PTO Meeting Agenda

Date: November 2, 2026
Time: 3:45 PM
Location: PHES Library

Welcome

- Welcome

Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

- Posted on website

Principal/School Updates

- School news and updates
    - None at this time

Treasurer's Report

- Current balance
- Upcoming financial needs
- Goal for this year - new playground equipment

Committee & Event Updates

- Past Events
    - Truck or Treat - October 23rd
    - Panda Express Night - Raised $330
    - Fall Break Challenge - winner will be announced at next meeting
        - Winners will get milk and cookies on 11/10
- Upcoming PTO events
    - Walk-A-Thon
        - Prize tier parties
            - 11/20 - Donuts with Deputies
                - Looking for donut donations- Carson Donuts and Donuts to Go can possibly donate
                - Plan to do the party during lunch
            - 12/4 - Hot Chocolate Party
            - 12/11 - Pizza Party
        - Donations

- Carson Valley Health - water station and water bottles
    - Being washed for distribution during Walk-A-Thon
- Always looking for help reaching out to businesses.
    - Nevada Western Supply $350
    - Great Basin Physical Therapy $600
    - Blue (something) $600

- SignUpGenuis
    - Snacks
        - Good variety of snacks donated
    - Lap Counters
        - Have one for each class
    - Set up/clean up
    - Looking for someone to be Mighty
        - Need a volunteer to be Mighty the mascot.(thought we had one?)
        - Working on obtaining volunteers
    - Erin to send an email to the teachers regarding:
        - Waterbottles, shirts, headbands
    - Additional discussion items:
        - Can we use Parent Square to send out PTO information regarding events and volunteer activities.
            - Erin to follow up with Jason & Molly to see if we can use this platform in the future

- Gobble Wobble
    - Hosted by Mr. R
    - Every grade does a run
    - Top 3 boys and top 3 girls win a prize
    - Need to finalize a date: 11/19 or 11/20 before break
    - Link for volunteers has been sent out
    - Costco gift card donation for supplies
- Cookies and Cocoa with Santa
    - Santa is confirmed
    - Need to create flyer
    - Hand stamps again for hot chocolate and cookies
    - Looking for donations of cookies, maybe hot chocolate (depends on how much is used for WAT)
        - Working on Costco and Shatt's Bakery, maybe Walmart?
        - Costco gift card for cookie purchase
- Winter Break Challenge
    - Reading challenge
        - Erin working with Val and Joylyn to send out more information
- Spring Festival
    - Theme - Second Annual Pony Up For Pinon
        - After Walk-A-thon we will begin working on this event

- Fundraising updates
    - Restaurant Nights
        - November 18th - Chipotle
            - 25% of proceeds will go to Pinon
        - Looking for ideas on more
            - Thoughts on having one in December?
                - Agreed to try and get another restaurant for December
                    - Maybe Chik-fil-A or Round Table
    - Tahoe Knight Monsters Night - scheduled for January 8th
        - Erin to create a flier for this so people can begin purchasing tickets
- Volunteer opportunities
    - No additional opportunities at this time

New Business

- New ideas and proposals
    - Bingo Night - February ?????
        - Parent reached out to host. Need to select a date.
            - Erin to work with Molly on solidifying a date
- Upcoming projects or initiatives
    - Cookies and Coco with Santa - December 17th
    - Winter Break Challenge - December 20 to January 1st
    - PHES Tahoe Knight Monsters Night - January 8th
    - Winter Break 2 Challenge - February 15th to 19th
    - Read-a-thon - 1st week of March
    - Spring Festival - April 9th
    - Spring Break Challenge - April 19th to 23rd
    - TAW - 1st week of May
- Items for discussion

Open Discussion

- Questions, suggestions, and feedback from families

Upcoming Dates

- Important school dates
    - Make Up Picture Day - 11/4
    - Half Day (Parent Teacher Conferences) - 11/5
    - No School (Parent Teacher Conferences) - 11/6
    - No School (Veteran’s Day) - 11/11
    - Early Release - 11/16
    - Thanksgiving Break - 11/23 to 11/127
- Next PTO meeting - December 7th @ 2:30 pm

- Board Meetings
    - Special Board Meeting - November 9th 4:00 to 7:00 pm
        - Discussing JVES and PHES potential merger
        - Suggestion to attend meeting to provide input
        - Awaiting to have numbers for potential class sizes, program offerings etc.
        - Decision will not be made until January 2027
    - Regular Board Meeting - November 19th 4:00 to 7:00 pm

Thank you for being part of our PHES community! We appreciate your time, ideas, and support.

- **Will work on obtaining a microphone for future meetings.**