

EKHLA PTO General Meeting Minutes
January 6, 2022 @ 8:30 am via Google Meet

1. Call to Order – President Brianna Eilers
2. School Representative – Q&A
 - A. Due to staffing issues an administrator was not able to attend this morning, but we can forward any questions to them.
3. President's Report – Brianna Eilers
 - A. No report.
4. Treasurer's Report – Amber Liddell Alwais - read by Heather Henke Rosenblatt
 - A. Current Checking balance is \$6,337.25
 - B. Current Savings balance is \$359.01
 - C. Transferring from PayPal: \$18.81
5. Communications Report – Jude Morin & Eartha Powell
 - A. Directory will be emailed out today to everyone who entered information!
 - B. Heather will be sending out the link today after the meeting. If your information is not entered yet it is not too late–signup at ekhlpto.com/directory.
6. Fundraising Report – Chrystal Garcia & Valerie Fuller
 - A. Yard Signs are still available to purchase for \$20 on our website. The fundraising committee is working to deliver the signs.
7. BINGO Report – Elizabeth Ydrogo - read by Brianna Eilers
 - A. Quarter just ended and the report hasn't been received from BINGO Hall yet.
8. Committee Reports
 - A. Teacher Appreciation
 - a. Lizette Feld & Sharon Contie will be co-chairs for the spring–**THANK YOU!**
 - b. They coordinated a welcome back breakfast yesterday for teachers and staff.
 - c. They will coordinate conference day luncheon, end of year luncheon, and teacher appreciation week activities.
9. New Business
 - A. Rodeo Breakfast - Tentative Dates: February 8-10
 - a. We are working to confirm dates and details with administrators.
 - b. Will be a student only event this year, but we still plan to make it a fun event including an art project and Rodeo dress day. (It is usually a big family event, but since we cannot safely gather in large groups we will just do it on campus. Last year we delivered tacos to on-campus students and had a drive-thru event on the weekend. Since everyone is on-campus this year we will only do an on-campus event.)
 - B. Bike Rodeo & Officer Safety Talk - March 24 and Tentatively March 15
 - a. We are working to confirm dates and details with administrators.
 - b. Safety Talk will be streamed to classrooms.
 - c. Rodeo should be able to run as in previous years and a signup genius will go out for volunteers. This is a really fun event to volunteer for!
 - d. Question from Rose - Is the lesson available for the whole school? - since it is virtual probably everyone could watch - we are not positive if students will watch it live or recorded - Rose thinks this info could be helpful to older kids too - maybe we can see if he could record a talk specifically for the older kids who might be using their bikes to go to the store and riding without parents? The

city-wide event is for K-5 so that's why we limit it to those ages. A permission slip and informational sheet goes home to all students with more details.

C. Unfinished Business

a. None

10. Announcements

A. **THANK YOU to everyone who contributed cookies and volunteered for cookie drop off for our Winter Break Cookie Treat!**

B. **THANK YOU to Joe Hernandez for coordinating the teacher luncheon!**

11. Open Forum

A. Rose - Rodeo Breakfast - Will it be in the gym? no, probably just in the classroom like last year - Could we do selfies again somehow? kids wouldn't have phones really - unless we could have volunteers taking pictures? Monica-maybe ask Ms. Campbell to take class pictures - we could decorate an area - or ask classroom teachers to take a picture - Heather-maybe create a selfie frame or sticker for parents to add to pictures and post to our page?

12. Adjournment – President Brianna Eilers