



**Pine Island Academy PTO
November General Meeting
November 12, 2025**

Meeting Called to Order: 8:17 AM

Attendees:

Board #: /9- (7)

Member # 13

Non Member #1

Quorum yes or no (10 members + 4 minimum board):- Yes

Agenda

1. Approve October Minutes

- Motion made by: Janette
- Motion Seconded by: Tyler
- All Minutes & Presentations are on our website -

2. Treasury Update 11/10/25

- **Balances**
 - i. Checking: \$45,751.44
 - ii. Money Market: \$39,278.47
 - iii. Savings: \$5.00
 - iv. Total: \$85,034.91
- **Revenues & Expenditures 7/1/25 - 11/10/25**
 - i. Revenue: \$86,532.10
 - ii. Expenditures: \$83,975.83
 - iii. Net Revenue: \$2,556.27
 - iv. May - June Partner Income: \$37,500
 - v. Carryover per bylaws \$46,900



3. Fundraising Updates

- **2025-2026 Fundraising**

- i. Funds from Membership, Partners in Education, Apparel and Charleston Wrap fund Classroom & Teacher Support and Community Building events for this school year.

- ii. **November Update**

- 1. Apparel \$4,633/\$5,000
 - 2. Membership \$41,819/\$40,000
 - 3. Partners \$70,000/\$50,000
 - 4. Charleston Wrap: \$12,258/\$15,000

4. RR PTO Funding & Dolphin Dash Choice

- Families will get to choose where their Dolphin Dash funds go - RR or PIA. This will be made abundantly clear when Dolphin Dash launches in January. Dolphin Dash was moved to February this year to accommodate the rezoning timeline. There will be 2 separate landing pages to keep the fundraising clearly separate
- RR PTO will receive \$5,000 PTO Start Up + Dolphin Dash funds raised

5. Election Timeline

- Election Timeline (Rezoning Year – Moved Up One Month)
- January: Review election process
- February: Nominations due
- March: Elections held

6. Apparel Store

- Holiday Apparel Store open 11/16-11/21
- New designs
- Next store will be in April
- Orders will be sent home (or available for pick up) before winter break



7. **Class Shirts**

- Class Shirts
 - i. Missed the deadline?
 - ii. Class Shirt Store will reopen in January
 - iii. A few extras from previous years available on our website

8. **Other Misc Items**

- Towels - on hand & available while supplies last
- New Alter Ego Hats - on hand & available while supplies last
- Spirit Blankets - on hand & available while supplies last

9. **Questions regarding Fundraising or RR PTO Funding**



10. Classroom & Teacher Support Initiatives Overview

- Wonderful Wednesday (monthly treats for staffulty)
- Dolphin of the Month (monthly middle school reward)
- MS Quarterly Raffle
- December - Staffulty Holiday Countdown
- December - Cookie Exchange (sign up in November)
- December - MS Teacher Holiday Gifts (more info November)
- January - Mid Year Refresh
- Grant Update - no current updates

11. Dolphin Force

- 11/18 drop off - hobby/interest/movies/book
- November Birthday reminder

12. Staffulty Holiday Cookie Exchange

- Need people to sign up to bake 2 dozen cookies
- Drop off Wednesday 12/17 8am-11:30am front office
- Disposable containers, note card with name & ingredients. Highlight if your cookies are vegan or gluten free

13. MS Holiday Gift Collection

- PTO collecting for MS teachers this year (since no room parents like K-5)
- Optional



- Deadline 12/12

14. Additional opportunities

- i. K-5 Resource Wish Lists
- ii. MS Teacher Wish Lists

15. **Questions regarding Classroom & Teacher Support Initiatives**



16. **Community Building Events**

○ **Upcoming Events**

i. **Make a Mascot**

1. Make Your Own Mascot Night!
2. Wednesday, November 19th
3. 4:00–6:00 PM (arrive by 5:40 to allow time to finish)
4. Pine Island Academy Cafe
5. <https://piapto.givebacks.com/shop/items/dd3b2b2452>
6. Students can create their very own 16" PIA Dolphin Mascot!
7. Here's what's included: Stuff your Dolphin & add a heart, Dress it in a PIA T-shirt, Personalize a birth certificate
8. This year's Dolphins are extra special—a full 16" size (last year's were 8").
9. Preorder is required — kits will not be sold at the door and are available while supplies last.
10. Can't attend? No worries! Kits can be sent home on November 20th.
11. Note: This is not a fundraiser — Dolphins are sold at cost

ii. **8th Grade Day of Service**

1. On Wednesday, December 3rd, our 8th grade students will take part in a Day of Service, rotating through eight local organizations and completing service projects to support each one.



2. Want to help make their projects a success? Check out our Amazon Wishlist: <https://a.co/bA2O06l>

- iii. **December Calendar**

- iv. **Save the Date**

1. **1/23 MS Dance**
2. **2/5 MS Color Run**
3. **2/6 K-5 Dash**

17. **Questions regarding upcoming events**

18. **Reminders & Next Steps**

- Volunteer Opportunities
- Staying up to date
- Contact Release Forms

19. **Q&A / Open Forum**

Next PTO General Meeting: December 10,2025 8:15am

Meeting Adjourned: 8:57 AM

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