



DO YOU HAVE A GREAT IDEA?

LET IT SHINE!!!

In addition to having responsibility for setting policy, budgeting and setting the calendar, our school board mission is consultative and advisory in nature. But we are not a grievance committee. We also have no authority to determine curriculum, make staffing decisions or administer the school. In our role as consultants and advisors, we try to understand and assess school-related issues, topics, and ideas. We try our very best to lend expertise as needed. Will you help us “stay on mission”, by sharing your BRIGHT ideas with us? We WANT to hear them!

Saints Peter and Paul School has been blessed this year with many new families joining our community. Some have relocated here. Others are joining us with school experience from other local area schools. Still others are new Kindergarten families who are just sending their little ones off to school for the very first time (don't worry, we all cried too ☺). We also continue to be blessed by our veteran families who have their 6th, 7th and even 8th child attending our school this year!

Our community is diverse with a wealth of knowledge and insight. For this reason we, along with Mrs. Meskill and the school administration, are delighted to roll out a new digital “suggestion box” via a Gmail account sspplittishine@gmail.com. This will enable you to share your BRIGHT ideas that will enhance teaching, learning, curriculum, building aesthetics, athletics, extracurricular activities/clubs, the fine arts, and religious education. Our hope is that it can be another *tool* for us to look for trends and share ideas. We will not be able to implement everything we receive, but we want to hear from you. A designated school board member will read your ideas, look for trends and share the very best ideas with Mrs. Meskill. There are so many great things going on at Saints Peter and Paul School. Now our mission is to do it better! Here are some examples of what we hope you can provide us.

- 💡 What worked effectively at your old school that you loved and would like to see at SSPP?
- 💡 Do you have a special talent? Don't hide your light under a bushel; let it shine! Share with us how your special knowledge could be used to enhance curriculum, marketing, athletics program or the school auction.
- 💡 Do you have a great idea for a new fundraiser or a grade level fund raising opportunity? Please share!
- 💡 Did you know Home and School has funds for classroom programs? Have you heard about a great school program that could support teaching, learning, or service that we should research (*i.e.* programs like ump Rope for Heart, Writing Contest, Science demonstrations)?
- 💡 Are you crafty and want to help give an aesthetic facelift to the facilities, our flower boxes, or bulletin boards? Let us know!
- 💡 Are you a journalist and willing to help us write up mini biographies about our amazing teaching staff? We'd love to hear from you!
- 💡 Is there a great opportunity or interest in a special after-school club? We would like to investigate that further, so please share your thoughts.
- 💡 Do you know of any amazing literary opportunities that can support our writing program? Are you an author, blogger, editor or illustrator who is willing to share the writing process with students? We can help connect you to the right people to do just that!
- 💡 Share your unique ideas that will positively impact our school.

Please note that complaints WILL NOT be addressed in this forum. We hope we can implement some of your BRIGHT ideas! Do not hide your talents under a bushel...let them shine!