

LBIPTA

December Meeting

12 December 2024 / 4:00 PM / LBI Media Center, Ship Bottom, NJ

IN ATTENDANCE

Marci Bleam, Rachel McDill, Erica Jenkins, Hannah Connolly, Frank Birney, Shelley Smith, Judy Meehan

AGENDA

- **Call to order:** 4:05 pm Marci Bleam, President
- **Pledge of Allegiance**
- **Welcome and Introductions**
- **Treasurer's Report**

Games of Chance Account Bank Balance - \$9,860.54

Outstanding Expenses

Check # 0104 - Winner #3 \$400.00

Check #0105 - Winner #4 \$400.00

Current working Games of Chance Account Balance - \$9,060.54

General Operating Account Bank Balance - \$49,268.33

Outstanding Expenses

Melanie Cassie Photography \$31.57

OCCPTA (County dues) \$56.50

Reimbursement - Sponsor gifts \$20.98

Shore Promotions - Sponsor gifts \$667.65

Scholastic Book Fairs \$2,550.41

Harlem Wizards \$2085.00

Outstanding Income

Transfer from Venmo - Spiritwear \$185.00

Current working general operating account balance - \$44,041.22

Rachel L. McDill
Treasurer, LBI PTA

- **Important Dates**

- Dance @ LBI March 7th Coleen Garabedian Chairperson
- Teacher Appreciation - December 18th & 19th
- Auction @ The Farm on Main - March 22nd
- Teacher Appreciation Week of May 5th
- Field Day - May 30th (rain date June 6th)
- Bay Day - June 5th (rain date June 9th)

- **Volunteers needed**

- **Auction**

- **Committee Reports**

- **Assemblies-** Marci Bleam
 - Wizards-January 13th (both schools)
 - Brainwash- February 13th (both schools and family night)
 - Magic science- March 12th (both schools)
- **Restaurant Fundraiser** - Burger25 (hoping for January - they fundraise either a Monday, Wednesday, or Thurs) Jan 23, Jan 29, or Jan 30.
- **Social Committee** - Erica Jenkins & Coleen Garabedian Dec 5 Hotel LBI recap. Student chorus performed, sold candy grams and shirts, and pictures with Santa. Overall successful event. Sold 15 Santa photos at \$30 a piece, and 21 candy grams at \$5 a piece, and sold a few shirts. Room was free. More chairs may be needed for next year. Large turnout. Found that it was too packed to stay and eat, possibly adding a buffet for the kids after performing.
- **Afterschool Enrichment** - Danni Hagler
- **Membership** - Judy Meehan - sending home flyers for membership - flyers will go home with the youngest child. Extra recess or PJ day as a reward for most families joined in a homeroom. Membership will be going up in price for teachers next year as the county is starting to charge more. There was a discussion about PTA and PTO differences.
- **Spiritwear** - Marci Bleam - delivery early next week to the school.

- **Auction:** Danni Hagler & Jessica Scangarello
 - **Holiday Shop** - Danielle Agnello - recap
 - Successful event. Suggested to sign up again for next year. Timing was perfect with lunch/recess. More volunteers needed for next year for sure. May need to revisit this with the school merger.
 - **Teacher Appreciation** - Danielle Agnello
 - Dec 18th at EJ & Dec 19th at LBI
 - Catered lunch from Maristella's
 - **Photo shoot fundraiser** - Marci Bleam
 - Spring with Melanie, mini photo shoot, possibly beach and a rain date available. 10-15 minutes and digital prints
- **New Business**
 - Lindsey Brown has resigned from the VP position. Executive board approved Erica Jenkins to continue the unexpired term of Vice President of the PTA.
 - E-board needs to go to TD bank to update signers.
 - Rachel brought up having a Clothing Drive in May - possibly coordinating it with Field Day to bring in clothing. Additional days May 31 or possibly June 7th
 - **Announcements:**
 - **Stay Updated:** Website- <https://www.lbischools.org/for-parents/pta/parent-teacher-association> , Facebook, Instagram: @lbicsdpta Emails/Texts Messages
 - Reiterating when dropping your children off at EJ to stay in your vehicle when in the driveway, if you want to be chatty or it's nice out and you'd like to get out of the vehicle, park on the street and walk up to the door.

Meeting ended 5:21 pm

Danielle Agnello, Recording Secretary

Upcoming meetings

January 9, 2025 LBI Media Center

February 13, 2025

March 13, 2025

April 17, 2025

May 8, 2025

June 5, 2025