



**Baucom Elementary PTA  
General Meeting via Zoom  
February 13 , 2024**

Call to Order: PTA meeting was called to order at 6:01 pm

Attendance: Members in attendance included Erin McLean, Carrie Huffman, Stephanie Amortnont, Jaime Dixon, Heather Johnson, Vanessa H, Liz Hogg, Mark Fussell, Megan Alexander, Brittany O'Brochta, Kristen Bush, Whitney D, Crystal O'Mara and more (22 total).

Welcome by Erin McLean seconded by Mark Fussell

Approval of Minutes:

<http://www.baucompta.org/pta-meeting-minutes.html>

Motion to Approve the Minutes by Mark Fussell

Administrative Report: Mrs. Huffman

- Reminder to teacher staff: forgot to email no PLC meetings tomorrow due to Learning Walks, teachers please share among grade staff
- First week of Learning Walks (training one teacher in each grade) to observe starting tomorrow; every teacher will be able to observe grades both above and below this week
- Adding March 5th Family Event to calendar, due to growth hoping for night of build relationships and informational with curriculum, night will include; 2 food trucks, Kona Ice and Bruster ice cream; will be open house to eat 4-5 social hour; stations in classroom teachers will do curriculum info 5p-6p
- Increased student growth now warranting 3rd & 5th grade teacher hiring; this time in the year not looking for 3rd grade (18 per class), however 5th grade at roughly 30+ students per class; gained 75 kids since beginning of school year (Oct 2023); 1 student away for additional K classroom however not hiring at this time.

Treasurer's Report: Mark Fussell

- General Update
- Audit Committee filled

Committee Reports

- (listed in President report)

President's Report

- Recap
  - Visiting Author: Stacy McAnulty, thank you to Mrs. O'Mara and Jaime Dixon for organizing
  - New playground bins and balls, thank you Soo Kim
  - Souper Bowl

- Teachers and Staff were treated to all-you-can-eat soup the Friday before the Super Bowl. We had amazing parents and volunteers bring in 9 crockpots full of delicious soup, plus desserts and drinks. This is a yearly tradition that the PTA is excited to organize.
    - Carpool staff was treated to a Donuts Breakfast themed 'We DONUT know what we would do without you' thank you with donut delivery
    - Bus Driver appreciation
      - Our PTA committee recognized our bus drivers this month with gifts and gratitude. Each driver was treated with a muffin, orange juice, and an apple from **Lowe's Food**. They also received cozy socks, hand sanitizer, hand cream, lip balm, a gift card donated by the new **Eggs Up Grill Apex**, and a thank you coloring by a Baucom student.
    - Counselor Appreciation
      - Our PTA committee also recognized our two school counselors, Ms. Spencer & Ms. Bush, this month with gifts and gratitude! Each counselor received a box with a Burt's Bees gift, candle, personalized school supply resin coaster, and a favorite snack. Also included was a gift card donated by **TapStation** and earrings donated by **Adventures in Bloom**.
  - Science boards are in, please pick them up; Science Fair-March 18th
    - We need your help recruiting evaluators
  - Baucom Goldfish Drive [Amazon.com](https://www.amazon.com)
  - Roles: next year positions to fill
    - President
    - Treasurer
    - Fun Run Committee
- Needs for this year:
- Field Day Chair

#### Volunteer Needs

- Ongoing Volunteer Needs: <http://www.baucompta.org/volunteer.html>

#### Open Forum:

- Nothing presented

Adjourned at 6:19 pm seconded by Mark Fussell

#### Upcoming PTA Events:

- **Thursday, February 15th**- National School Resource Officer day
- **Thursday, February 15th**- Third Grade Outer Space Musical Performance (6pm)
- **Monday, February 19th**- No School (President's Day)
- **Tuesday, February 20th**- Teacher Workday (No school for students)
- **Friday, March 1st**- Quarter 3 Interim Reports go home
- **April 12th @ 6-8pm - Family Night (rain date April 19th)**