

LBIPTA

April Meeting

April 16 2026/ 4:00 PM / LBIE Media Center, Surf City,NJ

IN ATTENDANCE

Marci Bleam, Rachel McDill, Erica Jenkins, Adrienne Cerefice, Danielle Hagler, Frank Birney, Shelley Smith, Amy Aurelio, Jill Wright, Tesla Teitge-Mergenthaler, Nadine Rickards, Lindsay Zorda, Chelsea Kulp, Lori Daly

AGENDA

- **Call to order:** 405 pm Marci Bleam, President
- **Pledge of Allegiance**
- **Welcome and Introductions**
- **Treasurer's Report**

Games of Chance Account Bank Balance - \$19,486.56

Current working Games of Chance Account Balance - \$19,486.56

General Operating Account Bank Balance - \$26,739.12

Outstanding Income

Venmo (yearbook greetings) \$115.00

Outstanding Expense

Reimbursement-Holiday Grams \$133.06

Reimbursement - School snacks \$47.46

Reimbursement – School Dance \$83.15

SRMS – 6th grade gifts \$270.00

Reimbursement – Teacher Appreciation \$53.29

Reimbursement – Enrichment Expenses \$81.07

Current working general operating account balance – \$26,186.09

Rachel L. McDill

Treasurer, LBI PTA

• Important Dates

- Terrace Tavern night out April 25th
- Teacher Appreciation - Week of May 4th
- BMX Assembly - May 8th
- Field Day - May 29th (rain date June 5th)
- Bay Day - June 10th (rain date June 11th) (adjusted to these dates at meeting)

• Committee Reports

- Restaurant Fundraiser- Chelsea Kulp - Panzone's May 14
- Clothing drive- date? - May 30th and need volunteers - Tesla Mergenthaler and Lindsay Zorda offer
- Thundering surf- Judy Meehan - this year we only have 2 weeks to sell the discounted tickets
- Social Committee- Erica Jenkins
 - April 25th party at Terrace Tavern - key points for event: door prizes, silent auction, etc - possibly reach out to a few more businesses for donations for the event - get all gear together for event - buckets, tix, frames etc - music and prize locations considered based on potential weather
- Teacher Appreciation- Sheila M. & Jill W.
 - Teacher massages
 - Burger 25 gift cards - catered lunches and gifts are also discussed
- Field day - this year subs are helping out so parents can follow kids from station to station and enjoy
- Sponsorship: pictures for sponsors

- 6th grade graduation(volunteers needed) - Date is Mon June 15 6pm - it has been discussed that 5th grade parents are encouraged to volunteer for 6th grade grad. set up/break down so 6th grade parents can enjoy - plan to contact Charissa Vangi regarding this - borrowing flowers, plants from Country Corner also discussed
 - Gifts: Ann Coen photos, Southern Strings bags, possibly lanyards with keys chains that say "LBI SCHOOL". They could use them for their school id next year.

● **New Business**

- Proposing changing the date of Bay Day to June 10th with a rain date of June 11th. - WE DID THIS as there were 2 days added onto the end of the year due to snow days/missed school.
- The next PTA meeting is May 14th @ 6pm at the Terrace Tavern
- Vote for President- 1 year unexpired term, Vice President- 2 year term, and Treasurer- 2year term - Marci Blead announces this is her last year as President of the PTA board, Shelley Smith explains we have the one year unexpired term as president now. Erica and Rachel have agreed to stay on as VP and Treasurer, respectively, for another 2 year term. Presidential slate is unopposed and Chelsea Kulp has volunteered so as per the bylaws, election will be by voice vote. Shelley announces she was not contacted for any spots, so she proposes: Chelsea Kulp, President, Rachel McDill, Treasurer, Erica Jenkins, VP, all in favor say "aye," (all say "aye"), no one opposed. CONGRATULATIONS to all 3!

● **Announcements:**

- **Stay Updated:** Website
<https://www.lbischools.org/for-parents/pta/parent-teacher-association> , Facebook, Instagram: @lbicsdpta Emails/Texts Messages

Meeting ended 455 pm - **Adrienne Cerefice, Recording Secretary**

Upcoming meetings May 14th LBIE Media Center, Surf City, NJ 4p
 June meeting for Board only TBD