

May 1, 2022 | Communion Breakfast (See above for more information on the event include the April 1<sup>st</sup> deadline to submit toddler photos of your senior.)

**Closing Prayer.** Jolene Rocchio led the Guild in a Closing Prayer.

**Closing.** Cathleen Rigatti thanked all those in attendance, and invited everyone to join the next Guild Meeting on Tuesday, April 12, 2022, at 6:30 p.m.

**Approval of Minutes.** Minutes for the March 8, 2022, Ignatian Guild Meeting were submitted to the Executive Board by Cyrece Marie Puccio.

Motion to Approve the Minutes: Jolene Rocchio

Seconded the Motion: Marti Maes

Motion carried.