Bill Roberts PTA Meeting
Wednesday, September 9, 2026 6:30pm
In-person and Virtual (https://meet.google.com/ehn-frmm-nen)

President:	Lisa Lajimodiere (La-je-mow-dee-air): BillRobertsPTA@gmaill.com
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Secretary:	Sara Porter: BillRobertsSecretary@gmail.com

Upcoming Events

9/15	Dine and Donate: Chick-fil-A	9/30	Dine and Donate: Sweet Cow
9/17	Safety Meeting 9:15am Picture Day	10/02	Book It Celebration Field Trip:5th Grade
9/18	Kinder- 2nd Grade Community Night Last day to log hours and donations for BIB	10/06	DEI Community Potluck
9/23	Dine and Donate: Mici Italian	10/17	Platinum Gala:Annual School Auction
9/28	No School	10/24	MS Pickleball Fundraiser

Principal: Mr. Jason Sanders present, with a welcome to 1st timers, encouragement to jump in to volunteering where ever you are comfortable, pointing out we have several families in the meeting who have been here 10+ years, which is a testament to this community.

PTA Teacher Rep Update: Ms Markson (5th grade math) has been at school 19 years, will be at PTA meetings this year. Ms. Bowman also in attendance, is on the CSC. This year Teachers also celebrating 20 years with activities among the staff and admin.

PTA Board Reports

- President - Lisa L. Goal of PTA is to support school/teachers/families, community events & fundraising events. Specific issues with kids or classes not through PTA but school admin or CSC.
- Vice President - Michelle M. Leading Famliy dance, assisting with Book It.
- Treasurer - Libby H. our book keeping happens beginning of the month for the previous month
    - Vote taken to approve Budget, Michelle 1st, Sara 2nd - passed with all Yay and no Nay
    - Book It Bobcat donations coming in, 4 companies sponsorships came in, $5k annually from KS - received our quarterly check this month. Budget is printed out and attached below – per this budget can see that BR PTA gives a $200k grant to the school
    - Clarifications: Money from carnival food excess was used to fill the gap for Beautification, from last year's budget.

        - Food panty, Venmo collections from last year confusing - so this year we will only do one collection specifically during a set time period so know exactly what funds were intended to be for.
- Secretary - Sara P. We will email out meeting minutes monthly
    - K-2 meet & greet, at school Friday 18th, always looking for New Family Committee as well

Committee Updates

- Book It Bobcats: Libby Hutchison, Monica R. Last day to submit hours Sept 18th, in school celebration Oct 2nd, which kiddos will join: EVERY k-3 student, 4-5th students who submitted, and MS students who submitted will get Caines chicken, Super readers donut treat, Broncos mascot! Also DEI component to this with links to books.
- Auction Update: Greta Holtz, Lucy R, Emily B. 20th anniversary Platinum Gala! Still looking for donations to restaurants, trips, and mountain houses. Buy a Share parties - need hosts! Also doing Teacher Experiences. Tickets on sale tmrw! That night will have passed apps and hot buffet, fry bar after the live auction. If ticket cost is a hindrance then please reach out, this is the same for ALL events throughout the year
    - Email billrobertsauction@gmail.com for editable document to send asking for Donations
- Dine and Donate/ Third Party Fundraising: Ashley Kerstock. Have 4 coming up in September - CFA 15th, Mici 23rd, Sweet Cow 30th (40% back!). Oct - Noodles 8th, Illegal Pete 29th (50% back). Considering another Wimsy paint&sip, date TBD
- Original Works: Laura Judd-Glossy. K-5th grade kids do art at school and then submit in time for Holiday buying. Looking to hand off in the next year, so contact if interested!
- Elementary Tours: Jen Hensley. Always looking for new tour guides, and are also looking for a MS tour chair!
- Fun Run: Alex & Greta. Nov 7th at school, 1mile and 5k. Registration $25, includes a Tshirt
- DEI: Oct 6th 5-7pm is the Potluck. Looking into having Denver Water supply water stations. PTA DEI committee and Staff DEI committee work together on this event.

Intro of all committees:

- Art Support: Maribeth - reaching out to music, art, theater teachers.
- Beautification: Larissa Pisney. Spring cleaning for sure probably not fall, looking at spending the budget on an arborist?

- Carnival: Ashley Kerstock. Will beg in May 2027, volunteering gets a free wrist band, carnival company booked, bounce houses, games and prizes.
- Family Dance: Michelle Murray. Geared towards K-4, dance party in the gym, food. Looking for volunteers to help with this committee!
- Food Pantry: Suzie Williams. Provide boxes of food to families that need extra help. This week we had 27 families request food boxes. Pack Tues 1pm - if anyone wants to join. Last year we got 5k pounds of free food from the food bank in addition to food bought with budgeted money from PTA.
    - Food Drives: will do at least 2 this year with grade specific asks. 1st one will be Cereal Drive - will Kinder and 5th grade. Main one before Thanksgiving - month of November
    - Thanksgiving we give an entire meal, get donated Turkeys from Coach Randy, donated potatoes, some pies donated from KS
    - Will work with Winter Outreach to send home nice boxes over winter break
- Staff Appreciation: Laura Strickland & Megan Andersen. 3 main events - Thanksgiving desserts & drinks, pre-Spring Break treats to staff, and Teacher appreciation in May. Looking for more volunteers. Looking to focus on all employees throughout the year. Also Coffee Trucks 6x a year, trucks come to school and drinks delivered to staff by volunteers. Will continue to collect Venmo.
- Sustainability: Kristen Lomelle-Festin. Works with Ms Hussain & Green Team. Last year got $20k grant (for dishwasher repair, trays, silverware, magnets for trash). BUT due to issues with food services (??) grant may not come through? So asking for support to send emails, due next Tues and board meeting next Thurs.
- Garden: Alia Chiapella. Looking for someone to take over.