



EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES
for NATIVE AMERICANS
and NATIVE ALASKANS

LONG BEACH UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Wednesday, February 25, 2026

Land Acknowledgement

- Read by Milan Matsumoto, *Tlingit*
Secondary Student Representative on the Parent
Advisory Committee

We acknowledge that we are on land that has been inhabited, sustained, and cared for by the Tongva/Gabrieleño and Acjachemen/Juaneño Nations since time immemorial. Furthermore, we appreciate that their cultures, traditions and languages continue to thrive here, along with their ongoing struggles to protect their sacred sites. We thank them for their strength, perseverance and resistance. It is with this understanding that the Long Beach Unified School District endeavors to provide educational experiences that reflect the histories, joys and resilience of Indigenous peoples, along with other marginalized groups.

Welcome

- Bill Smith, *Yupik, Alaskan Native*
 - EONA Parent Advisory
Committee Vice-Chairperson



Norms

- Be present and minimize distractions
- Seek to understand diverse points of view
- Share the space we create
- Assume positive intentions
- Commitment of respect for all

Parent Advisory Committee Members 2025 – 2026

Chair: unfilled

Vice-Chair: Bill Smith, *Yupik – Alaskan Native*

Secretary/Treasurer: Cheryl Matsumoto, Tlingit – Alaskan Native

Secondary Education Representative: Milan Matsumoto, Tlingit – Alaskan Native

Teacher: unfilled

Introductions

Please briefly introduce yourself.

- Name, Tribal Affiliation, or Program Representing

Preparing to Vote: Parent Advisory Committee Executive Board

- Kathy Leonard, *Diné*
 - EONA Program Coordinator

Voting will take place tonight on
Wednesday, February 25, 2024

Review portion of the Bylaws: Parent Advisory Committee Executive Board

- We will refer to the Bylaws when we go over the positions on our Board and the responsibilities.
 - “The nomination and election of officers will be held during the first meeting of each school year.”
 - This has been a challenge due to our Chairperson leaving the position.
 - When we work on our Bylaws we should discuss having elections at the last meeting compared to the first meeting.
 - Our focus tonight will be on the section with descriptions for the duties and responsibilities of each position and Voting on the Board.

The duties of the PAC Chairperson:

1. Assuring compliance with the Title VI rules and regulations.
2. Conduct all Parent Advisory Committee meetings.
3. Appoint subcommittees.
4. Call special meetings when necessary.
5. Work to implement the objectives of the Parent Advisory Committee.

The duties of the PAC Vice – Chairperson:

1. Assist the chairperson.
2. To conduct meetings in the Chairperson's absence.
3. Arrange for speakers and special programs.

The duties of the PAC

Secretary-Treasurer:

1. Keep attendance records of members.
2. Record minutes of meetings and transcribe minutes.
3. Handle correspondence requested by the Chairperson.
4. Be custodian of the committee's records.
5. Maintain a list of the addresses and telephone numbers of each member of the committee.

The duties of the Parent Advisory Members–At–Large, Teacher and Secondary Student:

1. Serve in a voting capacity on the committee.
2. Serve on standing or special committees assigned by the Chairperson.

Let's Vote

- Chairperson
- Vice-Chairperson
- Secretary-Treasurer
- Secondary Student Representative



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2025-2026 MEETING SCHEDULE



Time | Hora
5:30 pm – 6:30 pm



Location | Lugar
Browning High School Multi Purpose Room
2180 Obispo Ave.,
Long Beach, CA 90804



Date | Fecha

Tuesday, October 28
martes, 28 de octubre

Tuesday, November 18
martes, 18 de noviembre

Tuesday, December 9
martes, 9 de diciembre

Tuesday, January 20
martes, 20 de enero

Tuesday, February 17
martes, 17 de febrero

Tuesday, March 17
martes, 17 de marzo

Tuesday, April 14
martes, 14 de abril

Tuesday, May 5
martes, 5 de mayo

Tuesday, June 2
martes, 2 de junio

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LBUSD District Info.

Let's share what's happening in our district.



We are pleased to offer Parent University Series Workshops,
designed to engage and support families

2025-2026 Complete Workshop Schedule

In-Person Workshops

5:30pm - 7:00pm



Browning High School
Multi-Purpose Room (MPR)
2180 Obispo Ave.,
Long Beach, CA 90804

*Teacher Resource Center
ABC Room
1299 E. 32nd St.
Signal Hill, CA 90755

9/18	Tech Help for LBUSD Parents
10/16	*Preparing for Parent / Teacher Conferences
11/06	Making Sense of Standardized Testing
12/11	Introduction to Special Education
1/08	College Readiness: the LBUSD College Promise
2/12	Social Media and Cybersafety
3/12	Substance Prevention
4/16	Parenting Your Child Through Adolescence
5/07	Understanding the LCAP

Webinars

6:00 - 7:00pm



10/9	Wellness Centers and Student Mental Health
11/4	High School Assignment Process
2/5	Middle & K8 School Assignment Process

Livestreamed at lbschools.net/YouTube with live Q&A to follow
(recorded and uploaded for future viewing)

Informational Videos



Watch at
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at your convenience

- Welcome to EEP
- Welcome to LBUSD
- Volunteering: How to Get Involved
- College Readiness: A-G Requirements
- LGBTQIA+ Supports



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**Registration for
In-Person Workshops**



Parent University Schedule

Community Events

Let's share what's happening around Long Beach.

Not all of the following
events are not district
sponsored.

CAL STATE LONG BEACH POW WOW 2026

SAVE THE DATE

MARCH 14 & 15

INTRAMURAL FIELD
LOWER CAMPUS

PRESENTED BY THE AMERICAN INDIAN STUDENT COUNCIL

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT:

WWW.CSULB.EDU/POWWOW



Local Community Programs

Let's share what RESOURCES are in our community.

**The following events are
not district sponsored.**

Program Announcements

Saturday, March 14th, 2026 around 1:00 pm.

Location: CSULB Pow Wow.

- EONA will participate in a Candy Give Away – Pow Wow Special & White Sage Planted Seed Give Away(for Elders) – Indigenous Plant Revitalization Project.

The following event is not district sponsored.

Program Announcements

Tuesday, March 17th, 2026 at 5:30 pm.

Location: Browning Multi Purpose Room.

- 5:30 pm – EONA PAC Meeting
- 5:30 pm – Academic Support/Enrichment with National Board Teachers
- 6:00 – 6:30 pm – Cultural Component with Eleanor, *Yo'eme*

Closing Remarks (for PAC Meeting)

- Bill Smith, *Yupik – Alaskan Native*
- EONA Parent Advisory Committee Vice-Chairperson



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Thank you for coming out to support our program.



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