

District #56 PTO

December 9, 2024



Attendees:



PTO Board/Members:

- Helena Kreul (Co-President)
- Emily Heslinga (Co-President)
- Maryam Wood (PTO Secretary)
- John Gallagher (Fundraiser Chair)
- Vika Harris
- Ashley Jacobs

D56 Staff/Teachers:

- Jennifer Glickley (RT)
- Erik Sator (SP)
- Diane Ames (RT)
- Kay Szramek (VK)
- Nate McIntyre (PT)

Other Attendees:

- Gail Saunders

Agenda:



- Introductions
- Past Business
- Treasurer Report
- New Business
- Teacher Requests
- Comments/Questions

Welcome
We're Glad You're Here!

Introduction:



Thank you for attending the December D56 PTO meeting for the 2024-2025 school year! (We're halfway through the school year)

- If you would like to be a part of D56 PTO and have not filled out a contact form on the website (d56pto.org), please do!
- There are several Committee spots open!
- Like & follow us on Facebook- District 56 PTO

D56 PTO
Meeting Schedule
2024-2025

September 9
October 7
November 4
December 9
January 13
February 3
March 10
April 7
May 19

Virtual Only!
In-person & Virtual

*All in person meetings take place at the District Office (next to Spaulding) & D56 PTO uses Google Meet for Virtual.
*Planning meeting at 6PM *Public meeting at 7PM.

Past Business:



Chuck E Cheese:

- Another great evening at Chuck E. Cheese this year.
 - **\$532.73 for PTO!**

Launch:

- It was PACKED! Such a great turnout and lots of fun.
 - **\$925 raised for PTO**

Movie Night:

- Our highest attended movie night since “Lyle Lyle Crocodile in 2023”
- THANK YOU to all the families that came out and enjoyed the evening.

CHUCK E. CHEESE. FUNdraising
Turning Fun into Funds

CHUCK E. CHEESE DONATES 20% ON THE SALE

generated from this event to your child's school.
Friends and family members are encouraged to help support this event.
Mention your school when ordering!
Bring this flyer to Chuck E. Cheese.

EVENT INFORMATION

LOCATION: **CHUCK E. CHEESE.**
TIME: **Between 3 - 10 PM**
SCHOOL: **District 56**
EVENT DATE: **Tuesday, November 12th**
EVENT ADDRESS: **1512 Nations Dr., Gurnee**

To find out more, check out chuckecheese.com

CHUCK E. CHEESE 120 PLAY POINTS for \$30

CHUCK E. CHEESE \$29.99 1 Large (1 Topping) Pizza 4 Drinks

LAUNCH FUNDRAISER!

— COME AND SUPPORT —
SCHOOL DISTRICT 56 PTO
FOR FAMILY FUN & FUNDRAISING!
3-Hour Action Pass For Only \$20

Includes access to 2 Large FreeStyle Trampoline Courts, Battle Pit, Mega Coaster, Pump Trail, Air Track, Basketball, and Dodgeball Court.

Friday, November 22nd, 2024
From: 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM Check-in begins at 4:45 PM

*Launch Griddy Socks are not included and are mandatory on all attractions. Griddy socks cost \$3.49 a pair.
*A waiver is mandatory to participate and can be signed In-Store or Online through the Launch Gurnee Website.

880 Lakeside Drive Gurnee, IL 60031 | [f](https://www.facebook.com/launch_gurnee) [i](https://www.instagram.com/launch_gurnee) Launch_Gurnee

D56 PTO PRESENTS:

FREE MOVIE NIGHT

ICE AGE 2

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6
DOORS OPEN 5:30 P.M.
MOVIE STARTS 6:00 P.M.
RIVER TRAIL
333 O'PLAINE ROAD
GURNEE, IL

FREE popcorn! Concessions and spirit wear for purchase!
Bring a chair, blanket, or something cozy to sit on!
THIS IS NOT A DROP-OFF EVENT

Past Business:



Brunch for Conferences:

- All four schools received brunch items the morning of Fall conferences.
- Items: muffins, breakfast cakes, fruit trays, veggie trays, pinwheel sandwiches, shrimp cocktail, bags of chips, protein bars, cookies, mints, bottled water & sparkling grape juice.
 - The teacher & staff LOVED it.
- So glad they felt appreciated and full for conferences 😊



