Dawn Parker-Frances, PTO President welcomed everyone to the meeting and asked for everyone to introduce themselves.

**Principal’s Report, Mrs. Malahy**
- Fannie Mae fundraiser has started, money is due 9/24
- Mrs. Malahy thanked parents for erroring on the side of caution by keeping kids home when sick and willingness to get tested when needed.
- First restaurant night is 460 Pizza September 21st. No flyer is needed. PTO will receive a portion of all sales that day anytime between 9 am - 8 pm.
- Thank you to Living Water Lutheran Church and Richwoods Christian Church for their school supplies donation.
- Progress reports go out 9/17
- Picture day 9/24
- SIP day 9/29, school dismissal at 10:30
- Parent Teacher Conferences 10/18 – 10/19
- Next PTO meeting is 10/11

**Committee Reports**

**Teacher Liaison, Monica Tatum**
- In light of rising COVID-19 numbers, the decision was made to cancel Parent University for the fall.
- Teachers are looking was to engage parents
- Ideas presented:
  - This year all subjects (except science) has a new curriculum, we could have a night where teachers explain the new curriculum to parents.
  - Teachers and/or students can present the different APPs that students use.
  - Sports activity/fun night
  - Present available online resources to use instead of using Google, where the information could be unreliable or not in line with the classroom lessons.
  - Schooer APP will replace Remind. Mrs. Malahy asked parents to make sure their email addresses are updated in Skyward for setup in Schooler. The new App allows teachers to narrow messages down to a home room or even a single class. An additional benefit is that APPs students are using are available in one place, in Schooler.
  - A parent suggested proving food. Because of COVID protocols, food would have to be take out. Advance signup will provide accurate participant count.

**Motion:** PTO spend ($100) is gifted to teachers instead of having them turn in receipts.
- Monica Tatum made the motion to approve the funds. Tanika White seconded the motion. Motion approved.

**Open Discussion:**
• A signup will be sent out for monthly teacher snacks. Joe Ann Bell will setup a Signup Genius.

• Discussions on other ways to show teach appreciation:
  o Pastor Darnell Starks of Mt Hawley Community Church suggested that the church could do a Morning Coffee and the church can also assist with teacher meals for teacher conferences.
  o Teachers have the option of requesting money for special projects/needs beyond in addition the $100.
  o Where do teachers post their “Wish List”? In the past parents have created a form & posted this list on the PTO web page.

• A question was asked about additional fundraisers:
  o Coupon books. Dawn is looking into a virtual option this year. The books will be sold online and shipped directly to the person who purchased the books.
  o Spirit Wear sales

• Lindbergh is slate for a name change next year. The district is accepting name suggestions until December 1st. Lindbergh teachers are giving kids a chance to submit suggestions. If you would like to participate, information is available on the district web site.

**Treasurer's Report, Tanika White**

• Balance as of September 1st is $7,369.21
• Expenses from last school year (as of June 30th) total $4,147.68
• Fundraising total for last school year is $7,580.30

**Motion:** Motion to approve the Treasurer’s Report.
• Monica Tatum made the motion to approve the Treasurer’s Report. Emily Wilcox seconded the motion. Motion approved.

**COVID-19 Rapid Test Discussion:**

• The district has a test to stay policy. Parents must fill out the permission form for the nurse to administer COVID test at school. The form was sent out with the Sunday message.
• Parents are asked to keep sick kids at home
• Kids that fall sick at home must have a negative PCR test to return to school. At home tests are not accepted.
• Kids exposure to COVID outside of school must quarantine and have a negative PCR test to return to school.

The meeting adjourned at 7:06 pm.