

GLE PTA Meeting Minutes

Date: Tuesday, February 11, 2024

Time: 6:30 PM

Location: Room 213/Science/Cybrary Room, Golden Lake Elementary

2024 - 2025 Board Members:

- President - Nichole Koustrup - Absent
- Vice President - Carrie Jones
- Treasurer - Ali Wilde
- Secretary - Andrew Ring
- Teacher Reps: Karen Richtsmeier
- Principal - Chris Gerst

Membership Attendance: 10, quorum is present

[Meeting Agenda](#) (PDF)

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by Carrie Jones at 6:30 PM.

Welcome and Introductions

Carrie Jones

Treasurer's Report:

In: \$6,422.83

Out: \$2,661.84

Balance: \$31,608.04

Remaining budgeted out \$25,894.73

Ali Wilde

Principal's Report:

Conference Singups start Thursday (February 13, 2025)

All in person

Chris Gerst

District fundraisers are coming up

March 29 – [Rotary Chain of Giving](#)

May 3 – [Annual Centennial Area Education Foundation Gala](#), dollars to go to K-12 music and arts

discussion on Staff Development Days

Winter FastBridge Tests are coming up

Approval of November Meeting Minutes

Andrew Ring

The minutes from the previous meeting, held on [January 14, 2025](#) were presented.

Motion to approve:

Kelly Schuty motioned to approve

Wes Horton seconded

Discussion of [Updated Standing Rules](#)

Andrew Ring

Delayed to the next meeting due to technical issues.

Motion to approve:

Catie Blackford motioned to approve

Jamie Bankston seconded

Review of Bingo Event

Kelly Schuette

Review of Applebee's Pancake Breakfast Event

Karen Richtsmeier

Spirit Wear

Catie Blackford

Year Round website

There are often sales, often announced on PTA Facebook page

Company will be school supply kit vendor next school year

Prices comparable with last year's vendor

Not a fundraiser for PTA

Lunch with a Loved One

February 28, 2025

Recess and lunch times are flipped.

After lunch there is a 20 to 30 minute period for optionally attending the Book Fair

Spring Book Fair

[Needs more volunteers](#)

Volunteers can miss part of the "shift" to for Lunch with a Loved One

Gertens Plant Sale

Is being organized.

Volunteers will be needed on distribution day.

Staff appreciation

May 5 to May 9.

Carrie Jones

Volunteer Opportunities

To express interest in the following each out to a board member or Mr Gerst

- President (2025-2027)
- Vice-President (2025-2027)
- Treasurer (2025-2027)
- Class Directory - future VP
- Square Art - committee
- Go Around - committee
- Yearbook - committee
- Bingo - committee

Underground Staff Spirit Week

GLE staff had a secret Spirit Week

[Underground Staff Spirit Week @ GLE Video](#)

Meeting End:

7:30PM

Next Meeting:

Next Meeting: 3/18/25 @6:30pm@ Golden Lake Elementary in Room 213 (Science/Cybrary Room)

Childcare will be provided.

Upcoming Events:

Feb 19 - March 26 - Gertens Plant Sale Order time

Feb 26 to March 5- Spring Book Fair

Feb 27, March 4 - Spring Conference Meals

Feb 28 - Lunch with a Loved One

May 7 - Gertens Plant Sale Pick Up

May 5 to May 9 - Staff Appreciation Week

Ongoing Events

[Spirit Wear Store](#)

Obtain School logo clothing and accessories.

(Not a fundraiser)

Future PTA Meetings Dates:

Mar 18

Apr 15 - Consider teacher funding requests & board position nominations

May 13 - Board member election

Request for Topics

To suggest topics for future meetings, please email:

GLE PTA Board at glepta@gmail.com

Principal Chris Gerst at cgerst@isd12.org

Additional Links:

[Golden Lake Elementary PTA Website](#)

[GLE PTA on Facebook](#)

[GLE PTA Events Calendar](#)

[Golden Lake Elementary PTA Sign Up Form \(Google Form\)](#)

[General Interest PTA Volunteer Signup \(Google Form\)](#)