

# B ard Highlights

Highlights from the **October 25, 2022** Board of Education Meeting

**Board of Education: Megan Cutuli • Marlys Davidson • Scott Fayette • Chris Forehan • Diana D. Hill**

There were several notable moments during the October 25, 2022 Board of Education meeting. The timestamps with each highlight will help you navigate directly to the point in the recorded meeting.

**Workshop - 4:00 p.m.**

[YouTube Link to View](#)

## **School Reports: *Timestamp 2:40 - 34:00***

### **Rossmoor Elementary School**

Our Rossmoor Knights packed the boardroom with students, families, staff, and community members. Highlights included a beautiful performance of “You’re a Grand Old Flag” by the Rossmoor “Royal” Choir and a wonderful presentation by Principal Coltey and two fifth-grade representatives all about how Rossmoor is growing greatness this year. Their presentation concluded with honoring the Rossmoor Elementary Hero of the Heart, affectionately known to the Rossmoor community as Mr. Tom, the school’s crossing guard.

## **Recognition: *Timestamp 34:00 - 41:00***

- Hero of the Heart, Rossmoor Elementary School Crossing Guard, Tom Germscheid



**Rossmoor Fifth Grade Student Representatives**



**Rossmoor Hero of the Heart, Tom Germscheid**



**Rossmoor Staff**



**Rossmoor Choir**

**Board President's report: *Timestamp 3:10 - 9:40***

**Mrs. Diana Hill**

Mrs. Hill's Board President's report focused on the many ways the district communicates with our Los Al Unified staff, families and community. Communication includes: District and school websites, Board Meeting agendas and Board Highlights, social media, great relationships with local publications, and weekly "The Wrap-Up".

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**Student Board Member Report: *Timestamp 10:00 - 16:15***

**Alexa Dharmapalan**

During her report, Alexa focused on the many highlights from last week's Homecoming festivities including:

- Academics: College Mini Series including College Essay Night and Financial Aid Night
  - Activities: Homecoming Assembly, Dance and Spirit Dress Out Days
  - Athletics: Homecoming Football Game, and Girls Volleyball CIF Quarterfinals
  - Arts: Homecoming Halftime Show featuring Advanced Dance, Cheer and Song, Show Choir and Band
  - Student Spotlight: Riley Yew, Senior and Co-Captain of the Advance Dance Team
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**Superintendent's Report: *Timestamp 17:00 - 29:20***

**Dr. Andrew Pulver**

During his report, Dr. Pulver highlighted:

- State testing (CAASPP) scores: Dr. Pulver reported that Los Alamitos USD continues to remain number one among all Unified School Districts in Orange County in English Language Arts and number two in Mathematics.
  - Free online tutoring for students in grades 4 through 12 with Revolution Prep
  - Spotlight on Los Al USD's Extended Day Care (EDCC) Program
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**Information/Presentations: *Timestamp 1:04:20 - 1:31:00***

- **Presentation of Supplemental Materials:** *Mrs. Ondrea Reed, Deputy Superintendent, Education Services*
    - The following supplemental material will be available for preview for thirty days at the Los Alamitos Unified School District Office: *The Social Dilemma* documentary by Netflix - for use by Los Alamitos Unified 7th and 8th grade students
  - **Secondary Math Overview:** *Mrs. Ondrea Reed, Deputy Superintendent, Education Services*
    - During her presentation, Mrs. Reed discussed the many ways the District assesses student progress including CAASPP data, SAT/ACT scores, A-G completion, and AP classes. Mrs. Reed shared that Los Al Unified ranks #2 in Mathematics amongst all Orange County Unified School Districts.
    - A copy of the presentation can be viewed by clicking this link: [Overview of Secondary Math Data](#)
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**Consent/Action Items: *Timestamp 1:32:00 - 1:43:55***

Below is a brief summary of the items the Board took action on:

- The Board approved an agreement with Convergeone. Inc. for the hardware and installation of IP speakers for the Wellness Center at Los Alamitos High School
  - The Board approved the second reading and final approval of the following Board Policies:
    - Board Policy 3110, Transfer of Funds
    - Board Policy 5141.21, Administering Medications
    - Board Policy 6158, Independent Study
  - The Board approved the adoption of Resolution 2022-2023-09 for Procurement of Technology Equipment pursuant to public contract code section 20118.2 as allowed by e-rate.
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**Next Board of Education Meeting:**

**Tuesday, November 15, 2022**

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