

November 4, 2020 PTO Meeting Minutes

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Principle Report

Lincoln has qualified as a Title 1 school for 2020-2021 school year, which means that Lincoln will receive supplemental funds to assist in meeting students' educational goals. Qualification is determined by the % of students in the school that receive free/reduced lunches, not on performance. Ms. Seewald is providing reading support during students' flextime. Hawk Time has been changed to flex time.

Students typically qualify for reading support based on their DIBELS test scores. If you feel your student needs reading support please reach to Ms. Seewald, Mr. Johnson or Mrs. D

Mr. Johnson will be sending out an email to all Lincoln families regarding Title 1 and asking for your feedback. Please be on the look out for Mr. Johnson's email.

Mr. Johnson also said Thank You to all of the families at Lincoln for rising to the occasion this year regardless of the challenges presented. He also thanked his staff for working extremely hard to make this year work.

Teacher's Report

Mrs. Strotz said, you can always find someone to ask for help at Lincoln and someone is always willing to help, and that is why this is working.

Michele Philage provided updates for Mrs. Paz...the virtual book fair goes through 11/8. Any order over \$25 qualifies for free shipping and the orders will be received before Christmas.

Mrs. Paz's Scavenger Hunt will also start this Friday. Check the Lincoln PTO page on Friday's for clues on where to find the books.

President Report

So far this school year the PTO has provided the following:

- ℞• Picnic Tables so that children would be able to eat outside
- ℞• Sound Proof Panels for the Instructional Support Room to reduce disruptions due to multiple zoom meetings occurring simultaneously

• Lanyards for the Kindergartener' masks

Thank you to Deana Ford and all the parents and guardians that helped make and distribute the Halloween bags and those that stocked the teacher's lounge.

There will be two, possibly three openings on the PTO board for the 2021-2022 school year. Those positions are for Vice President, Co-Vice President and Treasure. Email Michele if interested.

Committees

- Cookies with Santa- Tentatively scheduled for Saturday December 12th. Santa and Mrs. Claus will be outside this year and the plan is to have families drive through the circle to see Santa. Groups A, B, and C will have designated times to drive through the circle.
- Picture Days – pictures will be taken on two different days to accommodate all groups. More to come.
- School Store – We are unable to have the school store at this time due to social distancing.
- Moe's taco kits raised \$300 for Lincoln. We will try to hold one in the spring.
- Sarris Candy – our sales are doing well at \$900 sold and \$225 going to Lincoln. We are able to continue selling until 12/21.
- Holiday Parties – The Halloween bags were a great success with 300 bags assembled by parents and guardians and delivered to Lincoln last Thursday. It is likely that the same idea will be followed for upcoming Holiday Parties.
- Spirit Night – Jersey Mike's Spirit night is scheduled for 11/18. The committee is also looking into a spirit night in January at either Chick Fil A or Ma and Pop's Country Kitchen. More to come.
- School Directory – To date 135 responses have been received however, many of the responses were incomplete.
- Market Day – No updates at this time.
- Spirit Days – information will come through email blasts. One per month on Wednesday and Thursday.