

Andover Elementary PTA Agenda

October 2, 2025 | 5:30PM | October General Meeting

Board members

Alicia Pigon, President | Abigail Benoit, First VP | Carly Reid, Second VP | Lyndsey Herrand, Third VP | Anne Ferrera, Treasurer | Nicole Calderon, Corresponding Secretary | Jessica Savon, Recording Secretary

Agenda

Owner

Meeting called to order at 5:36pm.

Principal's Welcome & Report

Mrs. Pinder

- Ballard Balls Update: They are installed but still have guards up. Maybe waiting for another inspection.
- ALL portables are being removed. Second grade will be moving to the second floor.
- Soap dispensers are being installed now.
- The elevator will be worked on October 13th.
- The carpets will be replaced in the whole school.
- Wednesdays will be a day to wear pink all of October.
- Conference week in October.
- Spirit Day at McDonalds.
- Red Ribbon Week in Oct.
- Character Parade Oct. 31
- Face Painting Fundraiser Oct. 30th
- Pumpkin Day on Oct. 31st for K and 1st.
- Stakeholder Survey is live now. We need a certain percentage from parents and staff.

Membership Report

Lyndsey Herrand

- 139 members up to date! We ended our membership drive. We did get some students to sign up. Hopefully they will take advantage of the opportunities with membership.
- Kenndall McCommon won the minifridge.
- The bulletin board outside is updated. We will be adding a calendar to the bulletin board. We ended both 5th grade fundraising opportunities and it went well! PTA has

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their Spirit Night at Jeremiahs. For each Jeremiah's night, 5th grade will do a Tattoo Day fundraiser the day of to help promote Jeremiah's Spirit Night..

Treasurer's Report

Anne Ferrera

- We did our first grant for 4th grade for purchasing Study Island. It is now accessible. 3,126.75 our balance. Our big support was Tile Night–PTA brought in around \$800. \$1200 was raised by the Art Committee for Tile Night; we still need to add expenses for oil pastels.. 5th grade is at a negative balance \$108.

Open Forum

- **Color Run:** Oct. 20th we will launch Color Run fundraising, one month before. We have averaged about \$20,000, but we are prepared for more or less. WE are prepared in case we need to make adjustments. Prizes: Pieing Coach Mazzola, sliming Mrs. Pinder, Paintballing Mr. Glenn; Top classroom: game truck; Top student in each grade level will do something with Mrs. Pinder; Top earner: theme park tickets, iPad, or Nintendo Switch.
 - Volunteers can stagger and spray when their kids are running. We will have a sign-up to volunteer.
 - There will be an opportunity to buy a white T-shirt or a Color Run shirt if wanted.
 - We will be asking Rachel Krausmann to make a Color Run video that we can play at Trunk or Treat.
- **Trunk or Treat:** Sat. Oct. 25th
 - We have a firetruck and fire fighters are coming. We are waiting to hear back from SWAT.
 - We have 3 trunks so far! We have trunks around the bus loops for students to walk around. We will have food trucks set around the bus loop.
 - The link is live. Post to get people involved. Will need to create a sign up to donate candy. We have someone who will make a "Feed the Monster" to donate the candy.
 - Grade levels are invited to set up any trunk or fundraiser if they like.
 - We will reach out to see if we can have high school volunteers to help guide people in where to park and to help direct people where to go. Set up will be at 4:30pm.
 - It was suggested to create a letter to ask for candy donations from local companies. It was also suggested to reach out to local businesses to do a trunk.

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- The Rock: It was brought up to take away the cones so people do not see them. Savon will lay them down.
- A bith thank you to all who read all the newsletters, go on social media, come to meetings, and volunteer!

Adjournment

- The meeting was adjourned at 6:32pm.