

Abraham Lincoln PTO
Meeting Minutes
November 10, 2021

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of Minutes
- III. Committee Reports
 - a. The next Spirit Night is November 16th from 10 AM until 10 PM at Toss Pizza
 - b. The Halloween bags and Halloween parties were a success. Deanna would like to thank everyone that assisted with making the Halloween bags for each classroom.
 - c. Sarris candy orders are due November 16th
 - d. Cupcakes with Santa has been cancelled due to COVID restrictions.
 - e. Santa's Workshop is still scheduled to take place in school on December 7th, 8th and 9th.
- IV. The Book Fair raised just under \$800 for our the Library
- V. The PTO is providing reimbursement to the teachers for classroom supplies.
- VI. The next PTO meeting is scheduled for 1/26/22.
- VII. The district wide Health and Safety plan will remain into effect through the end of this semester, which is January 13, 2022. A new Health and Safety plan will be voted on and go into effect on January 18, 2022. Therefore, masks are still required inside all school and administrative buildings.
- VIII. The Strategic Plan to move 4th grade to NAMS and 6th grade to IMS will NOT go into effect next year.
- IX. Bethel Park School District now has a newsletter. If you would like to receive a copy of the newsletter, please email James Cromie and advise him to include you on the email distribution list. You can email him at Cromie.James@bphawks.org.

X. Fund Raising

- a. Jersey Mike's Spirit Night raised \$291.00
- b. Moe's Taco kit raised \$255.00
- c. The first School Store raised \$842.00
- d. The Fall Festival raised \$2550.00
- e. Spirit Wear is going on for the entire year

XI. Principal's Report

- a. SAP – Student Assistance Program. There is a school based therapist in Lincoln one day a week to provide support for students that are struggling with issues such as: self-harm, habitual attendance issues, depression, anxiety or issues at home that have a negative impact on the student. If you know of a student that would benefit from this program please contact Mr. Johnson at Johnson.Jay@bphawks.org.
- b. At this time, teachers are not sending students home with their Chrome Books because they do not feel it is viable for students to be transporting them back and forth to school daily. However, if there is a possibility of a school closure that district is aware of ahead of time (i.e. an expected snow/winter storm) then we may see the chrome books come home with the students in preparation to learn remotely for that day.