PTO Meeting Minutes November 20th, 2025

1. Principal Report- Mr. Johnston unable to attend due to his birthday plans. Discussed results of Halloween Hop, and Spirit Wear earnings. Discussed Best Buddies program updates and monthly meeting results/impressions. Successful so far. Report cards will be out on 12/1/25 on Power Schools. Watch Dog is still available for sign up through Signup Genius. Holiday break starts 12/19/25. Principal for the day winner will be announced tomorrow for the top earners of the Eagle Walk. Three winners (all different grades). Mr. Johnston cannot escape the Dunk Tank! Over 92 kids earned over \$100 in donations. Sorting out how to do dunk tank. In gym on a tarp were discussed. End of day Monday, details will be announced.

2. Meeting topics-

- a. Restaurant Night- Chik Fil A- so far has earned \$315.67. Suggestions were made to add Hungry Howies in March because they deliver and give us 20% back. They can offer a recurring multi-day per month campaign which we can select start/end dates. They deliver vs Mod doesn't, discussing discontinuing Mod next year. 12/16/25 is restaurant night at Salsarita's.
- b. Donut Day- Next one is Friday, 11/21/2025, \$585 in donuts were ordered.
- c. Eagle Walk- Discussed how successful the student-made signs were and continuing it next year. Will need more time to setup signs next year also.
- d. Santa Shop- Starts 12/1/25, provided attendees information on general cost of gifts, and how to fill out order form. Requested volunteers and provided information on how to sign up.
- e. Treasurer's Report-
 - 1. Scholastic costs increased \$4,000 this year. Teacher's mentioned books offered aren't aligned with required curriculum. Discussed removing scholastic as a fundraiser.
 - 2. Halloween Hop brought in \$3,227, higher than expected income by \$1,200. Eagle Walk was a huge success using FundHub. Brought in over \$4,000 more than expected income. Discussed continuing next year since cc fee has been covered already.
- 3. Open Discussion- Great Skate's most recent turn out was not successful. Discussed starting a competition to increase turnout. Attendees requested extra copies of flyers for students who lose/don't bring home upcoming events. Pizza party for Ms. Rimmel's class for bringing the most candy for the Halloween Hope was suggested. Offering frosty's for the year coupons were suggested instead to stay within nutritional guidelines from the district's recommendation. Daddy/daughter dance booked at the Italian American Cultural Center on 3/16/26. Using Fundhub more another event was suggested. Idea for raising money for instruments in Mrs. Ven's music classes was a good opportunity discussed.

4. Next PTO meeting will be 1/15/26.