



## School Advisory Commission Agenda

April 22, 2026

Members Present: Adam K.-Chair, Travis G.-Secretary, Rebecca M., Josh U., Simon O., Rob D-Vice Chair, Jessica L., Principal Colleen R., Teacher Representative Katie A.; PC Dan H., PC Chris W., Fr. David Sweeney

Excused: Luke E., Rachel M.

Unexcused: Dan G.

SAC discerners list at the end of the document

- I. Opening Intentional Prayer and Petitions- Jessica
- II. Sharing of Faith – Chris W
- III. Public Address - Interested parties to address the School Advisory Commission (15 min MAX)
  - a. Theresa Hoffman-Poeppel (school parent) - provided a handout on math tracking impact on middle school and concerns about math tracking. She expressed concerns that structures be in place for parent voice and math-related decisions. Portions of the handout on math tracking were read aloud to SAC. A personal narrative and the impact of math tracking were shared.
- IV. Minutes: March Minutes, approved and archived
- V. Reports:
  - a. Chair Report – Adam Keller
    - i. Welcome and report on SAC bylaws, focus, and purpose were shared with the group, and those discerning participation with SAC. Discerners shared/introductions of interest. Fr. Dennis committed to releasing a “white paper,” and this is in process.
  - b. Pastor Report – Fr. Sweeney
    - i. Middle school retreat oriented on Holy Week saw a good response and ideation for next year. Stations of the Cross on Holy Thursday were well attended; first communion retreat on 5/2; future leaders forum at CMH for Ignite candidates. Fr. Sweeney was able to teach ELA and connect themes to our faith for students. He continues to work with students with an ongoing 8th-grade Bible study. Upcoming lunch time reconciliation to be offered. Check the bulletin for more details. High interest day and May crowning celebration are in the works.
  - c. Principal Report – Colleen Rooney
    - i. I. Meeting w/Fr Dennis and the Assistant Superintendent to plan for the next school year to ensure a positive strategic vision. Ongoing initiatives include, but are not limited to, principal seminars focused on standards-based instruction and ongoing professional development. Forming M.S. subcommittee to develop a theme for next year. Developing a matrix for staff salaries to ensure staff bonuses and parity; building a leadership team among staff via application; STEM/PLTW continuing to grow, with staffing/hiring almost complete.



- ii. Coffee w/Colleen went well, open to feedback and looking to end of May for another event. K4 and K5 are currently full (wait list).

Committee Business – 10min and Regroup – short updates

- d. Catholic Identity – Simon, Dan, Jessica
- e. Technology – Rob, Rebecca, Josh
- f. Marketing – Travis, Rachel
- g. Playground Project – Adam, Travis, Nate Schuld (former SAC)

VI. Unfinished Business

- a. By-Law Updates for consideration (Adam) -
  - i. 4/22, discussion on By-Law update. SAC voted, and the new Bylaws were accepted. The next step is for these to go to the Pastoral Council for approval
- b. Discernment (Adam) – New Membership (2-3 per SAC member)
  - i. 4/22, Ongoing discussion with the whole group
- c. Campus Security (Adam) –
  - i. 4/22, Improving security, M. Ricci has developed a forming meeting to take further action.
- d. Prospect Video (Colleen, Rachel and Meg P.) - TABLED from 4/22 meeting
  - i. On hold for Meg P and more discussion
- e. Handbook - Athletics and Discipline (Colleen) - TABLED from 4/22 meeting
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- f. SAC School Review – Expectation that all SAC members provide review to each service - TABLED from 4/22 meeting
  - i. Niche <https://www.niche.com/k12/st-dominic-catholic-school-brookfield-wi/>
  - ii. Great Schools <https://www.greatschools.org/wisconsin/brookfield/2137-St-Dominic-Elementary-School/>
  - iii. Private School Review <https://www.privateschoolreview.com/st-dominic-catholic-school-profile/53045>

VII. New Business

- a. Future questions, considerations from school families may involve clarifying what inquiries go to home-school, school leadership, and what goes to SAC.
- b. Closed Session – Guests and teacher liaison to leave room

VIII. Announcements – Open Forum for SAC Members

IX. Adjournment-Return to Marcy Center



Proposed member	Nominating member
Dodi David	Adam Keller
Jessica Allen	Adam Keller
Kathryn Fitzpatrick	Fr. Sweeney
Rey Rudolf	Luke Eskau
Kimberly Kuechler	N/A

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