PTO Meeting Minutes 12-8-2021

**Welcome**: Meeting called to order at 6:04pm by the PTO President Melissa Dowding.

**Teacher Liaison:** Ms. Cossmann: Teachers really liked the way the Holiday shop went this year.

**Principal’s Report:**

* Holiday Shop went amazingly well! There were lots of volunteers helping which is very much appreciated.
* Steam Night is still on at this point, unless something changes.
* Drills at school
* Holiday parties, some teachers may ask for help and some may not. It’s up to the teachers.

**Treasurer’s Report:** See agenda for proposed budget.

* Incoming $: Community rewards, Amazon Smiles, pop cans
* Outgoing $: Staff appreciation-pies, Scholastic News, staff allotments
* Holiday Shop organized for Jessica and Jody
	+ Total income $2840.34
	+ Looking for donations for next year for children in need, Rachel Fox handles that
	+ Looking for suggestions for next year
* 3rd grade teachers would like the decodable books too
	+ Price would be $584 -> votes yes to buy books
* We received a $2000 grant from Walmart to be used for the playground

**New Business:**

1. Elf Program
* PTO sponsored two girls this year
* Items due today and will be turned in Friday
1. Holiday Gifts
* All students will receive a book and candy cane from the PTO
* Ms. Cossmann helped pick the books
* Will be given out before next Friday
* Staff gifts, t-shirt/poinsettia
1. Police Appreciation, January 9th
* Green Oak Township
* Gathering donations January 3rd -7th
1. Teacher Gift Questioner
* Main office in binder
* Can PRC’s email the class with information?
1. Staff Breakfast December 17th
* Parent donations for coffee and donuts

Other upcoming events…

* Snowflake decorating will be January 21st. This will be outside again as it was last year. There will be a sign up going for volunteers.
* Popcorn Fridays: January 28th, parents volunteers?
* Steam night set for February 18th
* Class shirts should be ready for pick up next Friday.

**Closing remarks:** Our next meeting is January 12th at 9am. Meeting adjourned at 6:32pm by President Melissa Dowding.