



Isaac Fox PTO Meeting Agenda

March 19, 2024, 6:30pm - 7:30pm

ATTENDEES:

APPROVAL OF FEBRUARY MINUTES: <https://isaacfox.lz95.org/students-parents/isaac-fox-pto>

- Approved by Erin Vance and Second by Sandra Cukierski

PRESIDENTS' REPORT (*Tessa Zevallos & Leah Kahoun*)

- ❖ **Seeking one more Co-Treasurer for 2024-2025 & 2025-2026 School Year! (2-year term)**
 - We have a Secretary Volunteer (Carly Pierick) and Co-Treasurer Volunteer (Jennifer Djonlich)!!
 - Jennifer needs help to do more of the running around (go to the bank, come to the school and check the mailbox and be at the events) vs the accounting side (Jennifer is an accountant and can do the Quickbooks, reports side of the position)
- ❖ **Expenditures Committee Update** (*Ashley Pettis, Corrie Taylor, Megan Sugrue, Sarah Campbell, Tiffani Floros, Chris Warren*)
 - We gave a second round of grants of \$3000 this past week. Kindergarten asked for new magnetic boards, Gardening items for the Garden Club, \$1000 in books to the 4th grade and 5th grade chair organizers for the whole grade.
- ❖ FYI: 2024-2025 Budgeting Process and Possible Gift from PTO
 - We will be putting 6 benches out in front of the Peace Poll in combination with MSS PTO.

VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT (*Lauren DeGiulio*)

- ❖ Enrichments
 - Kindergarten - Having science experiments in the classroom on May 1st
 - 1st Grade - Sky Lab on May 1st
 - 2nd Grade - High Touch High Tech (issue with the scientist being late but once she was here it was great). Still have Measurement Olympics coming up.
 - 3rd Grade - Already did Storm Chasers earlier this year.
 - 4th Grade - Pizza fraction cafe occurred on 03-15-2024. Great job and great feedback
 - 5th Grade - High Touch High Tech already occurred.

TREASURER'S REPORT (*Sandra Cukierski*)

- ❖ February 29, 2024 Financials
- ❖ Please request reimbursement within 30 days of events: <http://bit.ly/459Y3Xe>

- Undesignated fund balance at \$39,698.90 as of 02-29-2024
- Library Fund and Literacy Fund did not have changes in February.
- Musical and Bingo night are only
- Motion by Lauren DeGuilio and Second by Erin Vance to approve.

SECRETARY'S REPORT (*Erica Saviano*)

No Report

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT (*Liz Cronin, Erin Vance, Chris Warren*)

- ❖ Please make sure you include social media friendly images with your post requests (JPG or PNG - **please avoid PDF files**) - and **include full links** not just QR code images
- ❖ If you need something posted ASAP please text Erin 847-414-2060
- ❖ Fox Tales content should be emailed to elizabethcronin10@gmail.com on Friday before:
Bi-weekly Tuesday Schedule: 4/2; 4/16; 4/30; 5/14

COMMITTEE REPORTS (*RECENT EVENTS*)

- ❖ **Bingo Night** (*Lisa Chua, Mallori Millen, Andon Jacob*)
 - Sold Out, great fun by all.
- ❖ **Family Roller Skating Party** (*Katie Babicz, Megan Sugrue, Michelle Biro, Stephanie Jacklow*)
 - Less than last year in attendance but had fun
- ❖ **Joanie's Closet Committee** (*Stacey Crossman, Christina Bos*)
 - Food Drive collected about 500 Goldfish packets.

COMMITTEE REPORTS (*UPCOMING EVENTS*)

- ❖ **Musical Committee** (*Gina Gargano, Jessica Burzawa*)
 - Tickets almost sold out. They are still looking for snacks
- ❖ **Trivia Committee** (*Tavia Kasten, Allana Amiran, Bill Schmidt*)
 - *Working on insurance, have 9 tables full, still collecting prizes*
- ❖ **Made By Me Market** (*Stacey Crossman, Ben Rudzin, Tessa Zevallos*)
 - This is done in combination with Sarah Adams and MSS. We have 34 students signed up to sell items. Business class on 03-18-2024.
- ❖ **Earth Day Committee** (*McKenna Serowka, Amanda Virgilio*)
 - Thinking through ideas and would like feedback. Ideas - Bingo card, used broken crayon drive with competitions between classes, Girl Scouts ideas were a little too much of a lift for this year but maybe next year.

