

Tuesday, September 9,, 2025 - Viking Elementary PTO Meeting

1. Call to Order, Welcome and Introductions
 - a. Katie motion to open meeting, Rachel seconds
2. Secretary - Minutes from PTO Meeting May (need motion to approve)
 - a. Rachel motion to approve, Katie to second
3. Treasurer - Report on Income and Expenditures (need motion to approve)
 - a. Budget for 2025-2026 year - discussion and vote
 - b. Currently Sept-sept
 - c. Total balance: \$53,337
 - d. Projected income: 23K, Total expenses: 44K
 - e. Katie motion to approve, Jess to second
 - f. Unanimously passed budget
4. Principal's Report
 - a. Celebrations/thank yous: school supplies, new soccer nets, meal and coffee during teachers week back
 - b. New math materials being piloted
 - c. CKLA starting this week, year 2
 - d. Universal screeners starting next week
 - e. New SEL curriculum
 - f. Homecoming next week
 - g. Parent/teacher conferences in Oct
5. Old Business (updates and feedback)
 - a. Summer Events: Popsicles on the Playground and Pool Party
 - i. Positive feedback for a weekday evening for playground
 - ii. Spread apart next summer?
 - b. Inservice Week: Midway Deli for Viking staff, Scooters Coffee and The Coffee Camper
 - i. Family 'buy a teacher coffee' additional funds
 - c. School Supplies, Playground Equipment (soccer nets, playground cart)
 - d. Book Vending Machine
 - e. Guest Speaker - Cory re: Kindness
6. New Business
 - a. By-Law Edits (vote at October meeting)
 - b. Becoming a recognized 501(c)3
 - i. Consider doing an umbrella for all school PTO/A/Gs under?
 - c. PTO Focus Areas of Involvement:
 - i. Fundraising
 - ii. Teacher Appreciation
 - iii. Family Events
 - d. 2025-2026 Planned Events
 - i. Spiritwear Fundraiser w/ Coaches Corner
 1. Monday, September 8 - Friday, September 19
 - ii. Food Truck Fundraiser | PTO Open House
 1. Thursday, September 11 4-7pm
 - iii. PTO Mini Grants
 1. Application Deadline: Friday, October 3
 2. Vote at October PTO Meeting
 - iv. Fun Run
 1. Key Dates:

- a. Registration Opens: October 8th
 - b. Kick Off: October 22nd
 - i. Volunteers Needed for Program Days
 - c. 4K Mini Run - Tuesday, October 28
 - i. Volunteers Needed
 - d. K - Grade 5 - Thursday, October 30
- 2. Tshirts will be provided; working on sponsors
 - a. Work with teachers on making sure we have sizes for each kid
- v. Teacher Appreciation Meal - Conferences
 - 1. Thursday, October 30
 - 2. Qdoba
 - 3. Jess will lead
- vi. Magic By Isaiah (Jess)
 - 1. Friday, November 7th, 6-6:45pm
- vii. TJo's Pizza Fundraiser (December TBD)
 - 1. Katie is waiting on hearing final date
- viii. Chuck E Cheese Fundraiser (January TBD)
 - 1. Jess will book the date
- ix. Long Johns with Loved Ones (February TBD)
 - 1. Jess and Christine
- x. Glow Dance (March TBD)
 - 1. Mr. Boland to display student artwork?
 - 2. Facepainting 'earned' through FunRun
 - 3. Possible pizza by donation
 - 4. Jess to lead
- xi. Penny Wars Fundraiser (March TBD)
 - 1. Christine to lead
- xii. Teacher Appreciation Meal - Conferences (Spring)
 - 1. Midway deli
 - 2. Nicole to lead
- xiii. Bingo, Books and Bites | PTO Sponsored Food Trucks (April TBD)
 - 1. Nicole to lead
- xiv. Testing Snack Trolley
 - 1. Christine to lead
- xv. Staff Appreciation Week
 - 1. May 3 - May 9
 - 2. PTO will sponsor one of the days that week
- xvi. 5th Grade Bash
 - 1. Friday may 1st
 - 2. Nicole is meeting with Mike Friday 9/12 to begin planning
- xvii. Pack the Park Family Event
 - 1. Is this something we would like to do in June?
 - 2. Discuss further at subsequent meeting
 - 3. Look at redistribution map and spread out locations in the summer?
- xviii. Pool Party (July TBD)
- xix. Popsicles on the Playground (Monday - August TBD)
- xx. Music Concerts (Volunteers Needed)
 - 1. 3rd Grade: November 13th-Katie
 - 2. 2nd Grade: November 20th-Rachel

3. Kindergarten: February 12th-Christine
4. 4th Grade: February 19th-Katie
5. 1st Grade: April 16th-Jess
6. 5th Grade: April 23rd-Nicole
7. Open Discussion/New Items
 - a. "Watch dogs"-is this something that Viking would be interested in?
 - i. Alicia will bring information at a later date
 - b. Teachers would like to thank the PTO for the support
 - c. Positive feedback: Newsletters about PTO updates.
 - i. Look into a mid year and end of the year update
8. Adjournment - Next Meeting is October 14th at 6:30pm
 - a. Katie motion, Christine seconds