



Date: August 4th, 2026

Time: 5:30 pm

Location: Pauline Central Library

Welcome	Notes
Call Meeting to Order	Lexie Kelly 5:30
Attendance	Lexie Kelly, Micala Wudarczuk, Debbie Williams, Kris Wanamaker, Amber Schmidtlein, Bree Mullinix, Alex Sorter, Amber Morris, Carla Spellman, Linnea Ockey, Marcie Warner, Marc Stratton
Principal's Report	PC: Excited about hopes and dreams, kicking off the year with "wild about learning".
Approve Minutes - No approval needed because of July meeting was an executive board meeting which does not require approval	NA
Treasurer's Report	○ Current Balance \$16,376.08 ○ 3-4 outstanding checks not cashed last year, Carla following up ○ Budget will be reviewed at the September meeting
New Business: ● Review/Approval of the updated by-laws ● Back to School Night (Pauline South) & Hopes and Dreams Conferences (Pauline Central) ○ Will have a table set up at both ■ Collect parent emails	○ Lexie proposed to amend Title X of the bylaws to change the voting requirement from approval by all executive board members to approval by a majority (4/6). Motion by Alex Sorter, seconded by Carla Spellman. Motion passed. ○ Back to school night PTO table: -PC: Carla and Amber -PS: Lexie and Micala

■ Have information to pass out ■ Prize wheel for students to spin ● Back to School gift for ALL staff members ● 2026-2027 Calendar & PTO events schedule ● 2020-2027 Budget ● Principals Budget Request ● Teacher checks for year - amount? ● Fall Fundraiser	○ Back to school gift for all staff, notebook and pen. Lexie and Carla are preparing. ○ Reviewed, several new spirit nights. Notable dates: -Pauline Express 12/12/26 -Family Fun Night 4/30/27 ○ Budget will be reviewed in Sept. ○ Principals budget request will be reviewed in Sept. ○ \$100 -depending on budget, possible midyear gift. Will need to vote. -New this year: PTO will host its own fall fundraiser with the goal of keeping more \$ within the school -Dates: 9/21/26-10/3/26 -Launch: Fundraiser packets will be sent home with students on 9/21. A student assembly will be held to kick off -Donations: Cash, check and online donations through GiveButter -Student participation: Students will bring their fundraiser boards and collected money to school every other day. -Rewards: ○ Raffle ticket will be issued for every \$5 (paw print) ○ 10 paws = trip to the prize table ○ Fill the entire board= recess party. We might be able to get a bounce
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	house for this pending budget review ○ Classroom that raises the most money will get a pizza party. Pizza party for each school. Look into 785 as a possible pizza donor. -Prize tiers: There are five rows of paws, so prizes will be awarded across five tiers -Outstanding ○ Prize donations, what do we need? Consider a sign up for donations? We need a budget. ○ Parent volunteers will be needed to help staff manage the prize table ○ Consider participation prize ○ Suggestion was made to provide donors with paw print stickers that students could use to recognize sponsors ○ Donor communication: we need to communicate to donors how their contributions will benefit the schools via fundraiser flyer, or the weekly newsletter ○ Budget/logistics: will require additional planning to be discussed at the Sept. meeting. 1. What is our budget investment? 2. Who will count and deposit money? MEETING ADJOURNED 6:20
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