

PTO MINUTES

Trailblazer Elementary

Tuesday September 19, 2024 4:30pm | Meeting called to order by Kayla Mander, PTO President

PTO Welcome + Introductions

Treasurer's report

- Stacie discussed current status of finances
 - \circ See Treasurer Report for details

Principal's report

<u>New Grant requests</u>

• Kindergarten Teachers

- *Name of request:* 2x more sets of stools
- o <u>Number of student affected</u>: all Kindergarten students
- <u>Date needed by</u>: ASAP
- <u>Money requested:</u> \$289.35
 - \$289.35 VOTED, APPROVED

• 1st Grade Teachers

- o <u>Name of request:</u> STEM Skate City Field Trip
- \circ <u>Number of student affected</u>: 1st grade students
- <u>Date needed by</u>: ASAP
- <u>Money requested:</u> \$780.00
 - \$750.00 VOTED, APPROVED

• 2nd Grade Teachers

- o <u>Name of request:</u> Fun Run Skate City Field Trip Reward
- o <u>Number of student affected</u>: 2nd grade students
- <u>Date needed by</u>: ASAP
- <u>Money requested:</u> \$750.00
 - \$750.00 VOTED, APPROVED
- 3rd Grade Teachers
 - o <u>Name of request:</u> Butterfly Pavilion Filed Trip
 - o <u>Number of student affected</u>: 3rd grade students
 - <u>Date needed by</u>: ASAP
 - <u>Money requested:</u> \$1,535.00
 - \$1,535.00 VOTED, APPROVED

General / PTO Request

- o <u>Name of request:</u> The Foundation Annual Dues
- <u>Number of student affected</u>: N/A
- <u>Date needed by</u>: ASAP
- <u>Money requested:</u> \$1,189.00
 - \$1,189.00 VOTED, APPROVED

<u>Field Trips</u>

• Every grade is going on one this year!

<u>Fun Run 2023: Friday, September 13th – WHAT A HUGE SUCCESS!!</u>

- THANK YOU to every student, family member, TBE teachers & staff who helped!
- \$61,491.00 total raised!
 - \circ \$2,695.60 in transaction fees (3.49% + 0.49 per transaction)
 - <u>\$58,550.40 payment to be issued</u>

Cafeteria Drinking Fountain

- Order via Amazon with \$1,000.00 gift card TBE PTO won
- Hire plumber to install
 - \$1,000.00 VOTED, APPROVED

Parent + Teacher Conferences - October ____ & ____

- PTO to provide dinner on conference nights
 - $\circ~$ Already approved to order, \$350.00 per meal
 - Lazy Dog meals for take home again
 - \$350.00 VOTED, APPROVED

Playground

- What will we spend?
- Can the district provide wood chips?
- Estimated date to begin process?

WatchDOGS & MOMS

• How is the program going?

<u>TBE Fundraiser at Eileen's Cookies – Tuesday Sept. 24th, 10am – 6pm</u>

• 15% back to TBE

<u>TBE Fundraiser at Cuba Cuba – Tuesday October 8th</u>

• 20% back to TBE

<u>TBE Fundraiser at Urban Air – Tuesday October 24th, 4pm – 8pm</u>

Harlem Wizards Community Basketball Game – Sunday, Nov. 3rd 3pm – 5pm

• A fun partnership basketball event with other HR elementary schools

<u>Winter Breakfast – Saturday, Dec. 7th 9am – 11am</u>

- We need help with Silent Auction Donation collecting (items and gift cards!)
- We have a master list created and a letter to send out

TRAILBLAZER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTO 2024-2025 events calendar

AUGUST 2024	SEPTEMBER 2024	OCTOBER 2024	NOVEMBER 2024	DECEMBER 2024
BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT AT THE TUESDAY, AUGUST 13 0-SPM BLAZER BASH BACK TO SCHOOL CARNIVAL AT THE FRIDAY, AUGUST 10 5-SPM PTO MEETING TUESDAY, AUGUST 20 1130-5/30 PM	THE FUN RUNE FREMY, SEPTEMBER 18 3 AM - NOICH KONA ICE AT THE FREMY, SEPTEMBER 18 3-4.00 PM PTO MEETING DIESEAY, SEPTEMBER 17 5-20-8010 PM THE FUNDRAISEN AT ERLEIN'S COCKIES DIESEAY, SEPTEMBER 24 10 AM - 6 PM	THE FUNDRAISES AT CUEA CUEA FUESDAY, OCTOBER & FTO MEETING THESEAY, OCTOBER 23 450-530 FM TBE NIGHT OF THE PARK MEADOWS THURSDAY, OCTOBER 35 4-8 FM	THE FUNDRAUSER AT CHIPOTLE TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5 THROWBACK BOS FAMILY NIGHT AT SKATE CITY THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7 5 - 7 PU PTO MEETING TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19 5 30-0.50 PM	TSE FUNDRAUSER AT MODERN MARKET TUESDAY, DECEMBER'S 11:44 - 5 HW WINTER BREAKFAST + SILENT AUCTION AT THE SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7 9-11:AW PTO MEETING TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17 4:30-6:30 HW
JANUARY 2025	FEBRUARY 2025	500	APRIL 2025	MAY 2025
THE FUNDRAISER AT SNARF'S TUESDAT, IANUARY 14 4 - 5 PM PTO MEETING TUESDAY, IANUARY 21 530-0:30 FM COOKIES AND CANVAS PAMILY NIGHT AT THE FRIDAY, IANUARY 24 0-5 FM	THE FUNDRAISER AT CHICK-FIL-A TUESDAY, TERMUARY 4 PTO MEETING TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16 4:30-5:30 PM PAMILY BINGO NICHT AT THE FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21 8 - 8 PM	MARCH 2025 PTD MEETING TUESEAY, MARCH 11 5 30-6 30 PR TBE FUNDRIAISER AT TORCHY'S TACOS THURSDAY, MARCH 23 TBE FAMILY NIGHT AT AMC HIGHLANDS RANCH FILM. SHOW WHITE 12035	PTO MEETING IDESDAY, APHIL 15 4-50-6 SD PM TRE FUNDRAISER AT PANDA EXPRESS TUESDAY, APRIL 5 FANILY NIGHT AT TBE 'EVENT DETAILS TBD PHILTAY, APHIL 18 6 - 8 PM	TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEX MAY 5 NAY 9 TBE FUNDRAISER AT MAD GREENS TUESDAY, MAY 8 10.30 AM - 8:30 PM PTO MEETING THESDAY, MAY 10 5:30-6:30 FM LAST DAY OF SCHOOLI DESSENT FOOD TRUCK WISH FEIDAY, MAY 23

Upcoming budget costs: Teacher's Pantry (\$150 per month): \$1,500 Additional library books: \$2,500 **Teacher Meals** Fall conferences: \$700 January back to school breakfast: \$350 Spring conferences: \$700 Teacher Appreciation Week: \$3,000 Garden: \$500 Volunteer appreciation events: \$500 Field Trips: \$ 1 Water bottle/drinking fountain filling station in cafeteria (\$1,000) New playground (\$45,000) Holiday giftcards to all staff ($$25 \times 62 = $1,550$) TBE PTO Scholarship (\$500) Field Day shirts