



**PSO Meeting Minutes**

**October 6, 2021**

**5:00 pm**

<b>Call to Order</b>	5:08pm by Stacie Chakiris
<b>Introductions</b>	Virtual Attendees: Stacie Chakiris, Jenny Bovio, Andre Probst, Allison Schmitt, and Karen Schreck.
<b>Approval of Minutes</b>	Review/Approve Meeting Minutes from September Motion to approve: Allison Schmitt Approved: Andre Probst
<b>President's Report</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We made \$193.17 from our MOD Pizza fundraiser in September. Our next restaurant fundraiser is Chipotle.</li> <li>• Our upcoming restaurant fundraisers are Clucker's in Libertyville on November 4 and Noodle and Co. in Gurnee on December 2.</li> <li>• We made a total of \$292.50 on our Spirit Wear sale! Products should arrive at October 18.</li> <li>• We are looking in to going back to 3E Love for future Spirit Wear sales.</li> </ul>
<b>Treasurer Report</b>	<p>Given by Stacie Chakiris</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The changes that were made to the budget since the September meeting are as follows:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The Savers Fundraiser will be put on hold this year.</li> <li>○ Corrected amount for SERF to include 19 classrooms, not 20.</li> <li>○ The additional \$50 from the SERF line was moved to the Mobility line.</li> <li>○ There was a typo on the amount that our domain registration was listed in the description, but the total was correct.</li> <li>○ Parent Booster increased their price from \$270 to \$300.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Our ending balance for the month was \$24, 696.53.</li> </ul>
<b>Secretary Report</b>	<p>Given by Jenny Bovio</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Our Chipotle fundraiser is tomorrow. Please attend!</li> </ul>



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If you are re-posting anything please consider using our hashtag #laremontstrong</li> </ul>
<p><b>School Report</b></p>	<p>Read by Allison Schmitt:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We have successfully completed our first full month in school which has been a big deal for staff and students!</li> <li>• Dog therapy has started in the building and the students are really enjoying it.</li> <li>• Please share any pictures posted in the Laremont School social media accounts. We want to draw attention to the amazing things that our students do.</li> <li>• The SEDOL Foundation golf out was a success and a lot of money was raised specifically for Laremont.</li> <li>• There was also a lot of money raised for Laremont at the SEDOL Foundation 5k. Some of the money raised will go towards sensory room equipment and chill-out chairs.</li> <li>• Since the students are unable to go on mobility trips due to Covid, Admin is bringing the Pumpkin Patch to Laremont! Stade's Farm donated pumpkins for every student at Laremont to decorate this Halloween.</li> <li>• They have fun building activities for the week leading up to Halloween such as door decorating, trick or treating and a parade similar to July 4<sup>th</sup> should the weather allow.</li> <li>• This week is National Walk to School Week. All of the classrooms will walk around the grounds.</li> <li>• Erin Tidd was the September Employee of the month!</li> </ul>
<p><b>Open Forum</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Andre shared Shelia Geier's report that the Parent Support Group meetings are almost set up.</li> <li>• Virtual SibShop is November 4.</li> <li>• During Kindness Week each classroom will work on one flower for a larger bouquet displayed at the school.</li> </ul>



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Stacie Chakiris asked for feedback on whether or not to move forward with Trunk or Treat.</li><li>• Stacie Chakiris brought attention to the issue with Warren High School students illegally parking in the Laremont lot and speeding through the parking lot while students are getting on the bus.</li><li>• Karen Schreck encouraged everyone to download and use the new BoxTops app to help earn money for the school.</li></ul>
<b>Meeting Adjourned</b>	Motion to end the meeting made by Allison Schmitt  See you on November 3 at 5:00pm!