#### **Meeting Minutes**

# Lighthouse Elementary / Beacon Cove Intermediate PTO General PTO Meeting: Wednesday, May 7th, 2025 @ Beacon Cove Intermediate (6pm)

#### 1. Welcome

Call to Order: 6:03pm

Executive Board Members Present: Ariel Dlugasch, Keri Morrison, Katrina Ventola, Olga Sokolova, April Vradenburg, Brittany Pace, Jen Beilinson, Momo Yamakawa, Nina Montez (Lighthouse Elementary Principal), Pamela Buckman (Beacon Cove Intermediate Principal)

**Executive Board Members Absent:** Robyn Yousef

Non-Executive Members Present: Multiple Committee Chairs, parents, grandparents, and school staff

## 2. Introduction of 2024/2025 Executive Board Members and Committee Chairs - Ariel

#### 3. 2024/2025 Highlights – Ariel

- Improved communication with school community
- Improved financial management of organization
- Worked with schools to allocate cash surplus to lasting projects

# 4. Treasurer's Report/Large Project Proposals/2025/2026 Budget Proposal – Olga and Ariel

- \$216K+ in bank as of May 6, 2025
- \$13K+ estimated net proceeds from Sweetheart Dance and Boys Night Out
- \$41K+ in net proceeds from Uniform Sales
- \$18K+ in Business Partnerships and donations for school events
- \$4K+ in Dine for Cash
- \$3K+ in other fundraising activities

-2 Large Project Proposals were made. \$50K for sunshades at Lighthouse Elementary and \$50K for new Media Center furniture at Beacon Cove Intermediate. Money would be placed into a Trust Account through the School District and restricted for these projects only. Any unused funds would be returned to the PTO.

**MOTION:** A motion was made by Allen Hoorn to accept the large project proposal for new sunshades at Lighthouse Elementary in the amount of \$50K as presented. The motion was seconded by Keri Morrison. The motion was approved with 30 out of 30 votes.

**MOTION:** A motion was made by Shanita Harmon to accept the large project proposal for new Media Center furniture at Beacon Cove Intermediate in the amount of \$50K as presented. The motion was seconded by Katrina Ventola. The motion was approved with 30 out of 30 votes.

#### -2025/2026 Proposed Budget was presented

- Increased funds for Teacher and Staff Appreciation Week from \$4K/school to \$10K/school
- Teacher gift fund budgeted at \$250/teacher for 2025/2026 school year
- Academic Enhancement is budgeted at \$30K/school

Expenses are higher than revenues, but PTO has enough money to cover shortfalls and
we anticipate that expenses will be lower than projected
 MOTION: A motion was made by Allen Hoorn to grant the 2025/2026 budget as
presented. The motion was seconded by Keri Morrison. The motion was approved with
30 out of 30 votes.

# 5. Business Partner Highlight – Ariel

Thank you to our Business Partners for the 2024/2025 school year

# 6. Bailot Counters for 2025/2026 Executive Board Election

2 ballot counters are to be chosen to count vote ballots, while overseen by Principals

-Jen Wasliak and Randi Karmin volunteered to count ballots

**MOTION:** A motion was made by Diana Docea to accept Randi Karmin and Jen Wasliak as ballot counters for the 2025/2026 Executive Board election vote. The motion was seconded by Sumyr Moffit. The motion was unanimously approved.

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## 7. 2025/2026 Executive Board Nominee Presentation

• Nominees were introduced and given a few minutes to speak about themselves

-Suzanne Harris nominated herself from the floor for the position of Secretary

### 8. 2025/2026 Executive Board Vote and Ballot Counting

 Votes were cast and ballots were collected. Ballots were counted by Randi Karmin and Jen Wasliak, while being overseen by school Principals.

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#### **Voting Results**

#### **Presidents**

- Ariel Dlugasch 30/30 votes
- Brittany Pace 29/30 votes and a second production of the prod

#### **Treasurers**

- Olga Sokolova 30/30 votes
- Allen Hoorn 27/30 votes

### VPs of Fundraising

- Jen Beilinson 30/30 votes
- Robyn Yousef 30/30 votes

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- April Vradenburg 30/30 votes
- Sumyr Moffit -- 30/30 votes

#### **Business Partner Coordinators**

• Gina Florez – 30/30 votes

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- Katrina Ventola 30/30 votes
- Melissa Healey 29/30 votes

#### Secretaries

- Jessica Arcidiacono 30/30 votes
- Suzanne Harris 27/30 votes

#### 9. 2025/2026 Executive Board Presentation

- Co-Presidents Ariel Dlugasch and Brittany Pace
- Co-VP's of Fundraising Jen Beilinson and Robyn Yousef
- Co-VP's of Events April Vradenburg and Sumyr Moffit
- Co-Treasurers Olga Sokolova and Allen Hoorn
- Business Partner Coordinator Gina Florez
- Co-Secretaries Jessica Arcidiacono and Suzanne Harris
- Co-Volunteer Coordinators Katrina Ventola and Melissa Healey

10. Adjourn Adjoury/ed: 6:56pm

Ariel Dlugasch, President

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Brittany Pace, Secretary

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#### LHE/BCI PTO Executive Board 2024-2025

President: Ariel Dlugasch

VP of Events: April Vradenburg

VP of Fundraising: Keri Morrison and Jen Beilinson

Treasurer: Olga Sokolova

LHE & BCI Secretary: Brittany Pace BP Coordinator: Robyn Yousef

Volunteer Coordinators: Katrina Ventola & Momo Yamakawa Lighthouse Elementary School Principal: Nina Montez Beacon Cove Intermediate School Principal: Pamela Buckman

#### **NON-Board Positions:**

Adopt-A-Class: Randi Karmin/Courtney Davis Social Media Specialist: Sabrina Barron Dine for Cash Coordinator: Courtney Roog Events Chair: Andrea Anderson Business Partner Chair: Diana Docea TSAW Committee Chair: Jamie Gilbert Teacher Liaison: Kristy Baynham (LHE) Teacher Liaison: Ali Farris (BCI)