

# PINE ISLAND ACADEMY PTO



February PTO Meeting  
February 18, 2026

December Minutes

January Minutes

All Minutes & Presentations  
are on our website

# PINE ISLAND ACADEMY

## PTO BOARD 2026-2027



PRESIDENT



VP OF FUNDRAISING



VP OF UPPER SCHOOL



TREASURER



RECORDING  
SECRETARY



CORRESPONDING  
SECRETARY

# WE NEED YOU

# PIA PTO ELECTION INFO

January 21 – Go Over Election Process

February 17 – Nominations due by Feb PTO Meeting

February 18 – Feb PTO Meeting – Review Nominations

March 25 – Vote on 2026–2027 board

# PIA PTO ELECTION INFO

President: Taylor Fedak

VP of Upper School: Lisa Velez

VP of Fundraising: Carrie Kelly

Treasurer: Ilya Geldman

Recording Secretary: Megan Durmic

Corresponding Secretary: Rachel Cautero

# PIA PTO ELECTION INFO

Please note there will be additional ways to help after the PIA PTO Board is elected. Examples of other key chair/committee positions include: volunteer coordinator, fundraising chairs (Partners in Education, Membership, Fun Run, Book Fair), community building event chairs (school wide events, MS specific events, grade level specific events), classroom & teacher support initiative chairs (treasure boxes, appreciation week, hospitality). Be on the lookout for communication regarding these additional opportunities later this year.

# RR PTO ELECTION INFO

Please refer to RR Parent  
Square & Communication from  
Ms. Cantwell.

# PIA PTO ELECTION INFO

Questions Regarding  
PIA PTO Elections?



# TREASURY

## UPDATE 2/10/26

Checking: \$99,559.56

7/1/25-2/10/26

Money Market: \$39,386.52

Revenue: \$169,135.08

Savings: \$5.00

Expenditures: \$112,770.69

Total: \$138,951.08

Net Revenue: \$56,364.39

May-June 2025 Partner Income \$37,500

Carryover \$46,900

# DOLPHIN DASH



**MS COLOR RUN  
FEB 5<sup>TH</sup>**

**K-5 FUN RUN  
FEB 6<sup>TH</sup>**



# FUNDRAISING TOTALS

PIA

Raised \$41,557.00

After Fees \$40,147.58

Fees \$1,409.42

Fee Percent 3.39%

RR

Raised \$37,374.00

After Fees \$36,106.56

Fees \$1,267.44

Fee Percent 3.39%

# DASH UPDATES

## What are we fundraising for?

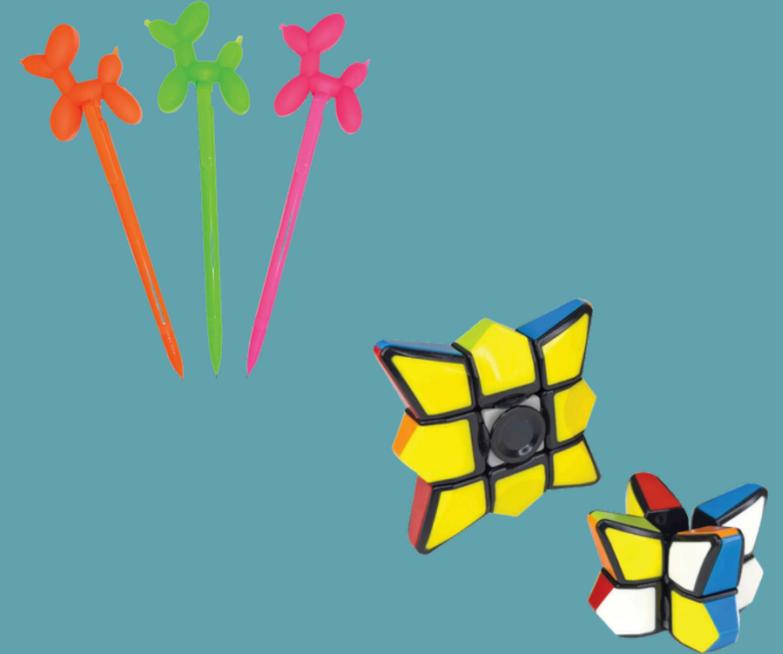
PIA is fundraising for capital enhancement projects. Funds raised will support the addition of a turf field for the K–5 playground and additional computers and computer carts for our Middle School students.

Donations for RR will be directed to the RR PTO once it is established this spring. The RR PTO Board will create a budget for the 2026–2027 school year after the board is formed. This is the same approach used to transition from PVA to PIA in 2021, and it proved to be a strong and effective kickstart.

