

THE BLOOMINGDALE PTA

General Membership Meeting


Thursday, March 20, 2025

7:00pm

WTB Zoom Only



Meeting Agenda

1. Welcome!
 2. Officer Reports
 3. Committee Reports
 4. Other
 5. Open Discussion
 6. Announcements/ Important Dates
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President Report

- SRD VIP Parking Spot- Wheel of Names
- Supporting Sofia website closes 3/31
 - Shirt distro info: Builders Club

President Report

- Nominating Committee:
 - Chair: Terese Opiela
 - Communication for board elect nominations should be sent out to all membership one (1) month prior to an election.
 - Only people who have signed their consent in writing shall be eligible to be nominated to such an office either by committee or from the floor.
 - Email (website) nomination for self or other.
 - Nominations from the floor shall have given five (5) days notice before the general membership meeting at which elections are held of their intent.
 - Notification must be in writing to the Local PTA President: Leanne Scaturro via the Bloomingdale PTA website.

Treasurer Report



Checking Account

Checking Account Balance as of 2/20				3791.53		
Support for Sofia						
	Donations	Payments		\$3,475.00		
		Credit Card Fees	\$118.30			
		Check to Sofia on 3/4	\$2,715.00			
		Balance to be paid	\$641.70			
T-shirts						
	Sales			\$3,865.00		
		Credit Card Fees	\$131.53			
		Cost of shirts	\$1,689.00			
		Check to Sofia	\$2,044.47			
Gertrude Hawk						
	Paper forms			\$2,508.00		
	Online	\$6677 (waiting for conf. on our % of total sales)				
Yankee Game						
		74 Tickets Sold		\$4,440.00		
		Credit Card Fees	\$139.44			
		Cost of tickets	\$3,700.00		Profit of	\$600.56
Night at the Races						
	Since Last Meeting			\$3,497.50		
	Amt. Collected in prior months			\$14,553.50		
	Venue		\$11,000.00			
	Vendor		\$2,800.00			
	DJ		\$450.00			
	Expense		\$399.15		Profit Prior to event	\$3,401.85
Checking Account balance as of 3/20/25						
				\$21,981.00		

Savings Account

- No changes to the savings account
- Next month we will be able to take a good look at how the recent fundraisers ended and plan out the balance of budgeted items - things look good!!



VP Membership Report

- Current membership: 247 members.

VP Family Engagement/ Class Parents Report

- Next Class Party is for Spring (April 11th):
 - MBD: 10-10:45am
 - SRD: 11:15-12pm
 - WTB- No party
- Please have snack info to nurse by:
4/3/25
- Please let me know the class parents
attending by: 4/3/25

Recording Secretary Report

- Nothing new to report.

Admin/ Superintendent Report



Walter T. Bergen School

The 7th and 8th Grade Stock Market elective class received 30 gift bags courtesy of Citizens Bank for their participation in "The Stock Market Game".

The Student Council is running an NCAA March Madness competition where homerooms will fill out Men's and Women's brackets. The homeroom with the best bracket will win a prize.

6th Grade ELA classes are showcasing their creativity and video editing abilities by creating news report videos for "Tuck Everlasting".

On Friday, 3/28 Coach Stroker will be coming back in to continue his work with our students.

WTB will be doing a Playful Chaos Activity where 100 small pictures of the principal in various outfits will be hidden throughout the school. Each picture will be numbered and upon finding them, they will be turned in to the office in exchange for a prize

Admin/ Superintendent Report



Samuel R. Donald School

- All Grades - Participating in the Prodigy contest each month. Our school has placed 2nd in the state for the first two months of the contest and are currently in 2nd place for this month.
- Grade 3 - Students have been doing a deep dive on Julius Caesar as part of the reading through Amplify. They just finished reading about Greek and Roman Gods which they loved.
- Science Fair took place last week - thanks to all the students and families who participated!

Admin/ Superintendent Report



Martha B. Day School

- Pre-K: The end of the clothing unit of study is upon us and pre-k had their annual fashion show. Students donned their best outfits and we even had a few "Officer Jim" look likes.
- 1st Grade: The 1st grade field trip is this week. They will be going to Team Makers NJ, where they will be completing team-building and STEM activities together.
- March 27, 2025: Our P.E. teacher and our Occupational Therapist organized a Minute-to-Win-It family game night for the students at MBD!

Night at the Races Committee

- This Friday- 3/21!
- Doors open at 7pm, first race at 7:30pm.
- All Attendees should have received an email with details for the evening.
- Cash Bar.
- ATM on site.
- Dress to Impress!

Fundraising Committee

- **Gertrude Hawk Chocolates:** Delivery week of 4/7.
- **Yankee Game Fundraiser:** Due 3/27.
 - \$60 per ticket (includes \$15 food/drink voucher AND a NYY Backpack!)
 - Sunday 4/27 @ 1:30pm



Dance Committee

- **Upcoming dances:**
 - *4th Gr:* May 2 @ 6:30-8pm
 - *5th & 6th Gr:* May 16 @ 6:30-8pm
 - *7th Gr: "Almost Midnight":* May 16 @ 8:30-10pm

Sign-up genius will be coming out soon!

Set-up, Clean-up, Snack/Water Donations.

DJ Provided by PTA.

Grants & Scholarships Committee

- **T2 Teacher Grant Winner: Ms. King!**
 - T3: 4/1 thru 5/15.
 - Winner chosen 5/23.
 - Fill out application online.
 - *Past applicants, please re-submit your requests for consideration!
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- **Student Scholarships: (2) \$750**
 - Applications will be available on our website beginning 4/1.
 - Winner chosen 5/1.
 - Winner announced 6/2.
 - Present at PTA Mtg on 6/12.

4th Grade Committee

- EOY Picnic **6/16 @ WTB**
- Working on yearbooks, fundraising, and moving up shirts.
- RetroFroyo Fundraiser: **3/26**

8th Grade Committee

- February Wendy's Dine to Donate raised \$435.15!
- Next Dine to Donate for the 8th Grade class will be on 4/2 from 5pm-8pm at the Butler location.
- PTA has provided \$600 towards cap and gown expense for 8th Grade.
- PTA sponsored 8th Grade Grad Yard Signs will be distributed again this year. More details to follow as we get closer to graduation season.

Open Discussion



Announcements

- Night at the Races: 3/21
- WTB Family Game Show Night: 3/25
- MBD Minute to Win It: 3/27
- Unity Fair: 4/9
- **Next PTA Membership Mtg: 4/10**
- Class Parties: 4/11
- Spring Break 4/12-4/21
- Yankee Game 4/27
- Next BOE Mtg: 4/30