

AL PTO Meeting Minutes

Jan 27, 2021



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Member Attendance via Zoom: 32

- A big thank you to Missy Bailey and Nicole Kube for organizing teacher gifts for the holidays
- PTO board shirts will be available for porch pick up at Alonda's house, date TBD
- Trash Bags - we have some available, contact information — saraieanclark@hotmail.com
- Evening in Paris 2021 (EIP) - Nicole Kube - Will look different this year - "An Evening IN" looking into options and perhaps hiring a group to facilitate an event. We need to net \$40,000 to stay on budget or re-evaluate the budget so that we can remain above water for 2021-2022 school year. Perhaps we will combine events with Trivia Night
- **Spirit Wear - New Vendor** items available. With many grades returning to campus, it is time to sport your school spirit! Sweatshirts and pullovers that can be worn over a collared shirt any day. Check out our new vendor who will ship to homes or arrange a pickup in Lenexa. <https://ptloutfitters.com/affiliation/ALspirit>
- **End of year party/ Picnic?** Socially distanced? Perhaps picnic in Loose Park. We will revisit this at the next meeting in March.
- **Teacher appreciation week is May 3-7.** Will make infographic like in years past to share gift ideas that families can engage in as they desire
- PTO plans to contact nurses at each campus to see what they might need (originally thought of donating extra boxes of mini sanitizers and extra masks)
- **Vision for the future – class parties** etc. Email will be sent to school requesting that whatever decision is made it's communicated in the newsletter to parents prior to the party date. re. Valentine's Day party
- Parents requested clarification on use of **Tyler** and **Google Forms**. M. Mbengue said he would discuss with the staff to host informative and training type sessions for use of Tyler.
- **Laptop Pick up** for 5th-8th grade is this week on Thurs, Friday, and Saturday. 7:30a-1pm at Armour. Soon after 3rd-4th graders will also receive laptops. This is the future of AL - 1-1 devices for all kids. Kids will bring them to school each day for use.

Adjourned at 7:00pm