# DASH UPDATES

## Individual Prizes

Distributed



## Household Prizes

\$250: Family Glow Dance (After School Hours) → Emailed families who qualified with RSVP Form

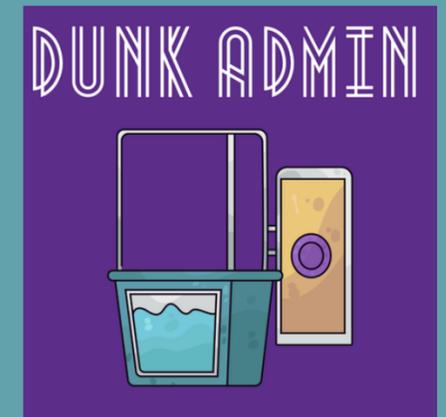


\$500: DUNK Admin → Emailed families who qualified with RSVP Form



## Top Class Prizes

Winning classroom in each K-5 Grade:  
Inflatable Games Party & Popsicles  
Send Volunteer Sign up to classes who won



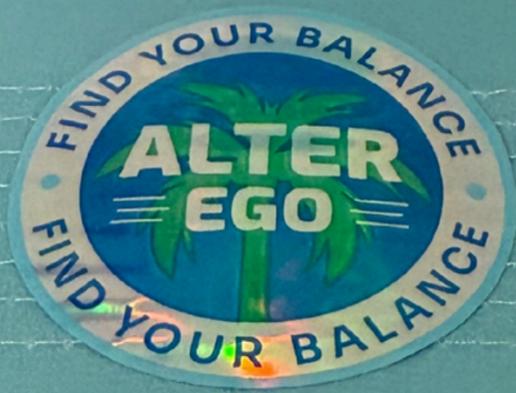
# RR PTO

\$5,000 Start-Up  
+ \$36,106 Dolphin Dash Funds  
= \$41,106 Start Up Funds

Please refer to communication from  
Ms. Cantwell for all things RR related.



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Questions Regarding  
Fundraising?



# CLASSROOM & TEACHER SUPPORT

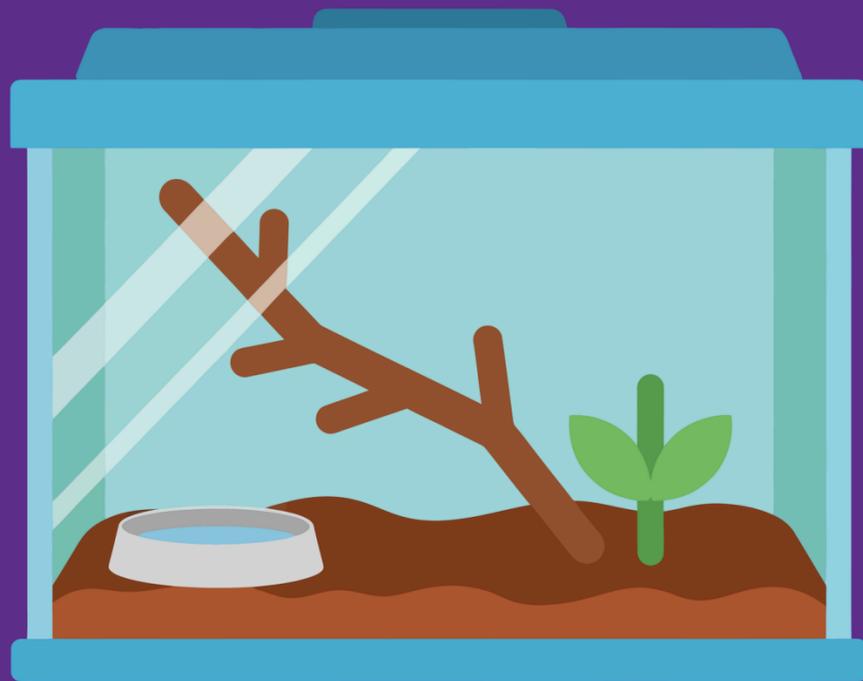
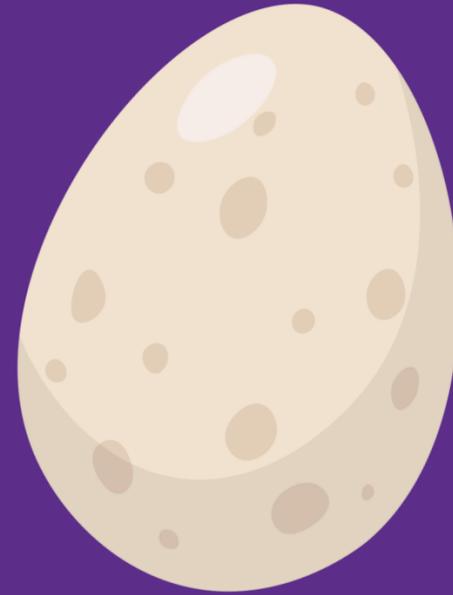


February - 2/20 Wonderful Wednesday  
(Friday this week instead of Wednesday)

3/25 March & 4/15 April Wonderful Wednesday

May - Staffulty Appreciation Week May 4<sup>th</sup> - May 8<sup>th</sup>

# GRANT UPDATES



# DOLPHIN FORCE



**DOLPHIN  
FORCE**

The third Gift should be delivered to school  
Tuesday 2/24 – Email reminders in February

Birthday Reminder: If your assigned teacher has  
a February or March birthday, don't forget to  
drop off their birthday gift on their special day  
this month!

