

Meeting Minutes

Organization- Hance Elementary School PTO

Date- Tuesday January 6, 2026 at 9:30 AM

Meeting Recorder- PTO Secretary Mike Barber

Meeting Participants: Principal Giran, PTO President Brittany Kindersmith, PTO Vice President Emilie Gaeta, PTO Secretary Mike Barber, Michelle Anderson, Jess Mey, Marshall Eiseman, Christa Noce, Jamie Staudt, Amber P.

Purpose of Meeting: 1- approval of November 2025 meeting minutes 2- Principal Update 3- Current President's resignation 4- vote to approve current Vice President becoming Hance PTO President 5- Review of school year up to date 4- Budget update 5- committee update

1. November 2025 meeting minutes unanimously approved
2. Principal Update- A) Review of December. It was successful spreading the parties out throughout the day to solve the parking problem.
3. Current President Brittany Kindersmith resigns from her position as PTO president effective on January 17, 2026.
4. Current Vice President Emilie Gaeta is unanimously voted in to become the Hance PTO president effective January 17, 2026.
5. Review of school year up to date- Tom Turkey was a smashing success as the students brought in 1900 items for our outreach program directly benefitting Hance families. The Veteran's Day celebration and parade had another successful year. The Kindness Day Assembly, the Holiday Shop, Parents Night Out and holiday parties were smooth thanks to our volunteers. The Staff Winter Luncheon was a success, however, due to a Giant Eagle error they gave us a refund for our order.
6. Budget Update- Our events have exceeded our expectations and our committee's are consistently staying within budget to keep our financials in good standing.
7. Committee Update- Upcoming events include Boosterthon, Skate for a Cause, PR Pens Night, Glow Run, Valentine's Day Parties and staff cookie exchange, glow run reward assembly and staff luncheon, board nominations open, spring book fair and open houses, and spring picture day