

CGES PAC/PTO Agenda/Notes
March 4, 2024

1. Welcome and Attendance: Krista Wilson, Kaitlin Johnson, Lisa Bolieu, Sandy Bachura, Jonathan Rivers, Staci Swalley, Valerie Gehrer, Ashley Rivers, Kelcy Bremer, Heather Honas
2. CGES Updates
 - a. Kelcy Bremer, Principal 2024-2025 Yay!
 - b. Tasha Green, Assistant Principal 2024-2025 Yay!
 - c. Looking for an instructional coach for the district
 - d. We currently have 2 openings (upper elementary) to fill for next school year
3. KESA 2.0 - Valerie Gerher
 - a. What's different/changed this year - Valerie shared and explained the changes to KESA. This year is a "Learning Year," next year will be called KESA 2.0. The goal of KESA 2.0 is that every district will be accredited every year (not every 5 years). Basically, a district will be accredited unless they find reason for concern. Valerie shared handouts that helped explain the process and focus of KESA. [KESA Handouts](#)
4. Celebrations - Food provided by PTO for teachers/staff during Parent/Teacher conferences, good attendance for Parent/Teacher conferences, wrapping up the 3rd quarter and Successful Dr. Seuss Night
5. PTO Notes: Book Fair Update: People who helped were beyond a blessing! Prizes were a hit! The winner of the Grand Slam prize of a huge baseball beanbag was very appreciative. Total purchases for CGES - \$3,517.45 which amounts to \$1,758.75 Scholastic dollars! Total purchases for JH/HS - \$1,988.48 which amounts to \$795.39 Scholastic dollars! Thank you to Lisa Bolieu for her hours of time volunteering, organizing and planning the book fair!
 - a. Suggestions to revamp the PTO sign up sheet for Back to School Night by adding volunteer sign ups for different school events
 - b. Check was written for \$152.00 to help pay for the 2nd grade field trip
 - c. Will talk about a fund-raising event next Fall
6. Next Meeting: Monday, April 29, 2024