

Peru Elementary School District 124 Parent Teacher Association

Meeting Minutes

Date: 10/20/2025 **Time:** 6:00 PM **Location:** Northview School Cafeteria

Meeting called to order at: 6:04pm by Donna Aleksy

Quorum present (4 officers)? Yes ☒ No ☐

Attendance

Officers present: Donna Aleksy, Michelle Ajster, Heather Costello, Amy Glover, Kassy Holloway, and Hailey Sarver

Members present: See attached sign-in sheet

Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes

Minutes from the 9/8/2025 meeting were: Approved as presented ☒ Approved with corrections ☐

Standing Items

➤ **Treasurer's Report:** Beginning balance \$ 34,997.29 , ending balance \$ 24,833.47 .
Report filed for audit.

➤ **Treasurer's Report** :

We are expecting the FundHub and School Tool Box funds are expected this week totaling \$42,135. We had \$1.7k in income this month mainly from cash fundraiser donations. There were \$11,860 in expenses for the trivia night, box tops, FundHub fundraiser, mini grants, and a few other miscellaneous expenses. The profit through September for the FundHub fundraiser is \$33,513, but a few additional expenses are expected to be submitted in October.

➤ **Facebook Challenge** :

PTA put a post on our facebook page asking people to like and share our page. There will be a giveaway at different levels of likes and/or follows. Mr. Ziegler will share the challenge post on the school page.

➤ **Box Top Update** :

NV \$262.90 – last year was \$293.00 and PS \$216.70 – last year was \$112.90.
The referral code bonus runs through the end of October.

➤ **Halloween Dance Update** :

Sign up sheet went out on facebook today through signup genius. 30 minute spots are available.

New Business

Motion: \$170.00 - Amazon sensory games and activities for PE classes

- **Moved by:** Hailey Sarver

- **Seconded by:** Donna Aleksy

- **Vote Result:** Approved ☒ Denied ☐ Tabled ☐

Motion: \$50.00 – XtraMath subscription

- **Moved by:** Hailey Sarver

- **Seconded by:** Amy Glover

- **Vote Result:** Approved ☒ Denied ☐ Tabled ☐

Motion: \$198.91 – Amazon folders and sheet protectors

- **Moved by:** Hailey Sarver

- **Seconded by:** Heather Costello

- **Vote Result:** Approved ☒ Denied ☐ Tabled ☐

Motion: \$300.00 – Supplies for monthly cross category programs in the library

- **Moved by:** Hailey Sarver

- **Seconded by:** Kassy Halloway

- **Vote Result:** Approved ☒ Denied ☐ Tabled ☐

Motion: \$500.00 – Vocabulary A-Z subscription

- **Moved by:** Hailey Sarver

- **Seconded by:** KassyHalloway

- **Vote Result:** Approved ☒ Denied ☐ Tabled ☐

Announcements

➤	Online FundHub Fundraiser: The kids loved the pie in the face, principal being a student for a day and principal being the dinosaur. We sent a feedback survey to parents and teachers to help plan for next year's fundraiser(s).
➤	School Board Meeting: Hailey Sarver, Tara Wright, and Kassy Holloway attended the school board meeting to give the boy's baseball team small gifts to congratulate them for their 2 nd place finish at state.
➤	Gifts to Parkside/Northview: PTA is looking into repainting the Northview playground in the Spring 2025. For Parkside, we are working with Mr. Ziegler and Mr. Lindig to look at installing a flexible volleyball system outside for recess as well as teetherball poles. Also looking at completing in Spring 2025.
➤	Parkside "Thankful/Gratitude Essay" Contest: The contest will be the week of 11/3-11/7 at Parkside. Students will submit an essay. The board will read them along with the English teachers and the principals. There will be a prize for each grade.
➤	Parkside "Ugly Holiday Sweater/Sweatshirt" Contest: The contest will be the week of 12/1-12/5 at Parkside. Kids can wear any ugly or creative holiday sweater/sweatshirt. We will take pictures with the child's face blacked out and post on facebook page. The PTA will provide some supplies that kids could use to decorate their own so they don't have to purchase a top. Faculty can also participate.
➤	Northview Breakfast with Santa on 12/6: Tickets will be sold ahead of time. There will be time slots by grade, including a sensory time and multiple child family time. The kitchen is helping us choose breakfast. The committee meeting will be November 4 at 6pm at Peru Starbucks by Kohl's.
➤	Peru Lighted Parade: Need to buy Halloween candy when it is on discount after Halloween. Heather Costello is providing a train. Hailey Sarver makes motion and Heather 2 nd motion to participate in the lighted parade even though it was not included in the budget.
➤	PTA Attendance Drawing: \$25 HyVee gift card. The winner is Katelyn Garcia.

Next Meeting

Next meeting scheduled for Mon, 11/10 at 6:00 pm in Northview Cafeteria.

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 6:40 pm.

Submitted by: Michelle Ajo Treasurer Date: 10/20/25
Signature Role