

DATE: August 19, 2026
TO: Pana Education Foundation Members
FROM: Mrs. Jessica Miller, Superintendent
RE: **Pana CUSD #8 Education Foundation Meeting**

Notice is hereby given that the Pana Education Foundation of Pana CUSD #8 of the Counties of Christian, Shelby and Montgomery, Illinois will be meeting at **7:00 a.m. on Wednesday, August 19, 2026 in the Office of the Superintendent in the Board Room at 14 East Main Street.**

AGENDA

- I. Call Meeting to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Review/Approval of Minutes
- IV. Treasurer's Report/Payment of Bills
 - 1. Note Worthy Donations
- V. Committee Reports
 - a. Scholarship Committee
 - b. Mini-Grant Committee
 - 1. Move Due Date to May 8, 2026 (reasons why)
 - 2. Pix sent to Amanda and Mike for FB and Dist Website
 - 3. Sent to Pana News
 - c. Publicity Committee
 - 1. PBT Scoring for Ed in paper
- VI. Old Business
 - 1. License Plates Update
 - 2. Procedures and Guidelines
 - 3. Standards for Accepting Possible Scholarships and Fees
 - 4. PES Panther Pages
- VII. New Business
- VIII. Next Meeting Date: September 16, 2026 at 7:00 a.m.
- IX. Adjournment

PANA EDUCATION FOUNDATION
July 22, 2026 MEETING

Meeting was called to order by Becky Carter-Beeson at 4:15 pm. in the Pana CUSD #8 Office.

PRESENT: Rebecca Carter-Beeson, Josh Ishmael, Mike Cothorn, Eric Kingery, Sarah Burris

ABSENT: Mark Beyers

SUPERINTENDENT Jessie Miller (yes)

Minutes: Motion to approve the December Minutes as presented was made by Ishmael and seconded by Kingery. All in favor – Yes

Treasurer's Report: Cothorn reported the account balances. One CD will mature 08-20-26. FNB is currently offering 6- months at 4.25 APY. Motion to approve the Treasure's Report as presented made by Kingery and seconded by Ishmael. All in Favor – Yes Opposed: 0

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

1. Mini-Grant Committee -17 Mini-Grants presented and one tabled. Megan Henkel's Mini-Grant was tabled waiting for information from the District's Technology Dept regarding existing equipment to support the Mini-Grant. Motion to present a check to the District for \$12,000.00 for Mini-Grants was made by Cothorn and seconded by Ishmael. All in favor – yes. Opposed: 0
 - A. Publicity Committee – Announcements on FB regarding end of the license plate fundraiser are being posted – Friday, July 10, 2026.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Business Sponsor letters are out and beginning to roll in
2. Panther Pages – PES Budget, Carter-Beeson will contact A Metzger for complete numbers relating to program
3. Policies and Guidelines: Tabled

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Parade Items – A motion was made by Ishmael to order pencils from TAP – 1,000 pencils
total of \$390.00 and to order t-shirts from The Eye of the Needle
and
seconded by Kingery. All in Favor – Yes Opposed: 0
2. Scoring for Ed letter will be going out this week
3. Wall of Fame Announcement published in the newspaper. Second newspaper notice will
be August 7th, 2026. The announcement appears on the district's website, under the PEF tab on the website and the district's FB page. It will also be announced on PEF's FB page. Ceremony will be held Sunday, September 27th, 2026.
4. New Teacher Support – same as last year, \$200.00, 4 coming in
5. By Laws – Ishmael presented possible changes with the current by laws. Kingery made a
motion to take the proposed changes to the School Board President, Kyle Anderson for review.

Next meeting will be held on August 19, 2026 at 7:00 am at the Unit Office.

Motion to adjourn was made by Kingery and seconded by Ishmael. All in Favor – Yes Opposed: 0

PANA EDUCATION FOUNDATION
FINANCIAL REPORT - AUGUST 2026

ACCOUNT BALANCE ENDING JULY 31, 2026:

	CURRENT MONTH	PRIOR YEAR
ASSETS		
First National Bank- Checking	52,029.75	104,338.32
First National Bank- Certificate of Deposits	330,628.55	246,630.73
TOTAL ASSETS	382,658.30	350,969.05

