

9-30-2026 PTO Meeting Minutes

Treasurer Report:

Current Balance: \$ 5242. 41

Withdrawals since May 13th meeting:

-\$3.00-thank you cards

-\$29.00-Storage containers for PTO items

-\$157.37 total for retirement gifts for Diane and Robin for the following amounts:

- \$54.98
- \$89.89
- \$6.50
- \$6.00

-\$88.64 to Leufkens for staff appreciation

-\$145.25-restock of staff coffee

-\$68 coffee cups

- 264 K cups
- Creamers-180 French vanilla, 192 half & half
- 1000 count coffee cups

Deposits since May 13th meeting:

-\$500-grant donation for playground

-\$25 ongoing blanket fundraiser

-\$250-ongoing blanket fundraiser

Board Positions:

All positions were filled with the following PTO members:

President-Morgan Leaf

Vice President-Lola fisher

Treasurer-Lael Hackenbruck

Secretary-Britney Whittenburg

Events and Budgets:

PTO decided to continue to do the following events, budgets for each will be set at a future meeting

-Mega bucks-mid December

-Muffins with moms-Done in February for National Muffin Day last year

-Doughnuts with Dads-usually in April

-8th Grade graduation-end of school year

-Track and Field day-end of school year

-staff appreciation-beginning of May

-popcorn Fridays-

- PTO wants to try to keep them once a month if we can find enough volunteers.
- Britney will talk to Mr. Dorscher to see if we need to make any adjustments to how it's done.
- We need to schedule dates for the year at the next meeting
- Once they are scheduled, Krystal will work on getting \$50 donations for each one by reaching out to businesses for \$50 sponsors to pay for them.
- We decide to skip October's popcorn Friday, and there usually isn't one in December or June.

-Other ideas:

- Pumpkin contest in October-Britney will ask Mr. Dorscher if this is something we can do school wide
- Board game night

Fundraisers:

Do again:

-blankets

-coin competition

-concessions

- box tops

New ideas:

- 50/50 raffles

- dine out fundraiser

- some kind of order form fundraiser

Box tops info

- total earnings last year (July 2025 to June 2026) totaled \$751.90

- We did challenges and awarded highest earning classes last year. Do we want to keep doing this?

- reward cost last year totaled \$51.06, and bluehawk pizza donated rewards at the end of the year

- Britney will talk to Mr. Dorscher to make sure this is still okay to do

501(c)3

- Hiddi got us set up to be a 501c3 last year and we accepted some donations as that entity.

- We later learned that the Thompson Falls PTO has been this in the past and it somehow didn't get passed down to new groups over the years.

- this is causing issues with the new 501c3. Hiddi is still working to get this all straightened out and she will continue to work on it until it gets straightened out. We still want to operate as a 501c3

Future PTO meetings:

- last year we did them on Wednesdays at 5:00 and just worked around the school schedule, most were mid month. We chose to continue doing this as it seemed to work well.

- Next PTO meeting is scheduled for October 14 @ 5:00pm