Jen Adler, PTO President welcomed everyone to the meeting.

A motion could not be made to approve January’s minutes because we didn’t have enough people in attendance. We will approve the January and February minutes in March instead.

**Principal’s Report, Mrs. Sue Malahy**

- Thank you to parents for flexibility with A/B schedule in addition to cold/snow days. She really appreciates it.
- On March 1st, all students will be back at school 5 days a week from 7:30-1. There will be some challenges but the return to school committee is already meeting to address the concerns and challenges. Students will not be eating in the cafeteria when they return because there are more than 50 students so they will be eating in the classrooms. Hopefully, with the warmer weather they will be able to get outside as much as possible. It will be nice to have consistency of having students in attendance 5 days a week.
- Athletics are returning. Volleyball has already started. Unfortunately, due to cold/snow days they have already missed three games. The remaining games are this Thursday and next Monday. Boys basketball will begin next. All sports will continue with no spectators. Mrs. Stroops will live stream games on Facebook when her schedule allows.
- The original plan for Mrs. Hammond’s substitute fell through. Ms. Harris has been teaching her class and is willing to stay on. This is great because students will have some consistency and she is used to technology, etc.
- Parent University will be held jointly with Rolling Acres and Washington Gifted this Thursday online. The link is on the webpage. The counselors have put everything together. The focus will be careers and high school, but it is not just for 8th graders. The Noodles and Company restaurant night will be on Thursday as well from 4-8 pm. There will be a drawing for gift cards for parents in attendance.
- There will be Track this year with Mrs. Plunkett as the new coach and Mary Gavin helping her. There will be conflicts with track and girls’ basketball, but they will work it out for girls interested in both.

**Treasurer’s Report, Tanika White**

- The bank balance as of February 14th, 2021 was $9,627.19.
- Transactions from January 15th-February 14th:
  - Reimbursement check for $104.83 to Ms. Davis for school supplies
  - Reimbursement check for $120 to Stephanie Benne for supplies
  - Reimbursement check for $100 to Mrs. Daymude for supplies

Mrs. Malahy appreciates the funds.

**Committee Reports**

**Fundraising**
- Dawn Frakes is going to be in charge of the next upcoming fundraiser. The Save Around Coupon Books will be sold starting March 1st. Students will have the remainder of the month to sell the books. Each student will get a booklet to take home and a flyer that explains the fundraiser, as well as the order form. Any book not sold or returned we will have to pay for. There was a discussion about not giving each student a booklet unless they have signed up or shown interest.

Family Nights, JoAnne Bell & Julie Bowman

- Thursday, April 22nd will be the next Family Night. More details to come closer to the date.

Hospitality, Barbara Riggenbach

Monthly sign up
- We had more parents sign up for the monthly treats for teachers after the link was reshared. Mrs. Malahy said bagels were brought in this month. We have 2 people signed up for February and 1 family for both March and April.

Restaurant Nights, Mindy Barksdale and Qua Williams
- We held a restaurant night at Los Cabos on October 28th. We are waiting to hear how much was raised.
- Noodles & Company Restaurant Night will be on Thursday, February 18th from 4-8 pm.
- Avanti’s restaurant night is scheduled for March 4th from 10:30 am -10 pm for the North Knoxville and Rockwood locations.
- Qua Williams is setting up a date for Double A’s in April. Qua Williams will confirm a date for a Wednesday in April, preferably the 14th or 28th, and let everyone else know.

New Business, Jen Adler
NONE

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 5:25 pm.

The next PTO meeting will be on March 15th and it will hopefully be in person.

Upcoming Meetings:
April 19th -During this meeting nominations will be made for new executive board members and new committee members
May 17th

Sign In Sheet

Mindy Barksdale
Jen Adler
Sue Malahy
Qua Williams