Deposit Account				CURRENT BALANCE
First National Bank - #0314				
RESTRICTED FUNDS				5,115.51
UNRESTRICTED FUNDS				46,914.24
CD	ISSUE DATE	INTEREST RATE	MATURITY DATE	
RESTRICTED				
FNB XX0078	11/10/2025	4.25%	11/10/2026	11,927.00
FNB XX1169	6/2/2027	3.75%	6/2/2027	7,656.97
FNB XX987	1/23/2026	4.00%	1/23/2027	61,766.24
FNB XX031	4/22/2026	3.75%	4/22/2027	20,000.00
FNB XX213	10/20/2025	4.25%	10/20/2026	5,646.36
FNB XX931	8/20/2025	4.60%	8/20/2026	23,000.00
FNB XX8959	2/27/2026	3.98%	2/27/2027	10,690.87
FNB XX2957	2/27/2026	3.98%	2/27/2027	9,600.42
FNB XX8073	2/27/2026	3.98%	2/27/2027	2,459.92
			TOTAL	152,747.78
UNRESTRICTED				
FNB XX0006	12/18/2025	4.25%	12/12/2026	6,652.46
FNB XX3147	11/14/2026	4.25%	11/14/2027	35,737.64
FNB XX0035	1/27/2026	4.00%	1/27/2027	75,490.67
FNB XX4525	3/27/2026	3.98%	3/27/2027	60,000.00
			TOTAL	177,880.77

MONTH END INCOME/EXPENSES

Current Month Actual		Year to Date Actual	Prior Year
	REVENUE & COMMUNITY SUPPORT		
2,900.00	General- Unrestricted Donations	10,330.00	32,260.00
200.00	General- Restricted Donations (Permanent and Temporary)	2,050.00	23,600.00
2.07	Interest- Deposit Account	20.87	44.53
1,225.17	Interest- Certificate of Deposit	3,917.39	4,519.01
-	Fundraising	-	7,525.00
<u>4,327.24</u>	TOTAL REVENUE & COMMUNITY SUPPORT	<u>16,318.26</u>	<u>67,948.54</u>
	EXPENSES		
0.00	Bank Charges	0.00	-
0.00	Mini-Grants	2,389.00	5,386.44
-	Special Projects	0.00	2,686.00
-	New- Teacher Program	765.95	375.57
-	Postage	0.00	414.28
1,500.00	Scholarships- PEF Sponsored	4,250.00	4,250.00
0.00	Scholarships- Other- Restricted	2,500.00	3,000.00
0.00	Fundraising Events	0.00	3,462.09
-	Professional & Other Fees	700.00	15.00
0.00	Printing	45.00	459.50
0.00	Advertising	0.00	-
-	Miscellaneous	100.00	733.05
<u>1,500.00</u>	TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>10,749.95</u>	<u>20,781.93</u>
<u>2,827.24</u>	INCREASE (DECREASE) IN ASSETS	<u>5,568.31</u>	<u>47,166.61</u>

