

Pierce Elementary PATS Meeting
April 9, 2024

Attendees: Kate Siebrandt- President, Michelle Ketelsen- Vice President, Maria Becker- Treasurer, Kristi Brummels- Secretary, Erika Wolken, Stacy Stepp, Crys Bauermeister

Agenda Item	Notes/Comments
Call to Order	President Kate Siebrandt called the meeting to order.
Secretary's Report	Kristi provided a summary of the March 2024 meeting minutes taken by Erika Wolken. Stacy motioned to approve the report. Crys seconded. Report approved.
Treasurer's Report	Maria provided a summary of the treasurer's report. Stacy motioned to approve the report. Erika seconded. Report approved.
Classroom Gifts	Teachers received a thank you note and \$25 Amazon gift card to use for their classroom instead of individual gifts.
Basketball Hoops	New basketball hoops for the playground have been purchased by the school and are in storage. Kate mentioned to Mr. Suehl that we could hold a parent workday to install them. He will check into this.
Inflatables	End of year inflatables will be held on Friday, May 17 th .
Preschool Graduation	PATS will provide funding for preschool signs and candy bars for their graduation. There are 29 kids.
6th Grade Party	PATS will provide \$150 in funding for the 6 th grade party as in past years. The date for the party has not been set.
Library Upgrades	PATS is contributing funds from the cookie dough fundraiser this past fall to library improvements such as mobile shelving and alternative seating. Ann Daudt has been researching shelving and furniture. She will be invited to present her ideas at our next PATS meeting. Kate will reach out to her.
Snack Sales	Our final sack sale will be held on Friday, April 12 th . Any snacks left over from the sale will be given to teachers in the lower grades for classroom use.
Teacher Appreciation Week	<p>When: May 6-10th</p> <p>Theme: Because you always work to "Raise the Bar" for our students, here are all the fun "bars" we have planned for you!</p> <p>Monday: Lemonade bar- PATS will provide cups, lemonade, and syrups. Crys will bring fruit such as strawberries, blueberries, and raspberries.</p> <p>Tuesday: Taco bar- PATS will provide lunch from Taqueria Mr. Lopez from 11:30 am-12:30 pm. Stacy will purchase non-alcoholic margarita packets to add to water.</p>

	<p>Wednesday: Breakfast bar- Kate will contact Rivet Roasters for coffee. Donuts will be purchased from Casey's. Erika will bring butter braids. Parents will be asked for donations of bagels, cream cheese, plates, and cups.</p> <p>Thursday: Snack bar- We will ask for parent volunteers to bring pop, Bubbl'r, Celsius, chips, candy, and trail mix. PATS will purchase popcorn from the movie theater in Norfolk. Kristi will check into pricing.</p> <p>Friday: Ice Cream bar- PATS will provide ice cream bars and cookies.</p> <p>In addition, Michelle will check with Mayflower Nursery regarding flower potting as an activity for teachers. If Mayflower is unable to assist with this event, another craft activity will be planned.</p> <p>Maria will compile a Google document to solicit food donations.</p>
Meeting Adjournment	<p>Kristi motioned to adjourn the meeting. Erika seconded. Our next meeting will be held at the beginning of the 2024-2025 school year.</p>