



Patwin PTA

**Full Membership Meeting Minutes: 09/09/26,
7-8 pm**

By Zoom: <https://zoom.us/j/94100556606>

Attendees: Roll Call/sign-in

Board members: Alicia Ballor, Kristi Link-Crosier, Rob Bohn, Muamer Celik, Seiha Sky

General members: Anni Shairer, Carly Russell, Talitha van der Meulen, Lauren Fields, Cheri Lucas Rowlands, Kimberly McCuster, Nikola Davis, Annamarie Baumler, Cyndee Nikzad, Alison Jensen, Helen Spangler, Diana Gallagher, Crystal Brunelle, William Eddy

Non-members: Diana Franklin Schult, Freshta Atta, Sukhi Sidhu

I. Call to Order: President's Welcome at 7pm

II. Principal's Report: Helen Spangler

- a. Crocker Art Ark: Bus with art will be coming to Patwin. September 22nd 6-7 pm families can visit the Art Ark.
- b. Safety Drills began and have gone well.
- c. Teachers have their first professional development coming up next week that focuses on students outside the sphere of success
- d. High school students would like to visit Patwin to share about the Know Better, Do Better, Be Better Pledge campaign
- e. Patwin is required to do a patriotic observance every day. Land acknowledgment and other activities that engage with civics satisfy this requirement.
- f. Looking for more Site Council members to be on the upcoming ballot.
- g. Looking for volunteers to join Patwin's school climate community
- h. Looking for a volunteer from the PTA, school site council, a representative from special education and representative from English language learners to be invited to the Superintendent Site Council meetings

- i. Invites 5th grade parents to do Frozen Fridays to fundraise for Outdoor Ed

III. Officer's Reports:

- a. President: Alicia Ballor
- b. Vice President: Seiha Sky
- c. Membership: Kristi-Link Crosier
 - Membership Report: 100 members
 - California PTAs are switching to a new membership organization website instead of Totem: <https://connect.futurefund.com/>
- d. Secretary: Kristi-Link Crosier
 - Approval of [June](#) 2026 Minutes
 - Talitha van der Meulen moved; Alicia Ballor seconded the motion. The motion passed unopposed.
 - Room Parent Update

II. Treasurer's Report

- a. [River City Checking Account 6/10/2026-6/30/2026](#)

Balance reported 6/10/2026	\$60,128.02
Income	\$591.63
Disbursements	\$493.01
Balance on hand 6/30/2026	\$60,226.64

- b. [River City Checking Account 7/1/2026-9/9/2026](#)

Balance reported 7/1/2026	\$60,226.64
Income	\$1,281.43
Disbursements	\$2,234.99
Balance on hand 9/9/2026	\$59,273.08

III. Checks

Checks

06/11/2026	CHECK	2247	cynthia lanier, Reissue for lost check #2075 (Classroom Funds- Lakeshore, Dollar Tree, TJ Max, Michaels)	\$	493.01
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08/30/2026	CHECK	2248	Alicia Ballor, Welcome Coffee (Coffee)	\$	44.00
08/30/2026	CHECK	2249	Alicia Ballor, Zoom Annual Subscription		169.90
08/30/2026	CHECK	2250	Kristi Link-Crosier, Welcome Coffee (Pastries)		68.92
08/30/2026	CHECK	2251	Jennifer Moy, Classroom Funds		185.19
08/30/2026	CHECK	2252	Alison Jensen, Classroom Funds		271.89
08/30/2026	CHECK	2253	Melinda Coates, School Support (Student Council & VIP Binders)		34.57
08/30/2026	CHECK	2254	Nikola Davis, Classroom Funds		50.32
09/07/2026	CHECK	2255	Dominique Perotti, Classroom Supplies		497.12
09/07/2026	CHECK	2256	Linda Davis, School Supplies and Student Photos		172.23
09/07/2026	CHECK	2257	Erika Jaques, Classroom Setup		332.13
09/07/2026	CHECK	2258	Wendy Thresher, Classroom Supplies		172.74
09/07/2026	CHECK	2259	Sarah McCaffrey, Classroom Supplies and UC Davis Math Project		57.19
09/07/2026	CHECK	2260	Stephanie Moore-Tealdi, Classroom Supplies		163.49
09/07/2026	CHECK	2261	Erin Espinoza, Classroom Supplies		15.30

1. **Motion to ratify checks numbered 2247-2261**

- a. Alicia Ballor moved; Anna Baumler seconded the motion.
The motion passed unopposed.

■ [2025-2026 Budget to Actuals report](#)

Line Item	Annual Budget	Actuals
2025-2026 Income	\$48,280.00	\$54,802.59
2025-2026 Expenses	\$51,794.78	\$47,184.87

■ 2026-2027 Budget Proposal

1. [2026-2027 Preliminary Budget.xlsx](#)

2. **Motion to pass the 2026-2027 budget**

- a. Alicia Ballor moved; Talitha van der Meulen seconded the motion. The motion passed unopposed.

■ Upcoming expenses to authorize

Expense	Amount
Membership Toolkit Annual Subscription	\$300
myPTEZ	\$249
CA DOJ Charity Registration	\$50
2025-2026 Tax Prep	\$350
Davis Parent University	\$425
Fall Festival	\$250
School Support (fiduciary agreement)	\$23,150

Spirit Wear (Patwin T-shirts and hoodies)	\$1,000
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1. Motion to approve, authorize and release the above expenses

- a. Alicia Ballor moved; Seiha Sky seconded the motion. The motion passed unopposed.

■ New reimbursement request option

1. [Google form](#)
2. Email CAPTA Reimbursement form to treasurer@patwinpta.org
3. Hard copy of CAPTA

- b. Parliamentarian: Muamer Celik

■ Bylaws were updated and approved by the California PTA Parliamentarian

IV. Teacher updates

- a. Alison Jensen thanked PTA for the classroom expense budget. Many teachers are participating in the DJUSD math pilot program. First assembly went well. Classroom buddies started. Garden Club started for primary, will start for intermediate soon. Student Council elections are going on for intermediate classrooms.

V. Upcoming Committee and Volunteer Needs

- a. Fall Festival: October 2nd from 5-7 PM. We will need someone to chair this and get things squared away. The sign up has been completed and is the same as last year.
- b. Book Fair: November 16 - 20.
- c. Teacher Conference Week Food: November 16 - 20
- d. Read-a-Thon: November 16 - 29?

VI. New Business

- a. Patwin Action Team Updates/Announcements
- b. Garden updates
 - Ms. Lester, Ms. Thresher, Agee/Jaques, Mr. DeNardo still need Garden Club volunteers

VII. Upcoming Dates:

- a. Fall festival: October 2
- b. UnFundraiser: October and November
- c. Book Fair: November 16-19
- d. Teacher Conference Food Week: November 16-20
- e. Read-a-Thon: November 16 - 29

VIII. Meeting adjourned at 8:03 pm

PTA Important Information and Links:

- **Get Involved in the Patwin Action Committee:**
<https://chat.whatsapp.com/FUhvWKjZk9ZGFetC626SPi?mode=wwt>
- **Give** to our Fall UnFundraiser Campaign: [UnFundraiser 2026](#)
- **Learn** more information about PTA meetings, T-shirt sales, events like Fall Festival at PatwinPTA.org
- **Join** the PTA as a member: <https://jointotem.com/ca/davis/patwin-elementary-pta>
- **Subscribe** to PTA Communications and Newsletters:
<https://patwinpta.membershiptoolkit.com> (formerly AtoZconnect.com)
- **Contact** info@patwinpta.org with questions!