- ❖ **Book Fair** (*Lana Jo Barringer, Erin Ferracane, Alli Jaskula*)
 - Look for information coming out.
- ❖ **Teacher Appreciation Week Committee** (*Amanda Toomey, Arti Soni, Emily Rudzin, Spenser Pawielski*)
 - Working on it
- ❖ **School Supply Boxes Committee** (*Corrie Taylor, Sandra Cukierski*)
 - Got list today and so look for information after spring break
- ❖ **5th Grade Picnic Committee** (*Erica Saviano, Katherine King, Lana Jo Barringer, Sarah Campbell*)

COMMITTEE REPORTS (ONGOING ACTIVITIES)

- ❖ **Restaurant Night Committee** (*McKenna Serowka, Adriana Ostrowska*)
 - 4-10 at Freddie's from 5-9pm.
 - 5-9 at Crumble Cookie from 4-7pm. They require us to have someone stand there so they have coverage from 4-6 but need 6-7 coverage. They will be sending out a note.
- ❖ **Hospitality Committee** (*Kelli O'Connell, Lana Jo Barringer, Stacey Crossman, Amanda Virgilio, Jamie Kahn*)
 - No Update
- ❖ **Specials Teacher Appreciation** (*Lauren Haddaway, McKenna Serowka*)
 - March was Mrs Burr and are working on April's
- ❖ **Stock the Teachers' Lounge** (*Ashley Pettis*)-
 - *Planning to launch a SUG/Amazon wishlist to restock teachers lounge after Spring Break.*
- ❖ **Yearbook** (*Erin Vance, Corrie Taylor, Jen Stanko, Chris Warren*) - **ORDERS DUE 5/27!**
 - *Please continue to submit your photos! Reach out if you need assistance*
 - Book is laid out so now it is putting the pictures
- ❖ **Landscape Committee** (*Stacey Crossman, Jessie Larson, Amanda Virgilio, Katherine King*)
 - No Update
- ❖ **Birthday Books Committee** (*Ashley Pettis, Jessica Gold*)
 - *Parent's are utilizing our Amazon Wishlist and we are really excited for how this is going to streamline this process for the Library staff, parents, Birthday Book Committee, and PTO Treasurer for next year! Thank you to all the parents who have already started using the Amazon Wishlist! -Ashley and Jessica*

ADMINISTRATION & TEACHER REPORTS

❖ **Principal's Report** (*Ms. Culver*)

Next week is spring break. As of today, Last day of school is May 24th. Thank you to everyone and everything we do for our school and kids. We hit the 20% for the 5 Essentials Survey and are the first school to hit it.

❖ **Teacher's Report** - *Kristen Burton (2nd grade)*

4th grade - Extremely happy about the grant approval for their book groups. The enrichment was awesome.

3rd grade - Storm Chasers was great. Talking about Civil rights.

5th grade - Thanks for the enrichments and are

1st grade - looking forward for their enrichment coming up

Kindergarten - Happy for the enrichment and learning about animals.

2nd grade - the kids loved the enrichment. Perfect end to science unit.

The teachers work together to make the class lists for the following year to work together to make a balanced class. If you feel strongly about your child and their learning needs for next year email Ms Culver and she is happy to discuss needs.

IMPORTANT UPCOMING PTO DATES:

- ❖ 4/3: Made By Me Market
- ❖ 4/6: Trivia Night (Adults-Only - Doors Open 6:00pm)
- ❖ 4/20 - 4/21: Aladdin, Jr. Musical
- ❖ 4/22: Earth Day
- ❖ 4/23 - 4/25: Spring Book Fair
- ❖ **4/30: PTO Meeting (6:30pm - 7:30pm)**
- ❖ 5/6 - 5/10: Teacher Appreciation Week
- ❖ 5/14: Kindy Olympics
- ❖ **5/14: PTO Appreciation Event (Location TBD)**
- ❖ 5/17: 5th Grade Picnic
- ❖ 5/20: 1st - 5th Grade Field Day (5/21 Rain Day)