

**POPs-Parents of Primaries-Meeting**  
**2/21/23**

**1. Welcome**

Albertville Primary Vision: *“Excellence starts here with a compassionate, dedicated staff who value laughter and instill the love of learning.”*

**2. Introductions**

- Your name, Your child’s name, Your child’s teacher

**3. Share success of Conference Meal Train**

- Krista Gerten-Budget Update
- Discuss possibility of Staff Appreciation now or in May- Ideas from Staff:  
**T-Bomb Tuesdays, Donuts, Yogurt Bar**
- Upcoming: Bright Beginnings Preschool Parent/Teacher Conference Meals on March 27 & 28
- Do we want to provide a “treat”/something for staff in March?

**4. I Love to Read Week - February 27-March 3**

- Opportunity to engage our students in activities that celebrate different book genres, authors, and how important it is to read throughout our lives
- Dress up Days-Calendar will be shared with families

**5. Open to questions or comments**

**Thank you for attending!**

“When parents and schools form a partnership, tremendous advances occur.”

**Next Meeting:** Tuesday, April 11 at 6:00 pm

# Albertville Primary POPS Meeting Minutes:

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Attendees:

Cat Eveland, Laurie Neil, Alison Gober, John McDonald, Krista Gerten

Meal Train was a success were able to fund our November Conferences with Meals from River Inn and have extra funds to carry over and do more fun appreciation events for the staff from now until next conference meal train request goes out – that one will cover the next conference meals and hopefully until the end of the year. We generated **\$1,447.04**. Staff are so appreciative and Love reading all the comments parents are leaving for them. We are also planning to do a meal train for preschool teacher's conference meals on send out on March 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Staff appreciation May 10<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday have what's the scoop signed up, Alison G is donating a Card my Yard sign to show teacher and staff appreciation.

Any food trucks availability as that would be fun. Tea bombs are always loved. Staff loved Donuts and Bagels and Yogurt bar last year... would love to do that again.

Talked about Penny Wars – Thinking Preschool will do that as a fundraiser this year as they need to generate some funds to get new toys and supplies, they need.

Question about when families Donate \$ (thousands) to the school what happens – school board approves it goes into our agency account. If you are going to donate and you want to put a request that it goes for something -reach out to John and he will advise steps to donate that family is able to put in a request as to what that money is used for if possible.

Pickup is going well still doing in under 10 minutes. Questions and discussions arose about rain and below 0 days

Movie Night – would love to bring that back and open 6/7 classrooms and invite families to participate more details to come if we can set this up.