

LBIPTA

May Meeting

May 14 2026/ 4:00 PM / LBI Elementary, Surf City, NJ 08008

IN ATTENDANCE

Marci Bleam, Rachel McDill, Erica Jenkins, Chelsea Kulp, Amy Aurelio, Adrienne Cerefice, Tesla Mergenthaler, Shelley Smith, Danni Hagler, Jill Wright, Frank Birney, Shannon McDill

AGENDA

- **Call to order:** 401 pm Marci Bleam, President
- **Pledge of Allegiance**
- **Welcome and Introductions**
- **Treasurer's Report**

LBI PTA Treasurer's Report – 5/14/26

Games of Chance Account Bank Balance - \$20,069.05

Outstanding Income

Admission tickets \$3,000.00

Silent Auction \$185.00

Bank Transfer (Venmo payments from auction) \$1,010.00

Current working Games of Chance Account Balance - \$24,264.05

General Operating Account Bank Balance - \$26,720.52

Outstanding Income

Venmo (yearbook greetings) \$20.00

Outstanding Expense

Bank Transfer (Venmo payments from auction) \$1,010.00

Reimbursement-Holiday Grams \$133.06

Reimbursement – School Dance \$83.15

Scholarships \$2,500.00

Reimbursement – Teacher Appreciation \$2,154.28

Reimbursement – Enrichment Expenses \$880.00

Reimbursement – Field Day \$115.83

Reimbursement – 6th Grade Graduation \$741.82

Reimbursement – Kindergarten Graduation \$55.00

Reimbursement – Sponsorship \$8.00

Current working general operating account balance - \$19,059.38

Auction Report

Admissions \$3300.00

50/50 \$445.00

Silent Auction \$1350.00

Extra Basket tickets \$740.00

Income \$5,835.00

Printing \$169.75

License \$20.00

Expense \$189.75

NET PROFIT \$5,645.25

Rachel L. McDill

Treasurer, LBI PTA

• **Important Dates**

- Panzone's Fundraiser May 14th
- Field Day - May 29th (rain date June 5th)
- Clothing Drive- May 30th
- Bay Day - June 10th (rain date June 11th)
- 6th grade graduation June 15th @ 6 pm
- Committee reports
 - Restaurant Fundraiser- Chelsea Kulp
 - Clothing Drive- Tesla and Lindsey
 - Thundering Surf - Judy Meehan(recap)
 - Social Committee - Erica Jenkins
 - Terrace Tavern auction recap
 - Teacher Appreciation- Sheila M. & Jill W.
 - recap
 - Field Day- Marci
 - Sponsorship: pictures for sponsors
 - Update
 - 6th Grade Graduation- Charissa, Lindsey, and Rachel
 - Decorating, someone to man the gifts table
 - Plants/flowers from Country Corner

Action Items

- ☐ Coordinate volunteer staffing for the May 30 clothing drive, including arranging bathroom access and other on-site support.
- ☐ Transfer the remaining Games of Chance funds to the general operating account as needed to cover upcoming PTA expenses.

- ☐ Review the Terrace Tavern silent auction sponsor spreadsheet one more time and then share the updated version with Judy so she can write thank-you notes.
- ☐ Send the clothing drive flyer to the school office so it can be distributed to families, including a note encouraging donations of unsold yard-sale items.
- ☐ Provide Tesla and Lindsay with the clothing drive forms for tax-exempt donations and arrange trash bags for the May 30 clothing drive.
- ☐ Write and send thank-you notes to all Terrace Tavern silent auction sponsors once the updated spreadsheet is received.
- ☐ Email all parents inviting them to come to Field Day on May 29 to help run stations and rotate with their children.
- ☐ Deliver the sponsorship photos to the Yetis so they can be framed.
- ☐ Create a Google Sheet for Bay Day on June 10 so students can select their meals and Aiden can deliver wrapped meals to the kids.
- ☐ Add the teachers who will attend Bay Day to the Google Sheet so their meals are included with the students' orders.
- ☐ Update the PTA minutes to reflect that the president will step down as a bank signer on July 1 and that Chelsea Kulp will become the new signer.
- ☐ Complete the bank paperwork to change the PTA account signers so that Chelsea Kulp becomes the new signer effective July 1.
- ☐ Create a Google Drive folder for all PTA documents and share it with the PTA members.
- ☐ Bring household items that are no longer needed to the June PTA meeting so they can be donated through the clothing drive.
- ☐ Frame the sponsorship photos that Chelsea printed and prepare them for display.
- ☐ Purchase Johnny Pops for Field Day, coordinating with Costco or other vendors to get the best price and quantity.
- ☐ Arrange for reusable water bottles and cups to be available at Bay Day so students can bring their own bottles and reduce plastic waste.
- ☐ Select a date in June for the final PTA meeting and communicate it to the group.

- **Stay Updated:** Website

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

Meeting ended 429 pm

Adrienne Cerefice, Recording Secretary

Upcoming meetings

June TBD (IF we even have one)