Berlin Elementary PTO Meeting –October 12th, 2021- 6:30 pm

Present: Tracy Kent, Elaine Smith, Carrie Minkler, Nicole Radliff, Rachel Turetsky, Amy Ovitt, Gretchen Ruebel. On Zoom- Valerie, Brenda Demagistris

Welcome: Welcome to all that were able to be in attendance

• Thank you to all who were able to volunteer for the Scholastic Bookfair and also Picture Day.

Principal's Report:

- Thank you to the volunteers who helped with Picture Day and the Scholastic Bookfair
- We are watching numbers and cases of COVID-19 in hopes of clubs/enrichments beginning
- Limiting number of visitors and people in and out if the building to lower chances of exposure
- Student Ambassadors have started
- Art club for 4th and 5th graders to be starting soon
- Hopes for Drama Club
- We are continuing with our Community theme and positive ways to help within the community
- No School Friday, October 22, 2021 Staff Development Day

Treasurer's Report:

- Beginning Balance (9/13/21): \$10,481.88
- Ending Balance (10/12/21): \$9,478.82
 - Expenses-\$1,343.97
 - Deposits-\$340.91
- Earmark Balance: \$5,709.49
 - o Helping Hands: \$4,327.08
 - o Band: \$68.00
 - o Enrichment/Character education: \$558.13
 - o Drama: \$454.01
 - Science:\$0
 - o Library: \$4.25
 - o Playground: \$297.96
 - o 5th Grade: \$.06
 - o Ambassadors: \$0

Fundraising Update:

- Kids Korner fundraiser went great, east to order online, and shipped right to you.
- Scholastic Bookfair- good turnout, was busy. \$900 in free books

Future Activities:

• Holiday Shop- We are working on coming up with a safe alternative to hold the Holiday shop- Details to come.

Next PTO Meeting – 6:30pm -Tuesday, November 9th , 2021- BES Library