



**PSO Meeting Minutes**

**March 1, 2022**

**5:00 pm**

<b>Call to Order</b>	5:07pm by Stacie Chakiris
<b>Introductions</b>	Virtual Attendees: Stacie Chakiris, Veronica Woods, Jen Bovio, Sheila Geier, and Allison Schmitt.
<b>Approval of Minutes</b>	Review/Approve Meeting Minutes from January Motion to approve: Allison Schmitt Approved: Veronica Woods
<b>President's Report</b>	<p>Given by Stacie Chakiris</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We are still waiting on the check from Clucker's. I will follow up again.</li> <li>• We only raised \$78 at our Panda Express fundraiser. Their rule is that you need to make a profit of at least \$100 to get anything. I've already reached out to see if they are willing to make an exception.</li> <li>• Our March fundraiser will be at Wendy's in Gurnee on March 15 from 11:00am – 2:00pm. Stay tuned for the flyer!</li> <li>• Thank you to everyone that filled out the staff survey! There is still time to complete it if you haven't had a chance yet. We will try to implement as many suggestions as possible this year, but we will for sure plan on having more things planned for next school year.</li> </ul>
<b>Treasurer Report</b>	<p>Given by Veronica Woods</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Income: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ PayPal - \$72.52</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Expenses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Zoom - \$14.99</li> <li>○ SERF - \$125 in outstanding checks.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Ending balance is \$25,186.15</li> <li>• Our Nothing Bundt Cakes fundraiser starts today! The local Gurnee store was very excited to work with us to support the students.</li> </ul>
<b>Secretary Report</b>	Given by Jenny Bovio:



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Our new Spirit Wear shop is up and running! The online shop offers a variety of items. Best part is that you can shop all year long.</li> </ul>
<b>School Report</b>	<p>Given by Allison Schmitt:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• February was a short and fun month at Laremont!</li> <li>• We kicked off the month with Special Olympics Respect Week. Mr. H (Tyler) is the Campaign Leader for Special Olympics and he did a great job planning activities. We are hoping to partner with other school in May.</li> <li>• Rare Disease Day was February 28<sup>th</sup>.</li> <li>• Wilderness Dave was back this year for a virtual field trip about oceans and animals.</li> <li>• For teacher institute day the staff got to see a presentation by Damon West.</li> </ul>
<b>Open Forum</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sheila Geier mentioned that the Camp Scholarship application is available on the PSO website (<a href="http://www.laremontpso.org">www.laremontpso.org</a>). If parents have any questions please reach out to your child's Social Worker.</li> <li>• Sheila also let us know that on Friday, March 4 there is a Parent Support Group scheduled to discuss financial planning, SSI and Medicaid. To learn more please contact Sheila at <a href="mailto:sgeier@sedol.us">sgeier@sedol.us</a></li> </ul>
<b>Meeting Adjourned</b>	<p>Motion to end the meeting made by Sheila Geier Meeting ended at 5:21pm</p> <p>April 5 at 5:00pm</p>