

PTO Meeting Minutes
January 21, 2025 @ 6:00pm
LRES Kindergarten Conference Room

Attendance:

President – Dani Rogers	Secretary – Laura Saint-Cyr – ABSENT
Vice President – Jeanne Chouinard – ABSENT	Treasurer & Publicity – Ariane Johnson
Fundraising Coordinator – Kristen McRae	Volunteer Coordinators – Sarah Mayo
Assistant Principal Paula Oliveira; Michelle Munson	

Meeting opens at 6pm

Welcome

Principal Update

Upcoming Events & Activities

- Family Fun Night
 - Need a game: turtle jumping stones
 - Need a giveaway item: jumping frogs and dum dum pops
 - Sharing a booth with PCG. Need to determine staffing the booth for the 2 hours + setup and cleanup after
 - Vote to spend \$13.99 on Amazon jumping frogs. Ariane voted and Kristen second. All in favor. Ariane to order the frogs.
- Penny Wars
 - Coming up first week in February, 3rd-7th. Need to lockdown volunteers for morning helping the kids and evening counting the pennies.
 - Notes for week of: Make a note of Facebook asking parents to have kids separate coins silver and pennies in different bags; Use gallon bags to bag the money daily and place it back in the bins; make daily posts with the totals of who is in the lead.
- Bingo Night
 - Friday February 7th. Sold out with 102 people registered
 - Vote to order GMS pizza for the event with a 5:30pm pickup – need a volunteer for pickup
 - Check in with LEAP on setup timing
 - Skip popcorn due to lack of volunteers and just do chips and snacks leftover from Halloween. 50ish bags of chips.
 - Vote to spend \$300 on all Bingo food + \$100 on prizes. Kristen Voted and Sarah Second. All in favor
 - Need to get projector from Paula and ask Kera where Bingo sheets are.
 - Add a note in Friday newsletter to ask for more volunteers and we will be able to add their family to the event if they can help.
- Square1 Art
 - Feb 25th to mail out art before break
 - Anne to create labels for folders
 - We need volunteers the week before vacation to check the art
 - April 1st will be the order deadline for families
 - Start ads after Bingo

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- Spirit Crew Collab.
 - Help to fund hot coco/coffee bar
 - Vote to give a \$50 donation to SpiritCrew. Ariane Voted; Kristen Second. All in favor
- Penny Wars Money Use
 - Work with SELT to put funds toward outdoor exploration equipment
 - Potential use of funds toward art supplies for indoor recess carts: Coloring books, simple games – make an amazon list to share with teachers to create a list

Teacher Asks

- \$55 for recorders to Mrs. Lacassee
- Voted by Kristen and second by Sarah.

Approval of December meeting minutes – Motion to approve by Kristen & Second by Sarah

Meeting Adjourn @ 7:35pm

Minutes prepared by Ariane Johnson

Next Meeting – February 18th 6pm