

Browning Elementary Parent Teacher Organization Meeting Minutes  
Wednesday, November 6, 2024 5:00 PM  
Location: Browning Elementary Cafeteria

Attendance: 17 of in person, 7 joined via Teams link (24 total)

Meeting called to order by President Angie Kemp, 5:10 PM

**Presidents Report, Angie Kemp:**

Trunk or Treat

- Winner- Mrs. Contreras – trophy and medals will be given
- It was a successful event combining PTO event and school performance

Garage Sale

- Was planned for 11/2, postponed due to weather, will reschedule in the spring

**Treasurer's Report: Norma Sanchez Aldana and Maria Cruz:**

- October 2024- started account with \$10,972, at end of the month balance of \$12,752
  - 5<sup>th</sup> grade committee- contributed \$1564 in October, 5<sup>th</sup> grade balance of \$2,746

**Committees:**

- Volunteers, Angie Kemp-
  - VIPS approved volunteers needed for Turkey Trot all day Wednesday 11/13, this is the event/fundraiser that funds the projects/budget for the entire year; registration is free and student earn a free Raising Cane's kids meal, prizes and entry into a drawing for students who raise funds
  - 11/21 and 11/22 – volunteers for Thanksgiving lunch photos are needed
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Committee, Anna Grimaldo and Veronica Guzman-
  - o will be selling Pickles and Popcorn on 11/20 after school, please come help set up, handout starting at 1:00 PM
  - will sell drinks and desserts at Thanksgiving luncheon on 11/21 and 11/22
  - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Student dues \$35 - only 3 of 54 students have turned them in
- Dad's Club Brandan Hopkins-
  - o we needs dads club participants, setting up bunting an inflatable for Turkey Trot before school on 11/13, a Campus cleanup date coming in December!
- Campus Improvement, Rachel Hogan
  - Our Urban Harvest pickup for October was received
  - Prek gardening is every Tuesday- Prek and ECSE classes
  - We still need soil and mulch donated
  - Please join us at 9:30 AM on Tuesdays to work in the gardens

● Hospitality Veronica Guzman-

- Room packets passed out today!
- Volunteer, field trips, assist with PTO activities
- Room parents needs VIPs
- All 4th grade classes still need a room parent

**Upcoming Events, Brandan Hopkins:**

11/13 Turkey Trot

11/20 5<sup>th</sup> grade pickles/ popcorn sale

11/21-22- thanksgiving luncheon - MUST BE VIPs approved to attend lunch, if you buy a ticket it will not be refunded if you are not VIPs approved

**Special Thank you From Dr. Leal, Principal:**

Thank you to PTO! Fans were purchased by the district for the 3-5<sup>th</sup> grade building, Monday when power came back on, we got 6 fans from PTO to keep PK-1<sup>st</sup> grade building cool

**New Business:**

Parent inquired about assembling a Special Education committee

Meeting adjourned at 5:58pm