



PARENTS' CLUB

HPUMC DAY SCHOOL PARENTS' CLUB

MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, November 6th 2025

9:00 AM – 10:00 AM

Meeting called to order at 9:05 am

I. WELCOME AND PRAYER

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II. OCTOBER RECAP

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a. Grand-Friends Day

- Total attendance of 373 people. Event was under budget.
- Next year we could look at age-appropriate stations and people could pick and choose what they would like to do. Idea to start everyone with chapel in the sanctuary, then have stations they can visit in their own time.
- PRO's:
 - One day worked.
 - Valet sponsorship is key for the event.
 - Billy buttons was very popular– idea of turning buttons into magnets.
 - Still waiting for drop box of all event photos and will send out to attendees.
 - People loved the craft, but there were not enough stickers, etc (the first group did more than 1 per kid).
 - FGC raised over 10k at the event
 - Loved having the book sale out in the open for everyone to shop.
- CON's:
 - Great hall was a mess for the 2nd round of people: we need time to turn over the event and clean up. Could pay Preston hollow catering to bus tables.
 - Idea to limit it to only 3's and up to control the chaos– but there is a lot of excitement in the younger grades to be included.
 - Construction at the entrance, the walk from valet to check-in was

really long.

- Check-in: alphabetical order for name tags for check in to reduce lines.
- We needed more volunteers: Could use teachers as extra volunteers.

b. Halloween

- Half-day did not go well since they were coming back from specials, but all-day went better.
- Possibly have the parade not on Halloween since this made for a very busy day, next year Halloween is on a Saturday.
- Set the route for the parade so there is less confusion by parents.
- Teachers did not enjoy the parade; some classes were very hard to control.
- Teachers would like to request all of the classes to have the same party so it is equal among classes.

c. Spirit store

- Flash sale was yesterday- getting rid of all surplus merchandise that was built up over years and years in the attic.

III. FAMILY GIVING CAMPAIGN

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a. 100% participation is the goal, we will have some sort of incentive for the entire school to celebrate our success.

- Instead of pizza it could be a bomb pop to go with our theme.
- We want to make sure everyone feels comfortable giving at whatever level is good for their family.

b. Incentive for giving:

- added more sponsorships at the \$2500 level– 1 event per month: date to be set once sponsored.
- Spirit t-shirts are incentive for kids. Adult pre-order will go into affect next week.
- “Blast to the front of the line” for carnival: passes will be per family, there will be dedicated lines so no one is “skipping” the line (some people didn’t feel comfortable doing this last year), they will have dedicated lines, not every line will have a fast-past, and only 2 passes at the moon level, the # will increase at each level.
- For event tickets – can set it up in square for people to check out for free once the event is created (Mahjong, carnival, etc.)

b. Raffle for tuition: we can do an Instagram live on Monday for the drawing.

c. We still need volunteers: [FGC volunteer sign up link](#)

d. Please stay and help wrap the save the dates that are going out today!

IV. MISC TOPICS:

- Teacher appreciation: floaters not getting gifts. Floaters get assigned per grade level – we will double check we have all accounted for and send to

room parents to share with their classes.

- Some people have not received the November newsletter yet, we will make sure room parents e-mail it out asap.

V. SCHOOL UPDATES

- a. Wrapping up installation of the shatter proof glass today.
- b. Teachers will be getting trained on night-locks recently installed on classroom doors.
- c. The church is currently looking to hire a director of security.

VI. BAKE SALE

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- a. This will be on a November 19th (Wednesday) and the all-day and half-day 4's and TK will participate in making goodies to sell.
- b. All other ages will have a chance to come shop, so send \$1's
- c. Money will be going to Wesley Rankin community center for food insecurity.
- d. Still need a few volunteers: [Volunteer for Bake Sale](#)

VII. WRAP UP

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- a. Parking, Security and Safety reminders

Meeting adjourned at 10:05

IMPORTANT DATES

NOVEMBER 6th: Early closure at 4:45

NOVEMBER 10th -14th: Family Giving Campaign

NOVEMBER 19th: Bake Sale

NOVEMBER 19th: School spirit day

NOVEMBER 26th-28th: No School

DECEMBER 3rd/4th: Cookies with Santa