Jefferson Elementary PTO

October 2025 PTO Meeting

October 7 , 2025 / 6:00 PM / Cafeteria

AGENDA

- Welcome and Introductions
    - 11 in attendance including exec. committee and staff

- Admin Update-Ms. Brueske–Title 1 and World's Best Workforce Presentations
    - Presentations will be shared in the Friday Smore

- Teacher Rep Update –Ms. Vargason
    - 5th grade loved the Jog and participating in their final jog at Jefferson
    - Grades 3-5 will be attending Women's MSUM Hockey Game
    - Seed to Sauce, 5th grade went to MSU and made homemade pasta
        - Toured campus garden
        - Growing basil plants in the classroom
    - Thank you to PTO for classroom funding

- Jog Recap–Thank you!
    - Amount raised $25, 644 (with a few more donations still coming in) and final approximate amount will be posted in the Smore
    - A big thank you to Stephanie F. for all her hard work and time into this fundraiser
    - Glow Party celebration for all classrooms on 10/31

- Monthly Meeting Signage
    - PTO meeting and event board being ordered to have out on event dates to be placed at the pick up lane and main doors

- Neon Night Date (evening family event) –during skating unit
    - Final date to come soon

- Family Food Night
    - November 6th, 5:30-7:00

- Bookfair–Amanda
    - 2 book fairs each school year
    - 1st book fair will pair with Family Food Night
    - Scholastic dollars (amount earned back to the school) used for teachers to have an amount to spend on their classroom, an amount used to spend in the media center, and amount used for Kindergarten Connection students (in spring)
    - Requesting for teachers to pick 3 books to place on a "wish list" shelf that families can purchase for the classroom

- Staff Appreciation
    - Discussion on next staff appreciation

- Conference Meals

- T-shirts for Adults–Order interest form
    - Interest form will be coming out for an order to be placed at a later date
- Budget update

PTO Meeting Dates

November NO MEETING

December 9, 2025

January 13, 2026

February 10, 2026

March NO MEETING

April 7, 2026

May 12, 2026

Event Dates

Family Food Night Nov 6th @ 5:30-7:00 Fall Book Fair
A& I Literacy Night @ BEC 5:30-7:00
Neon Night TBD @ 6:00-7:30pm
We are Jefferson Tues April 14th @ 5:30-7:00 Spring Book Fair
Carnival May 7th 5:30-7:30pm

PTO Officers

- President - Renata Perrizo
- Vice-President - Annie Kenne
- Treasurer - John Schlack
- Secretary - Amelia Jirak
- Executive officers - Becky Bailey, Sonja Sowders, Amanda Stevens

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