

Lincoln PTA General Meeting Minutes
November 9TH, 2020 via Zoom

5:45 Meet and Greet:

Vanessa Sula, Melissa Savage, Kudia, Michelle Barr, Landis, Kim Pirc, Kristan Callahan, Weibye, Castanon, Tara Mosden, Meridian, Lorrie Walker, Kelly Devolder, Danielle, Jessica Speck, Hartman

5:56 Meeting call to order

Treasurer - Lorrie Walker

Current Balance: \$16,213.63.

October Income: Haven't received checks from Lincoln Loves Plainfield yet but expecting \$464 from Culvers (\$330) and Aurelios (\$134)

October Expenses: \$7961.70: Construction Paper, Media Center Technology, Scarecrow Materials, CAPE Dues

Ongoing Fundraisers

AmazonSmile now available through the app. Select Lincoln Elementary PTA (Plainfield, IL) as your charity

Box Tops available through the app. Just scan your receipt. Currently \$90.10 for the year
PTA Membership available year-round online

Cape Updates - Lorrie Walker

District: make sure you are on the ConnectEd emails and have not accidentally opted out.

Library: make-and-take Kits still available- pick up starts at 10:00 AM and goes until supplies last (or 7ppm). (Monday for preschool, Tuesday for elementary and Thursday for teens.)
Curbside book pickup available

Park District: Thanksgiving Turkey Hot Shot Nov 21.

Secretary - Melissa Savage

Membership

Online member registration only

Currently have 121 members

Newsletter will go out this week

Yearbook

Uploading available online at lincolnpa.com

Click "What We Do" > Yearbook

Follow the instructions on that page

Events - Jessica Speck

Lincoln Loves Plainfield:

Completely FILLED the Photo Event Yesterday!

Backroads TOMORROW 11/10 from 5-9pm

Culvers on 12/10 all day
Anderson Tree Farm runs Nov 21 - Dec 25
Photo Booth Seasonal Photo Opportunities
Thankful Tree & Winter Tree

Improvement - Kelly DeVolder

School Infrastructure

- 3 Trees have been installed
- 3 Buddy Benches have been marked for install

LincolnGrows

- Pergola came in \$1091.74 UNDER BUDGET thanks to the Barr Family volunteering time to build and install
- Raised beds are being solarized for spring planting
- Scarecrows: Came in \$220 UNDER BUDGET!

President - Vanessa Sula

*What we've done so far this year

Events

- Hi-Jynx Hunt
- Seasonal Photo Booth Opportunities
- Scarecrows

Fundraising

- Brick Fundraiser
- Class Color Shirts
- Lincoln Loves Plainfield

Improvement

- Installed Pergola
- Installed Media Center Technology
- Outdoor Classroom Enhancements

*Next Few Months...

- Winter Appreciation Committee (Sign-up Genius)
- Lincoln Loves Plainfield focus for Holidays
- ***Potential*** Spring Event
- LincolnGrows Committee for Spring/Summer
- Staff & Volunteer Appreciation in May
- Fifth Grade Farewell

New Business

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee - Kristan Callahan

- Guided by the National PTA Resources
- Develop a strategic plan for the Lincoln community

Create programming and initiatives for the 2nd semester

Action Items

- 2-4 Volunteers needed (email PTA President to volunteer)
- Members will review PTA DEI Resources
- Committee will meet once before the December meeting to develop a plan
- Committee will present a draft strategic plan to PTA during the December meeting

On-going Spiritwear Store - Tara Mosden

LincolnGrows

General Lincoln Spiritwear

Supplier Requirements

- Online Store- Local Storefront for Pickup

- 2 Week Turnaround- Good Customer Service

- Good Product- Competitive Prices

A variety of items, shirts, hats, masks

Have a contest with the students to design a school spirit wear logo

Melissa Savage, Kelly DeVolder to help

Meeting ended at 7:06