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Fwd: Book Fair Final Totals

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Good afternoon, Dr. Mahoney-

I am thrilled to inform you that our recent book fair was an overwhelming success, with attendance surpassing our expectations and sales reaching an all-time high! The enthusiasm and participation from students, parents, teachers, maintenance staff, custodial staff, and paraprofessionals were truly remarkable, highlighting the strong support for literacy in our community.

Thanks to the generosity of five anonymous donors, over one hundred fifty students who could not afford a book were able to select a book from the book fair. Their contributions ensured that every child had the opportunity to participate and enjoy the event. This act of kindness also inspired a group of dedicated adults to form a committee to continue this mission for future events.

This committee is now working to ensure that every student in our building will have a book at the next book fair. (April, 2025) Their efforts will focus on fundraising and organizing resources to support this important initiative.

I am pleased to report that the total amount raised from the book fair, including donations, was \$19,849.16. I converted the profit to Scholastic Dollars, which came to just over \$10,000, with the special event bonus amounts. These dollars will be used to purchase and replace books for both libraries.

We look forward to building on this momentum in future events.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Green
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