# Brown Elementary School PTO NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 2024

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Happy Fall Brown Elementary Families,

What a fantastic year so far! Its only October and we've had a lot of great events so far! Also, a huge "Welcome!" to all of our new members, I am so excited to see what we can accomplish together this year. Thank you for all your support during the APEX fundraiser! This is our largest fundraiser and we are thrilled that we reached our goal this year. We hope everyone had a great time helping us raise money for our students.

### MEET THE BOARD

President – Megan Jackson Vice President – Ashley Smith Treasurer/Secretary – Jenna McQuattie Volunteer Coordinator – Meagan Crowell

Questions - email BrownPTOpresident@gmail.com

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT

So far the PTO has been able to acquire:

- First Aid kits for every classroom.
- New books have been purchased for the library.
- Soccer Balls, Hula Hoops, Volleyballs and more to come for P.E.
- Three new outside Art Murals.
- Mini Balls for Bear Claw store.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

- October 22: Port of Subs Fundraiser
- November 7: Donations Committee Meeting at 9:30am
- November 13: BJ's Restaurant Fundraiser
- November 20: Learning Express Fundraiser
- November 20: PTO Meeting at 9:45am
- November 25: Turkey BINGO Mark your calendars and join us for these upcoming events!

# STAY CONNECTED

Join our social media & stay updated on news, events, and school activities:

\* Facebook: Brown Elementary School PTO Reno

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Instagram: brownelementarypto



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FROM THE VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR

Thank you to everyone who helped out for the APEX fun run. We appreciate each and every one of you!

Our next event is Turkey BINGO on November 25. Coming soon is the Sign–Up–Genius link. We will need volunteers for set–up, during and after the event.

## TREASURER'S MESSAGE

With your continual support, the PTO provides many programs and resources to our school including: Art & Garden Programing, Staff Aide Support (Computers, PE, and office), Teacher Support (funding for teachers to use in their classes as they need), Specials Support (providing necessary materials and equipment for Music, PE, Library), Technology, Teacher Appreciation and much more. Thanks to all of you, the PTO raised over \$116k last year, all which goes directly back to Brown.

#### YEARBOOK ORDERS

Yearbook pre-sale is now open! \*Hardcover \$38.99 \*Softcover \$28.99 \*Buy Space for 5th Grade Graduation Ads

https://store.shopyearbook.com/brown



### **DONATIONS COMMITTEE**

New this year is a donation committee. This committee is responsible for requesting donations from local and regional businesses. If you are interested in helping, please join our first meeting on Nov. 7th at 9:30am, or would like more information, please email brownPTOpresident@gmail.com

This committee can be done from home.