Jefferson Elementary PTO

May PTO Meeting 2025 Minutes

May 6, 2025 / 6:00 PM / Media Center

AGENDA

- Welcome and Introductions

- Childcare Reminders

- Admin Update-Ms. Brueske
  - We Are Jefferson Night had 384 people attend, 75% current families, 25% new families.
  - Terrace planting 54 different prairie plants with grant.
  - Teachers will do more training with MSU & Jeffers for next year.
  - MCA testing is almost complete and then Dibels testing will start soon.

- Book Fair Review- Amanda
  - This was our most successful book fair to date, generating $2,700 in total earnings. Of that amount, $1,097 was received as profit in Scholastic Dollars. After allocating $700 in Scholastic Dollars for the use of classroom teachers and the library, the remaining balance brought our total Scholastic Dollar fund to $1,500, which will be available for future classroom use. Additionally, we earned $278 for the Share the Fair fund, which can be used at our next fair to support students or teachers.

  - The **next book fair is tentatively scheduled for October 27–31, 2025**, though the dates may change depending on the food night event with the band. The **spring book fair is planned for April 14–16, 2026**.

- Carnival Update-Annie
  - Carnival planning is going well. There will be a couple of new games this year. Generous donations from a few business and private individuals have been received. Sign up genius for volunteers is coming out soon.

- Staff Appreciation May
  - We've been showing appreciation to our Jefferson staff each month and will do it once more this month (May).

- New ideas for next year?
  - Movie Night - Indoor or Outdoor

- Thank you!!

Event Dates

- **May 29th** 5:30-7:30 Spring Carnival
- **June 5th** Last Day of School

PTO Officers

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