# K-5 RESOURCE WISHLISTS

Computer Lab

Music

PE

Art

STEM

Media

TECS



LINKS – MONTHLY FB POST

# MS TEACHER WISHLISTS

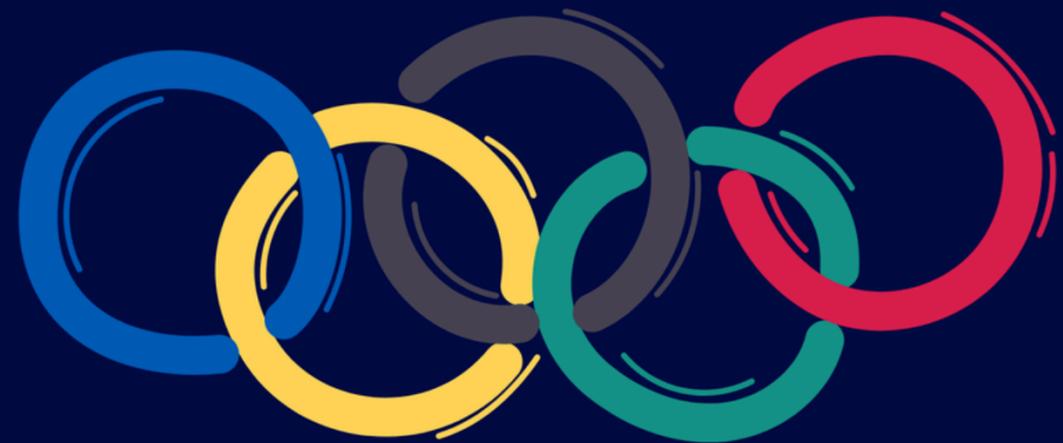


Links in Family News

We will add more as we get them. What is there is what we currently have 😊

# PINE ISLAND ACADEMY PTO

Questions Regarding  
Classroom & Teacher  
Support?



# BOOK FAIR

March 2-11: K-5 Class Shopping

March 2-11: Middle School  
Shopping, 7:40-8:00 AM (Daily)

March 4: After School Family  
Shopping, 3:00-6:00 PM

 We're Going CASHLESS!

This year's Book Fair will be completely cashless for faster, easier checkout.

Accepted Payment Methods:

 Scholastic eWallets

 Apple Pay

 Credit/Debit Cards

 Note: School lunch accounts (SchoolPay) cannot be used at the Book Fair.

Ewallets with less than \$1 remaining will be donated to Share the Fair

# SPRING BOOK FAIR

Set Up Your eWallet Today

<https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/pineislandacademy/>

💡 Tip: If you had leftover funds from a past eWallet, you can transfer the leftover funds when you set up your Spring Book Fair eWallet!

# UPCOMING EVENTS



## February 2026

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 	2	3	4	5 	6 	7
8	9	10	11	12	13 	14
15 	16 	17	18 	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
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# UPCOMING EVENTS



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Spring Fling - April 17<sup>th</sup>

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Semi Formal - May 16<sup>th</sup>

PBIS EOY - May 22<sup>nd</sup>

5<sup>th</sup> Grade Celebration - May 22<sup>nd</sup>

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Recognition - May 27<sup>th</sup>

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Questions Regarding  
Upcoming Events?

# PINE ISLAND ACADEMY PTO

## How to Volunteer

Volunteer  
Clearance/ School  
Access

Volunteer  
Email List

Sign Up  
Genius Links &  
Committees

[piapto.org/volunteer](https://piapto.org/volunteer)

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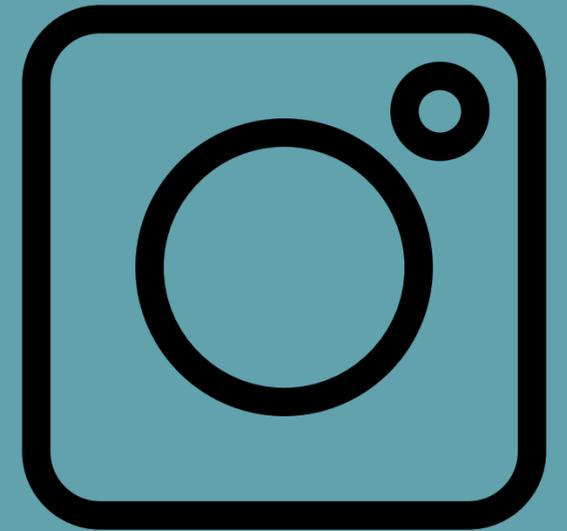
Spring Book Fair

Kinder Dino Decor

Spring Fling, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Celebration & MS PBIS  
coming soon



# HOW TO STAY UP TO DATE



Family News

Facebook & Instagram

Pto email reminders - Contact Release forms



# REMINDERS

DON'T FORGET

**Contact  
Release  
Forms**

Come And Join Us For Our

# PTO MEETING

**THURSDAY, MARCH 25TH  
8:15AM PIA CAFE**



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Any additional  
Questions, Comments  
or concerns?