



Minutes for November 12th 2025 ATP Meeting

President Ariel Ferreira called the meeting to order at 5:35 p.m.

First order of business, New funding request was submitted by MES staff members for a weather pod. This will be used by the staff member who checks in the parents for the car line. The cost of the pod is \$65.00. ATP members approve this request.

ATP members voted all in favor to move the December meeting to the 3rd at 5:30 p.m.

ATP members also approved parent volunteer Lacy Crummey to organize a teacher appreciation treat before Thanksgiving break. Lacy and Tianna will be gathering supplies and putting together an 'apple nacho bar'.

The completed business that was discussed is as follows; Transportation and custodian appreciation goodies were all delivered last month and enjoyed by everyone.

Santa's head elf confirmed that the big guy will visit during MES Holiday concerts. He will also visit our friends at MES on December 5th once students return from visiting the festival of trees. The ATP will have a special thank you gift for Santa.

New business that was discussed is as follows; Wesco popcorn buckets and Gobble Grahams are ongoing. Gobble Grahams will be collected on the 14th, no later than the 17th. Every student will receive a graham before Thanksgiving break.

World's Finest Chocolate sale forms have been delivered to both buildings. Forms will be going home with students on Monday, November 17th. Order forms will be collected on December 1st. The top seller for each class will get a 1 pound candy bar.

Movie night at MES is still in the works. Our December date will not work due to conflicting schedules so the ATP is now looking at planning this event for January. Details are as follows; Cost for students to attend will be \$5.00, popcorn & juice box can be purchased for \$2.00. Each class will vote on what movie they would like to watch. Those votes will be tallied and the movie with the most votes will be the winning movie choice. School rules apply during this event. The ATP will be creating a sign up genius for volunteers.

The ATP has decided to table the snow day fundraiser. We will come back to this idea next school year once we have figured out all the details.

The Sleighbell parade is quickly approaching. Grades 3rd-5th are allowed to march in the parade with their parents' permission. Leah Antal will be sorting out the details. Tianna Gremore is looking into using a different Riverstreet building for pick up after the parade. The ATP is considering passing out candy canes as a treat after the parade. Parent volunteer Shannon Patrick says that Seng's Marina has a couple thermal coffee dispensers that the ATP can use for hot cocoa if they would like to. More info to come.

Kindergarten attended their fall field trip to Lewis Farms and fun was had by all. Teacher Cindy Lundberg submitted a funding request before the October meeting for \$770. The cost of the trip has been paid for.

During last month's meeting a funding request for seat sacks was submitted by Mrs. Wilson. ATP approved this request, however Mrs. Wilson was going to check with Carly to see if MAPS would cover the cost. Because these seat sacks were from a different company and the cost was different than the sacks second grade purchased, MAPS declined the request. The ATP has covered the cost which was \$1,299.00.

The ATP would like to continue hosting the silent auction during the talent show in February. This year in order to make things easier for staff members, we are changing things a bit. Each grade will be in charge of putting together a basket to donate for the auction. The students can vote on their basket theme. ATP members will be reaching out to local businesses who donated a basket last year.

Winter carnival is right around the corner. This year the ATP will be hosting the carnival at MES. The ATP was offered the opportunity to use a large bounce house for the carnival. In addition the ATP will be renting two smaller bounce houses from Grand Rental.

Vice President Jennifer Able is working with MES teachers to come up with a list of books needed for the classrooms and the new library. Once the list is complete the ATP will be using their Scholastic Dollars to purchase the books.

Treasurer Kelly Vartyak updated members on ATP earnings. She made a deposit of \$3,860.46 that was earned during the book fair.

As of 10/29/25 \$1,875.00 has been earned from Wesco Popcorn Bucket sales.

The monthly financial report as of 10/31/25 is as follows ; checking account has a balance of \$18,763.85 Savings account has a balance of \$20.22 and the Money Market has a balance of \$14,371.85

Secretary Tianna Gremore updated members on slushy day. Thanks to a generous donation by NuVu, slushy day went much smoother this month. The next treat day will be Friday December 5th. The ATP will be reaching out to Wesco to see if they would make a donation of popcorn. Due to a few nut allergies at Jefferson, the ATP has ordered Skinny pop for those students as Wesco uses peanut oil for their popcorn.

Ariel Ferreira moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:30 p.m. Kelly Vartyak seconded the motion: Meeting adjourned.