



Union Valley Elementary PTO

General Meeting Minutes
February 10, 2026 at 7:00 PM
Union Valley Library

I. Principal's Report:

- A. Report Cards will be sent home on Thursday, 2/12.
- B. Parent Teacher Conferences are Wednesday evening, 2/19 and Friday afternoon, 2/20.
- C. Ice Cream Social for 5th grade is on Thursday, 2/12.
- D. Wednesday, 2/18 is the start of 5th gr CHAMPS Clubs - Book, Dance and Fitness, Yearbook, Chess and Board Games.
- E. The 100th day of school is Thursday, 2/19. Any celebrations will be by grade level, ot school wide.
- F. Friday, 2/20 is Designer Bag Bingo at AAM.
- G. 2/23 is Kindness Week, dress up day flyers will be sent home tomorrow.
- H. There will be a school assembly 2/25, "The Spirit to Overcome."

II. Board Updates:

Board Report:

- 1. We had a lot of events and fundraisers in the last few months. While it is quiet now, it will soon begin to pick back up again.
- 2. Someone Special Dance K-2 is 3/6, 3-5 is 3/20.

Treasurer's Report:

- 3. Spirit Wear and Holiday Shop were paid, not much happening this month. Candy Grams, pizza for volunteers, money for Candy Bar Bingo.
- 4. Made \$558 on Candy Grams.

Secretary's Report:

- 1. Minutes will be posted to the PTO website

III. PTO Reports

Yearbook: The 5th grade cover contest will begin the 1st week of February and end 2/27. Winners will be announced 3/20. Also, the Yearbook Club is starting Wednesday, 2/18.

Communications:

February Newsletter was sent home.

Website is up to date with current events and forms.

Remind & FB messages have been scheduled.

Fundraising:

Double Good Popcorn was a huge success. We only had 5 students participate, but profited \$521. Like done in the past, in late spring, we would like to plan a special incentive for our top sellers of panzarotti, popcorn and pouncakes.

Texas Roadhouse Night is Thursday, 2/12 4-10pm. We receive 10% of all orders (dine in and takeout) with mention of Union Valley.

We are finalizing plans for a Stock's Pound Cake Fundraiser. The sale would be in April with delivery on Wednesday, 5/20 or Thursday, 5/21. We need to secure a pick up person who could pick them up in Philadelphia between 10-12 on one of these dates. For car space purposes, we do have an 8 case minimum. Each case holds 18 pound cakes.

Council of Schools:

The new policy will be coming out soon on no cell phones, tentative calendar out for next year.

First day of school next year is on a Tuesday, rather than a Friday.

Looking into school stores ordering - saving money.

High cost of Boosterthon was discussed, looking into saving money. Some schools are considering running it themselves for more profit.

Spirit Wear:

Our current sale is for commemorative 25th anniversary shirts. Available shirts are Carolina blue t-shirts and white and navy baseball tees. They both feature a special anniversary design. In addition, there are flannel pajama pants available in 2 color patterns and navy sweatpants. They all feature the traditional Union Valley logo. Orders are due February 20 and should arrive 3 weeks later (mid March).

Student Recognition:

Read Across America Week is coming - contest set up by Ms. Lucier. 3 overall winners will win a Kindle.

School Store: k-2 made \$472 in January, 3-5 made \$453

Helping Hands:

Field Trip Financial Assistance Google Form was out to teachers to use as needed while planning field trips for the spring.

5th grade:

Ice Cream Social is Thursday, 2/12.

Looking into possibly use the yearbook cover for the 5th grade tshirt.

Open Floor:

Meeting ended 7:30 PM