



Palencia Elementary School PTO Meeting

Nov 6th, 2024

14 people in attendance

Welcome! Glad you all are here!

Current Events

- **GPD-November, 20th- Update from chair**
Flyers with information about Grandparent's Day were sent home by teachers and posted online. Students will be coming home with a return letter to send to grandparents.
- **Challenge Island STEM Night- December, 4th 6:00-7:30**
 - Antarctica themed, pizza will be provided 6-6:30pm
 - Limited attendance must sign up via SUG to attend
- **Pirate's Bounty- Update from chair**
 - Thanksgiving Bounty bags SUG is up and donations need to be in by Friday, Nov. 15th.
 - PES is working with the Palencia Publix to provide donated hot meals to Palencia families in need for Thanksgiving and holiday break.
 - 60 bags continue to be provided each week to Pirate Bounty students.
 - Holiday break bags will be provided by the H.U.G.S. program.
 - You can sponsor a Pirate Bounty student or make a donation to Pirate Bounty program on the PTO website.
- **Giving Tree-Update from chair**

PTO Finances & Project Updates

- **Financial update from Treasurer**
 - We are in the process of getting quotes for turf (\$230, 000+) and other educational enhancements as part of our previously approved architectural plans.
 - Fore! the Kids Golf Tournament had 72 golfers participate and netted a profit of \$23,000.
 - Boosterthon netted a profit of \$72,625 after providing \$15,000 in incentives to the PES teachers and students (t-shirts, décor, supplies, donut parties, pizza parties, teacher rewards)

Spirit Nights

- **Your Pie closed so we are transitioning to another venue.**
 - Last month we received 262.00

Spirit Wear

- **Order your spirit wear via our website – 10% of sales will be donated**
 - Spirit Wear Fridays -Ms. Case won the Starbucks GC in September

How can you get involved?

- Join a committee – Sign up today
- Volunteer for an event (Sign-Up Genius) / in the classroom
- Donate Items
- Sponsor Teacher Appreciation Treats
- Become a Corporate Sponsor

Stay in Touch

- www.palenciapiratespto.com
- We have both a Facebook and Instagram page
- Remind Texting App

Questions/feedback?