

South Range Elementary School PTO/Booster Club

Minutes from March 30, 2026

Attendance: Principal Kim Harris, President Alexandra Larsen, Vice President Brittney DeForge, Secretary Val Dobson, Treasurer Karri Larson, Chelsea Miller, Mande Lehto, Laura Ruohonen

- 1) The meeting was called to order by Alexandra at 3pm.
- 2) Reading of the Minutes from February 23, 2026
 - a) Motion to accept by Mande. Second by Karri. Motion carried unanimously
- 3) Review of Treasurer's Report
 - a) \$5004.91 in checking, \$10670.22 in savings
 - b) Motion to accept by Val. Second by Laura. Motion carried unanimously.
- 4) Payment of Bills
 - a) Teacher Funds
 - i) Lori Geshel-\$250
 - ii) Laura Ruohonen-\$250
- 5) Correspondence
 - a) Junk Mail
- 6) Old Business
 - a) What to do with money
 - i) Sensory bins-Table
 - ii) Outdoor activities
 - (1) Val made a motion to allocate \$500 toward outdoor activity supplies, such as volleyballs, basketballs, and jump ropes. Second by Mande, the motion passed unanimously.
 - b) Reading Month-Gave out 172 books during the night, totaling a little over \$2000. Val used coin money and some Scholastic dollars to cover part of the total; the Booster Club will pay \$ 1,500. In 2025, the Booster Club paid \$1529.37. The \$14.99 price point was popular with students.
- 7) New Business
 - a) Laminator
 - i) The laminator is broken. For it to be fixed, the company would have to send someone to diagnose and then come back. The cost could be almost equal to that of another, so it would be better to buy a new one. Mrs. Harris found a Meemic grant for \$500, and the school could use the Activity Fund. Mande made a motion for the Booster Club to give \$500 towards it. Second by Brittney. Motion passed unanimously.
 - ii) Alexandra offered to have her son Eli look at it to see if he can fix it.
 - b) Teacher Appreciation
 - i) Alexandra and Chelsea will be heading this.
 - c) Class Pictures
 - i) These will be done again. Samm Kokkonen will be asked if she wants to do it again.
- 8) Next Meeting is April 27th at 3PM
- 9) Alexandra adjourned the meeting at 3:26 P.M.