PTA General Meeting
January 21, 2025
9:00am EST

PTA Board Member Attendees:

Maria Jewell, Trisha Feldman, Jen Solf, Ninella Chisea, Maritza Kandersack

Meeting Minutes

Approve Minutes	● Prior meeting minutes approved
December/January in Review	● Holiday Shop raised $5.8k ● Park Ridge Elementary Toy Drive collected 480+ toys ● Holiday Staff Appreciation Luncheon ● Literacy Night ● Restaurant Night - Kilwins and BurgerFi

Upcoming Events	● Lunar New Year 01/24 5-8pm, pre register and purchase food in advance
	● PTA Board Elections, email hello@rivergladespta.com for more information or to enter your name
	● Sweet Treat Fundraiser
	   ○ Yogurt Craze 01/30
	   ○ Jeremiah's 02/11
	● Bingo Night 02/18 2 sessions, no tickets at door
	● Restaurant Night - Texas Roadhouse 02/04
	● McTeachers Night 03/05
	● Florida Panthers 04/10
	● Gator Reward Store 02/04-02/05
	● Volunteer Opportunities - signups available on www.rivergladespta.com/volunteer
	● Day of Service and Love - 02/14
	● Parkland Day 03/08

Financial Update	● Projected bank balance is on budget
District Update	● Yearbooks and Ads

	- Buy your yearbook and ads www.buytheyearbook.com - IMPORTANT: Complete your required form - Send in pictures to yearbook@rivergladespta.com - Include names of students - Class Pictures-February 3 and 4 - Spring Pictures Coming - SAC/SAF Meeting - January 27th @ 9am - North Area Advisory Council - Visit NAAC website for meeting schedule, agendas, and meeting minutes - Held Monthly @ Monarch High School Media Center - Last Meeting 01/16, Next Meeting: Thursday 02/13 6:15PM - 9PM - Multilingual Advisory Committee - Council was established to enhance and support the educational experience of all students in the Dual Language Program in District Schools - Questions Email MACChairBCPS@outlook.com 5 Meetings a Year - In Person or Virtual Attendance - Last Meeting 01/14 , Next Meeting February 11th @ Manatee Bay Weston 6:30pm
SRO Update	Traffic has improved with Lox being opened now
Principal Update	- iReady and Fast testing took place and scores released - Kindergarten roundup continue - Please attend upcoming Lunar Event