

**Pierce Elementary PATS Meeting
September 28, 2021**

**Attendees: Katie Prince-President, Kate Siebrandt- Vice President, Maria Becker- Treasurer,
Kristi Brummels- Secretary, Anny Friedrichsen, Melissa Holan**

Agenda Item	Notes/Comments
Call to Order	
Secretary's Report	Kristi provided a summary of the August 2021 meeting minutes. Melissa motioned to approve the report. Kate seconded. Report approved.
Treasurer's Report	Maria provided the Treasurer's Report. Kate motioned to accept the report. Kristi seconded. Report approved.
Cookie Dough Fundraiser	Money from the cookie dough fundraiser was counted before the meeting. The orders will be mailed to the company the week of October 3 rd . The delivery date for the items will be in November. Teachers receive \$50 in free items if half of their class participated in the fundraiser.
Spirit Sales	The next spirit sale will be held on Friday, October 1 st from 7:40 am-8:00 am. New items were ordered and have been received. Prices for these items were established during the meeting. Becky Hilkemann is creating a new flier for the spirit sales.
Snack Sales	The next snack sale will be on Friday, October 8 th at 2:30 pm. Katie will send a message to those who volunteered to provide snacks. She has a list of volunteers who can help with snack sales and will reach out to them as needed.
Boot Bags	Katie requested boot bag samples and received two which the board reviewed. Since we have enough book bags for this school year, we will use what we have and then order more. Boot bags are given to preschoolers and children who are new to Pierce Elementary along with a letter explaining their use. Boot bags are always available for purchase through PATS. The bags will be sent home at Parent Teacher Conferences on October 22 nd .
Halloween Bingo	The date and time of Halloween Bingo was discussed. We may move it from October 30 th to October 31 st from 3:00-4:30 pm so that kids can attend bingo and then participate in the city wide trick or treating. Downtown trick or treating is Friday, October 29 th . Bingo will be held for the younger students and board members will brainstorm ideas for the older students. Katie will contact the high school to see if there are any student groups interested in helping with the event. Kristi will contact Poppin Delights regarding prices for bagged cotton candy with a spider ring in them. PATS already has prizes for the event.

Miscellaneous	Kate Siebrandt mentioned that the Pierce Community Organization is willing to provide some funding for new basketball hoops for the playground. New security cameras were also discussed.
Future Business	<p>The following items will be discussed at future meetings:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establishing committees for events Bulletin board revamp Moving of the November meeting due to the elementary concert Christmas movie/treats Back to school gifts- January Teacher Appreciation (May 1-7) 6th Grade Graduation End of year celebration- inflatables Snack Cart for teachers Future spirit sale dates Future snack sale dates Preschool Playground Box Tops
Meeting Adjournment	Melissa motioned to adjourn the meeting. Maria seconded. Meeting adjourned.