***OUTSTANDING ITEM: \$12,000.00 to Pana Unit #8

	Books	Direct Link to Books	# of books	Price per Book	Total Per Grade Level
PreK Book	Don't Let Pigeon Drive the Bus	https://www.amazon.com/Dont-Let-Pigeon-Drive-Bus/dp/B00440T1V6/ref=monarch_sidesheet_title	85	\$6.47	\$549.95
K Book	The very impatient Caterpillar	https://www.amazon.com/dp/133853235?ref=cm_sw_r_fbbk_cso_op_apin_dp_3SDW2K7RFYYBK2	90	\$12.49	\$1,124.10
1st Book	If You Take a Mouse to School	https://www.amazon.com/You-Take-Mouse-School-Give/dp/0439442605/ref=tmm_pap_switch_0	85	\$6.11	\$519.35
2nd Book	Because of Winn-Dixie	https://www.amazon.com/Because-Winn-Dixie-Kate-DiCamillo/dp/1536214353/ref=sr_1_1?crid=36XEF	85	\$7.55	\$641.75
3rd Book	The One and Only Ivan	https://www.amazon.com/One-Only-Ivan-Katherine-Applegate/dp/0061992275/ref=sr_1_1?crid=35EM	95	\$6.00	\$570.00
4th Book	The Lemonade War	https://www.amazon.com/Lemonade-War/dp/0547237650/ref=tmm_pap_switch_0?encoding=UTF8&	95	\$6.27	\$595.65
5th Book	Holes	https://www.amazon.com/Holes-Louis-Sachar/dp/0440414806/ref=sr_1_1?crid=14QJYYR0MOZSO&d	95	\$6.99	\$664.05
					\$4,664.95
OTHER REQUESTS					
		Direct Link			
PreK	Outdoor Book Library	https://www.walmart.com/ip/Ilvapa-Outdoor-Library-Book-Box-Free-Literature-Exchange-Kit-for-Outsidr	1	\$119.99	\$119.99
PreK	Miscellaneous Items for family event (crafts, food, etc)	Walmart Gift Card to purchase	1	\$150.00	\$150.00
K	Did Not Submit Request	Did Not Submit Request			\$0.00
1st	Volcano Kits	https://www.amazon.com/rifamee-Eruption-Experiments-Valentines-Christmas/dp/B0FL7ML772/ref=sr	4	\$25.99	\$103.96
1st	Notebooks	https://www.amazon.com/Notebook-Notebooks-Colorful-Supplies/dp/B0FSZ76YHX/ref=sr_1	4	\$6.99	\$27.96
1st	Book Activities	https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/If-you-Take-a-Mouse-to-School-Read-Aloud-Book-Activ	1	\$5.00	\$5.00
2nd	Build-It Doghouses	https://www.amazon.com/Adoption-Foldable-Decoration-Crafting-Birthday/dp/B0FNRYK3B/ref=sr_1	4	\$16.89	\$67.56
2nd	Dog Plush	https://www.amazon.com/Niceup-Stuffed-Adoption-Christmas-Valentines/dp/B0DD4CWLPS/ref=sr_1	4	\$36.99	\$147.96
3rd	Did Not Submit Request	Did Not Submit Request			\$0.00
4th	Tote Bags	https://www.amazon.com/12-Pack-Canvas-Tote-Bags/dp/B0747XG8KJ/ref=sr_1_24?crid=21F1PY9C	8	\$16.89	\$135.12
4th	Vinyl	https://expressionsvinyl.com/easysweed-12-x-5-ft-heat-transfer-vinyl-roll/ (4 blue and 4 orange)	8	14.99	119.92
4th	Lemonade Table Decor	https://www.amazon.com/Moukaren-Lemonade-Tablecloth-Supplies-Standard/dp/B0GLGVMLL/ref=dp	1	\$28.99	\$28.99
5th	Canteens	https://www.amazon.com/Fun-Express-Kids-Water-Bottle/dp/B08CS2GMPR/ref=sr_1_5?dib=evj2loilv	8	\$23.94	\$191.52
					\$1,097.98

First Name	Last Name	Organization Name	Address	City	State	Postal Code	Amount	Deposit Date	Donor ID	Field1
		TAP	1301 E. Jackson St.	Pana	IL	62557	250	10/8/2025	169	
Bryce	Craig	Craig Antenna	PO Box 139	Pana	IL	62557	250	7/16/2026	221	
Jacqueline	Sisk	McCracken Dean Funeral Home	308 E. 2nd St.	Pana	IL	62557	250	7/16/2026	455	
		Coleman Environmental Services	5 N State St	Pana	IL	62557	250	7/28/2026	567	
		Coleman Salvage & Demolition	5 N State St.	Pana	IL	62557	250	7/28/2026	451	
		Crawford Enterprises, Inc.	PO Box 146	Pana	IL	62557	250	7/28/2026	439	
Mike	Holthaus	Holthaus Heating & Appliances	207 S. Locust St	Pana	IL	62557	250	7/28/2026	526	
Mike	Cothorn	TCCU	101 E. 5th St	Pana	IL	62557	250	7/28/2026	579	
		Tres Compadres	2565 E Rt. 16	Pana	IL	62557	250	7/28/2026	639	
		Whiskey Bill	5 N State St	Pana	IL	62557	250	7/28/2026	631	
Mike	Trexler	Trexler & Company	3 E. 3rd St.	Pana	IL	62557	250	7/30/2026	430	
		Henschen Tax Service Inc	551 N 2300 East Rd	Pana	IL	62557	250	8/6/2026	620	
Tom	Morrell	Morrell Auto Service Inc	704 Fair Ave	Pana	IL	62557	250	8/6/2026	436	
Melissa	Rybolt	Pana Community Hospital	101 E. 9th St.	Pana	IL	62557	250	8/6/2026	450	
Mike	Foster	Pizza Man	23 Timber Dr	Pana	IL	62557	250	8/6/2026	453	
		LLCU	206 S. Locust St.	Pana	IL	62557	250	8/11/2026	578	
		Peoples Bank and Trust	PO Box 350	Pana	IL	62557	250	8/11/2026	578	
		Siebert-Lees Insurance	PO Box 20	Pana	IL	62557	250	8/11/2026	435	
Kyle	Anderson	Willms	505 Fair Ave	Pana	IL	62557	250	8/14/2026	574	
		First National Bank		Pana	IL	62557	250	8/14/2026		
		Jansen					250	8/6/2026		