




September 30, 2024 PTO Agenda

6-7:10 p.m., Lakeaires Learning Commons

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- I. Previous month minutes  August 26, 2024 PTO Agenda-Minuted 6:00 PM
Approved

- II. Principal & Teacher Report 6:05 PM
 - A. **Mr. Krusemark, Principal's Report:**
 1. Lakeaires Mission, Objectives, Tactics (CORE literacy, AVID, MTSS/BARR)
 2. Goal setting
 - a) K-1 reading proficiency move from 81% (spring 2024) to 85% (spring 2025) (per Fastbridge assessment)
 - b) 2-5 reading proficiency from 64% (spring 2024) to 74% (spring 2025)
 - c) Strategies - teachers will use WINN (What I Need Now) time for Tier 2 interventions. Monitoring every other week for tier 2 students and every week for tier 3. Continue to use White Bear CKLA unit plans and pacing guides.
 3. Student experience goal and strategies
 - a) Based on the DESSA, reduce the "Need for instruction" composite score to 5% or less.
 - b) Strategies: BARR meetings, U-Time and Second Step weekly, interventions designed and implemented for tier 2 and 3 students, information used to inform SEL and mental health intervention / support, SEL level 3 should have full DESSA.
 4. Equity goal and strategies
 - a) ML students will either increase a risk level band or stay low risk on Fast Assessments.
 - b) Strategies: Tier 2 and 3 students will get intervention based on reading and math needs. Scheduling for WINN and ML will work to make sure students receive what is needed (some will receive 30 mins ML, 30 mins literacy, 30 min math intervention/s). All teachers will use White Bear CKLA unit plans and pacing guides.
 5. Reading Corps
 - a) 2 Reading Corps tutors are preparing to work with students soon. Parents of qualifying students will be notified in October.
 6. Dismissal logistics: Mainly doing well. Dismissal last year started about 5 minutes earlier. Kids leave rooms at 2:20 pm now. Don't drive east on Van Dyke in the morning, please! Email LakeairesDismissalRequest@isd624.org or call office by 1pm. Absences

can be submitted via ParentVue. If it's a vacation request, there is additional info that must be supplied, at least one week before the vacation date. Up to 5 days may be approved. Consistent attendance is very important - auto letters may be

7. Bounce Back to School Event: Carbone's - 630 slices/salads given out, so at least 700 people attended.

B. Teacher Report - Beth Olson:

1. We appreciate the books - Star of the North and the Maud Lovelace books. We appreciate everything the PTO does for us.
2. Former students are willing to provide childcare during PTO meetings.

III. Treasurer Report 6:30 PM

A. Treasurer Report: [x LakeairesPTOAugust2024TreasurerReport.xlsx](#)

B. Summary of highlights:

- As of 8/31/2024 our checking account balance was \$2,091.61 and our savings account balance was \$10,018.87.
- There was not much movement throughout August. With pending transactions received thus far through September, our checking is sitting around \$1,550.
- Scholastic News went up by \$800. Suggestion: Contact them in spring 2025 to get an estimate for 2025-2026.

IV. Upcoming Events, Activities & Items of discussion 6:40 PM

- Butter Braids fundraiser:** Our take home from online is already \$840. Expect to hit around \$4,000 with print forms. Closing on Oct. 3.
- Bounce House Carnival:** Purchase more 2-liter bottles, promote volunteer opportunity (volunteers needed from 5-7pm).
- Pumpkin Bingo:** Volunteers doing well. Will charge \$1 / board. Get 200 boards? Kelly will get pumpkins. Cotton candy for concessions?
- Homecoming Parade:** \$80 donated for candy. Applications due Oct. 1.
- BrainPop quote / replacement:** Online subscription to educational videos. 2 levels on different topics (e.g. viruses). Quote is \$3,276.00 for the next year. Supports different educational standards, but it has got very expensive. Only 10 teachers used it last year - highest user was 73 times (av. 2 times per week), lowest user was 2 times. **Motion:** Pause the subscription. All in favor.
- Scholastic book fairs:** Book fair. Already scheduled 11/4-11/8. No school on 11/4 and 11/5 (conferences are 11/4). Investigate online-only book fair option. Brittany following up with Scholastic. **Motion:** Don't do fall book fair unless we can do online-only. All in favor.

V. Adjournment 7:10 PM

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Upcoming PTO meetings:

10/28/24, 11/25/24, 1/27/25, 2/24/25, 3/24/25, 4/28/25, 5/19/25, 6/30/25

Upcoming PTO events:

Date	Event	PTO lead	Notes
Sept. 30	Culver's night	Sarah J	5th grade parent volunteers needed
Sept. 16-Oct. 4	Butter Braids	Jenna W	Parent volunteers needed to staff pick-up (Oct. 15)
Oct. 6	Bounce House Festival	Louise E	4-7pm - Carnival game (2-liter ring toss). 2-liter donations needed. Volunteers needed to staff game.
Oct. 10	Pumpkin bingo	Brittany, Sarah J, and Kelly	4:30-6:30pm
Oct. 11	Homecoming parade	Mrs Humphrey	4pm. Candy donations needed
Nov. 18	Culver's night	Sarah J	5th grade parent volunteers needed
Jan / Feb 2025	Heggies fundraiser		
Feb. 10	Culver's night	Sarah J	5th grade parent volunteers needed
May 5	Culver's night	Sarah J	5th grade parent volunteers needed
May 2025	Summer Send-off	Sarah J and Vanessa	

