



**2024/2025 RANDOLPH ELEMENTARY PTA
MEETING MINUTES October, 2024**



Meeting Called to Order: 10-3-2024 @ 6:01

Attendance: Staff members Mrs. Linn, Mrs. Dennis

PTA members Pamela McGinnis, Kim Wills, Katie Simmons, Danielle Pelc

Review/Approval of last months meeting minutes:

Reviewed Mtg Mins from September 2024

1st motion by: Jessica Johnston

2nd motion by: Nicci Dennis

No changes.

Correspondence:

None

Treasurer's Report:

Heather's 2024/2025 for the month: Budget prior to color run- approved

1st motion by: Jessica Johnston

2nd motion by: Kim Wills

Principals Report:

8% up in math for the I Ready testing and 5% up in ELA. We are very proud!

M Step results will be handed out at conferences.

All grade levels met up to go over the data, we are looking to see who needs more support.

Survey is coming out to parents.

First Best Awards will be October 4th for students and staff.

Mrs Bice will be holding a seminar about parenting an anxious child during conferences.

Family night will be November 14th.

Tiger spirit day is Monday.

Staff Report:

Kindergarten: Continuing to work on rules, procedures and routines. They loved the color run and were able to practice running the path before the day of the color run. The students have been learning about each other by doing Name Game activities and we just finished our first integrated unit, Civics.

1st Grade: Mrs. Dennis Diving into curriculum. Three Cedars Field trip coming up.

2nd Grade: Mrs Smith Students finished their Character "literacy" unit. Moving onto Communities. Reviewing math skills addition and subtraction. OG is up and running. Students are reviewing their sounds in isolation, blending them together to create words and then reading and writing them in sentences.

3rd Grade: Just wrapped up the Character unit and moved into Forces and Motion. In math we are working on multiplication facts. Halloween bowling field trip October 31st. Parents are welcomed to attend, an I-Chat form must be filled out prior to the field trip.

4th Grade: Ms. Drabicki- Just finished our personal narratives in our Character unit. Next we are starting our Plants and Animals unit. Students will be starting WIN time,

Art: Ms. Werner- Square One Art- More information to follow

PE: Ms. Plum- Young Athlete buddies starting soon.

PLTW: Mrs. Schroth-

Music: Mr. B- K and 1st working on independence singing and playing music games. 2nd and 4th are working on connecting songs with their songs and games with written music notation. 3rd grade started the Ukulele unit.

LMC: Mrs. Zarr- 4th grade is learning about how the library is organized and how to use the library catalog. 2nd and 3rd working on digital citizenship and internet safety. 1st grade reading and creating pictures inspired by Caldecott Winning Books. Kindergarten learning now to navigate the LMC.

MARP: 3rd and 4th grade students participated in the Special Olympics event at Franklin. 3rd and 4th graders are also going on a Halloween bowling field trip. Working hard on routines and procedures. Mrs. Thompson class participated in some hands- on experiments.

Presidents Report:

Thank you to all who donated and participated in the Color Run. We were able to raise \$27,830.00. This money will help cover the cost for programs for teachers and future events. The school glow dance will happen!

The raffle will be held tomorrow to finish up the color run prizes. All families will be contacted for the grand prize winners.

Membership for the PTA will be pushed in October. Teacher who has the most parents who sign up for the PTA will win a \$100.00 gift card for the classroom and a pizza party! Information to follow in Mrs. Linns emails and on our facebook page.

Kim- Fall Fest is October 18th at 6:00-7:30. Looking for volunteers for Trunk or Treat. The parking lot will be closed at 5:30 to set up. Please send candy donations to the office. Suggesting peanut free candy please. Cider and Donuts will be provided.

Membership Report:

Pamela reported that we have members 85 at this time. Our goal is 300 members

Committee Reports:

Youth Making A Difference: Cari Coscia and Heather Wilson. Gleaner canned food drive in November, more information to follow.

Gratitude station?

December- Donation tree from a local charity? Set up for Jolly jamboree?

January- A blanket making event? tying fleece blankets. Blankets going to children in hospitals. A fundraising page will be set up for families to donate money for the fabric that will be purchased.

February- Make Valentines Day cards for Senior Citizens.

Dine to Donate: Jessica Johnston October-Red Robin (Livonia Six Mile location) Wednesday October 30th/
November- Skating at River Side, November 19th 6:00-8:00 p.m. Admission \$8.00 per person \$1.00 go back to Randolph

December - TBD

January- MOD pizza (Livonia-Middlebelt) Monday January 20th (MLK Day) All day 25% of proceeds come back to the school

February- Skating at RiverSide Thursday February 20th 6:00-8:00pm

March-Chuck E. Cheese (Canton on Ford road) Wednesday March 26th all day. 20% of proceeds will come back to Randolph. Staff members can get a free pizza.

April-TBD

May-TBD

Urban Air fundraiser. Pre- sale tickets. More information to follow

Yearbook

New Business Student directory- more information to follow

Meeting Adjourned @ 6:47

Next Meeting: November 7th at 6:00

Meeting Minutes prepared by: Katie Simmons