Treasurer Report:



PTO Funds as of December 2, 2024

Checking Account:

\$11,573.66

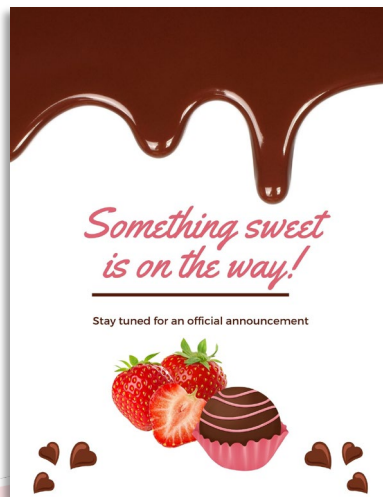
Savings Account:

\$9,302.94



*District 56 PTO Funds
support D56 teachers,
staff members &
students at all
four schools!*

New Business:



WE CAN DO THIS!!! FOOD WITH INTEGRITY
COMMUNITY STARTS HERE
FOIL-WRAP
GOODNESS
GENEROUS
HELPING
TRINITY
WORLD
EVERY
HER DAY
TASTE
MAD
FRESH
BETTER
ULTIMATE
BETTER
WORLD

DO GOOD WITH CHIPOTLE

CHIPOTLE FUNDRAISER FOR
D56 PTO

25% OF EVENT SALES GET DONATED TO THE CAUSE

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15TH | 4-8PM
940 S WAUKEGAN RD, WAUKEGAN, IL, 60085

ORDER ONLINE FOR PICKUP USING CODE **L83JJ69**
OR SHOW THIS FLYER IN RESTAURANT

For online orders to count towards the fundraiser, they must be placed for pickup only from the restaurant location of, and during the hours of, the fundraiser. Delivery orders and gift cards do not qualify. \$150 minimum event sales required to receive any donation.

D56 FAMILY GAME NIGHT

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15TH
5:30-7:30PM

CARD GAMES
BOARD GAMES

EDUCATIONALS FOR PURCHASE

BRING YOUR FAVORITE GAME AND PLAY WITH FRIENDS
THIS IS NOT A DROP OFF EVENT, ADULTS NEED TO BE PRESENT.

VIKING MIDDLE SCHOOL
4440 OLD GRAND AVE. GURNEE, IL 60031

New Business:



D56 FAMILY GAME NIGHT

HOSTED BY D56 PTO

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31ST
6:30-7:30PM

CARD GAMES
BOARD GAMES

CONCESSIONS FOR PURCHASE

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Viking Middle School
4460 OLD GRAND AVE. GURNEE, IL 60031

*Something sweet
is on the way!*

Stay tuned for an official announcement

WE CAN DO THIS!!! FOOD WITH INTEGRITY:
COMMUNITY STARTS HERE... TASTE...
FOOD... INTEREST...
GOODN... HER DAY...
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FAMILY...

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Teacher Requests:



- No new Teacher Requests this month!



Please notice when submitting Teacher Requests Forms... Teacher Requests are reviewed, voted on and approved/not approved during our scheduled monthly meetings.



PTO

Helena Kreul & Emily Heslinga, Co-Presidents | Kim Marban, Treasurer | Abigail Cicero, Secretary

Teacher Fund Request Form

Thank you for your request for funds. The PTO exists to support the students, teachers and staff in a manner that has a resounding impact on the entire D56 school community. Please complete this entire form with detailed information and a signed approval from the Principal. Submit your finished form to the PTO via email at pto@d56.org. Once received, it will be presented to members of the PTO for a vote at our next regularly scheduled meeting. You will be notified of the decision via email in a timely manner. Thank you!

Date of Request: _____

Value Requested: _____

Date Required: _____

Requested by: _____ Email: _____

*Please briefly describe your request and how the students will benefit. Include any links or screenshots that would be helpful for us to better understand what is it you're requesting.

Principal Signature: _____ Date: _____

Below for PTO official use only

PTO Approved? Yes: _____ No: _____ Amount: _____

Signature of PTO President: _____ Date: _____

Public Comment/Questions:



- Have a question? Let us know!

(Or send D56 PTO an email at PTO@d56.org)

- Next Meeting:

Monday, January 13th

(virtual only!)

- **THANK YOU!!!**

