

# Danville Primary School - Home and School Association

## Meeting Minutes

**October 7, 2025**

### **HSA Officers:**

President: Miranda Vining  
Vice President: Amanda Beach  
Treasurer: Alyssa Ellis  
Secretary: Kristin Onisick  
Holiday Shop and Book Fair: Meg Heaps  
Field Trips / Science Fair: Aubree Kresch  
Fundraising: Lindsey Shannon

### **Meeting Notes**

#### Officer Introductions

#### Principal's Report:

- Per Giana, nothing new to report

#### Treasurer's Report/Credit Card conversation/vote:

- Since the last meeting, there has been some income from t-shirt sales of students needing to purchase another shirt. There has also been money spent on Iron kids shirts.
- Per Alyssa- a debit card was used in the past. The hsa currently does not have one, but would like to get one to make purchasing easier from outside vendors.
- Vote needs to be done to put this motion into action. Vote taken- all officers in agreement. Parents- no objections. Alyssa and Miranda will work with the bank to get the card ordered
- How does the spiritwear fundraising work?- HSA has a credit from the fundraiser last year. Miranda paid in full for the iron kids shirt instead of using credit from the spirit wear sale last year. Miranda is awaiting word from Triple Play on next steps for current credit..
- HSA could potentially use credit for 2nd grade shirts or next year's iron-kids shirt, if Triple Play cannot cut a check for current credit.

#### Iron Kids T-Shirt Sale update:

- Orders have been placed and all Kindergarten and new students will receive free shirts this year
- Triple Play will contact Miranda when they are ready to be picked up and disbursed to students

#### Fall Fundraiser update:

- As of today, \$39,643 raised just in online sales, paper sales will be calculated when the fundraiser ends tomorrow evening.
- Miranda will wait to hear from Paul when items sold and sent to school are ready to be picked up.
- HSA will need assistance sorting and organizing orders. This will be completed in the cafeteria. All orders sent to the school will need to be picked up as soon as possible since items cannot be stored at the school.
- Paul will supply Miranda with the list of kids who sold 20 items and earned a limo ride
- HSA will get permission slips around for students who earned the limo ride, as well as friends that students choose to go with

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- Miranda will review logistics with Madi
- We will need to increase staff coverage for the limo trip

## Fundraising update:

- Current Cherrydale fundraiser - see above
- 3 additional ideas were presented:
  - Bason Coffee fundraiser. Those interested will purchase tickets. Bason will have 2 lanes open to allow for drive-thru where tickets can be submitted for select specialty coffees available that day. Lindsey is waiting to hear back from owners of Bason on proceeds from this potential fundraiser.
  - Kendra Scott's Give Back event. Lindsey has been in contact with Nadia Fernandez, representative. This fundraiser would be a 48 hour fundraiser- students will be given a link and code for purchasing. HSA will receive 20% of proceeds. HSA will look at potentially doing this fundraiser around Spring. There is currently a high success rate for this give back program. We will need to consider the turn out around time after jewelry is ordered.
  - Restaurant Brasserie Louis in Lewisburg can offer a dine in event where HSA gets proceeds back

## Field Trips:

- Tomorrow starts the 1st grade field trip to Rhrbach's- rain or shine. Field trip is 10am-1:30pm. 48 parents signed up to attend the event.
- Buses park in the main parking lot. Parents should park in the main parking lot. Buses will move when kids are all off. Parents should be there by 9:30am. All parents are paid for. Activities include corn maze, playland, lunch at pavilions, and an educational course.
- Denise from Rohrbachs mentioned that she would be available to do an in school event for Spring
- Kindergarteners will go to Lewisburg Children's Museum in May. They are asking for a deposit this year.
- 2nd graders will attend Reptileland in May
- Another idea presented- NASA does virtual field trips where NASA scientists connect with students on Zoom. Topics for presentation can include weather, hubble space telescope, aeronautics, etc. All presentations are free of charge.

## Correction to Science Fair Date: This year, it will take place on **Wednesday, March 18th**

- Please be on the lookout for TriFold boards on sale. if you see any deals, let Aubree know as HSA provides all participants with a board
- Science Fair is for Kindergarten thru Second grade students

## Parent/Teacher Conferences Luncheon:

- November 6th will be a half day for students. Conferences will start that afternoon.
- HSA will provide teachers with a luncheon on November 6th- Amanda will set up.
- Parents- please watch for an email for items to be donated- soups, fruits, veggies, drinks, etc.

## Book Fair/Lunch with a loved one:

- November 10th-14th
- Students can have 2 loved ones eat lunch with them and then go to book fair to shop
  - K- November 10th

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- 1st- November 11th
- 2nd- November 12th
- More information will be sent out and parents must complete and return a form at a later date.

### Open Discussion:

- Trunk or Treat will be on October 28th- Hsa is not participating this year
- Danville Halloween parade is October 30th
- Fall/Halloween classroom parties will be Friday October 31st. Teachers will be sending out information to class parents soon.
- Classroom parties occur in the fall, for the holidays, Spring and end of year. Teachers will organize these parties and send out additional information to parent teachers.
- Parents have not received notification if their volunteer paperwork has been accepted. Please review School Board agendas to see if your name appears in either September or October agenda. All volunteers are discussed and approved at school board meetings.
- Flyers were sent home today with students discussing crosswalk. Safety remains top priority. QR code on flyer takes you to the link to sign a petition to implement additional safety strategies. There is also a meeting that will occur on October 14th with Danville Town Borough and PenDot. Everyone is invited to attend this meeting to voice concerns and push for additional safety measures.

### Meeting Adjourned

**Next meeting will be held on November 4th in the DPS Library or via zoom at 6pm.**