

**Alma Elementary PTO Meeting Minutes**  
**January 20, 2025**

**Brought to motion at: 6:30am**

**Attendance:** Bryant Greiner, Katie Hart, Rachel Krieg, Matthew Krieg, Ashley Tupper, Jill Johnston, Kristie Falor, Becca Adkins, Krista Wilson, Dr. Kathy Konowalow, Tia Hahn, Kristina Ostrander, Sarah Rogers, Grant Gage, Alexa Wright, Jean Fahey

**President's Report:** We have access to our funds FINALLY! Gift cards are on their way to the teachers, stock the lounge has been started now that we can buy food

**Treasurer's Report:**

**Secretary's Report:**

**Committee Report:**

- Fundraising: Rachel Kreig
  - Josh Gustavison and Sam Burkett
  - 5th grade trip was not approved for fundraising
- Book Fair: Alexa Wright
- Carnival: Ashley Tupper
  - March 19 at the Middle School
  - 5-7pm
  - Volunteers needed the day of event
  - Storage will be at Luce Road
  - Looking for a sponsor to sponsor the concessions
  - Inflatables: At least 3, looking into yard games and other fun!
- Fun Run: Rachel Kreig
  - May 2nd at High School
  - Rain date is May 16
  - Kickoff is April 1st
  - Goal is \$65,000
  - 104.9 will be doing shoutouts again (looking into payment options since we do not have the same program as when we were a part of the school)
  - 3 classroom winners for a \$150 gift card: Overall percentage per student, Most students registered, Total Raised
  - Big Prizes: Winning classroom from each school gets a pizza party or ice cream social
  - Superstar Prizes - Fitness class
- Donuts with Grownups: Sam Burkett
- Teacher Appreciation: Melissa G
  - Stocked lounges this morning. Principals report it was much appreciated!

**Old business: once all the gift cards come in, they will be distributed to classrooms**

**New business: Any suggestions Venmo vs. Paypal?**

**Principal Reports:**

Luce Road: Kindergarten thanks you for the snacks, prepping for field trips this spring

Hillcrest: First day with Dr. K at Hillcrest AND Pine Ave, testing, 1st grade went to the Crystal movie theater and loved it, 100th day of school is coming up, 2nd grade: thank you for

the snacks, 4 student teachers, 3rd grade: Field trip to CMU mid-February, ag club started up today

Pine: 4th grade thanks for stocking the lounge, December's gingerbread day was a success, Hot cocoa day was a success too, Spring trip is in the planning stages, STEM night was last week

**Next Meeting: February 17th at Hillcrest Elementary**

**Meeting End: 7:12pm**