THE BLOOMINGDALE PTA

General Membership Meeting
Wednesday, September 23, 2026
7:00pm
WTB Library and/or Zoom

Meeting Agenda

1. Welcome!
2. Officer Reports
3. Committee Reports
4. Open Discussion

Meet the Board

- **President-** Leanne Scaturro
- **VP Family Engagement/ CP-** Kelly Couillou
- **VP Membership-** Michele Reynolds
- **Treasurer-** Melissa Bressette
- **Corr. Secretary-** Claudia Janiec
- **Rec. Secretary-** Christine Aiosa

- Term: July 2025-July 2027

President Report

- **Review of Standing Rules**
  - Posted on our website. Emailed.
- **Membership:**
  - Only Members who have paid their PTA dues are able to vote and participate in the business of the PTA Mtg.
  - Staff dues increased to $7
- **Attendance:**
  - 10 meetings, 1x per month
  - Chairs, Class Captains/ Parents encouraged to attend 7 or 5 out of 10 meetings.
- **Code of Conduct:** Respect :) We are all volunteers.



Treasurer Report

- Review of Finances
- Budget will be posted on our website.
- Budget will be updated with actual totals throughout the year.
- If budget items need to be modified after proposed budget is approved, a vote to amend the budget is required.

Treasurer Report



Bloomingdale PTA School Year 2026-27 Budget

Operating Expenses	Date		Estimated Costs	Actual Costs		Amt. Spent YTD	Amt. Over/Under
Insurance	October	1 Year	$179.00				
Website Hosting	Jul 8, 2025 - Jul 8, 2027						
Domain Name - Yearly Renewal	10/11/25	1 Year	$48.98	$48.98		$48.98	
Gambling Licenses			$80.00				
Video Conferencing - Zoom		1 Year	$160.00				
Miscellaneous			$300.00				
Bank Fees			$60.00				
Charity Filing		1 Year	$60.00				
Operating Expense Totals			**$887.98**	**$48.98**		**$48.98**	

Revenue Generating / Fundraising		2025-26 Profit	Estimated Cost /Budget	Estimated Income	2025-25 Estimated Profit	Actual Total	Amt. Over/Under
PTA Membership		$2,242.00	$1,559.40	$3,300.00	$1,740.60		
Back to School Signs				N/A	$135.00	$135.00	
Fall Flower Sale		$600.00	$125.00	$1,500.00	$1,375.00	$1,791.94	$416.94
Costume Exchange				N/A	$200.00		
Trunk or Treat		$2,200.00	$600.00	$2,800.00	$2,200.00		
Holiday Shop		$800.00		N/A	$800.00		
Gertrude Hawk - Spring		$3,000.00		N/A	$2,400.00		
Dueling Pianos			$5,512.00	$11,500.00	$6,000.00		
That's My Brick				N/A	$2,000.00		
Dine to Donate		$150.00					
	Mia's Ice Cream	$125.00					
Spiritwear		$100.00			$100.00		
Miscellaneous Donations		$200.00			$200.00		
	Total Estimate Funds Raised				**$17,150.60**	$1,926.94	
			Remain Funds needed to be Raised			$15,223.66	

Treasurer Report



School / Student Funding	2025-26 Actual Spent	Estimated Cost	Funds in Savings		Actual Amount Spent	Over/Under
Teacher Appreciation	$1,990.94	$2,500.00				
Back to Staff Support - Groovy Goodies		$825.00			$825.00	
Teacher Grants -	$689.51	$900.00	$300.00			
MBD & SRD Folders	$816.00	$840.00			$840.00	
Back to School shirts (all grades)	$4,622.00	$4,200.00	$4,200.00			
School Dances	$1,875.00	$2,450.00	$700.00			
SRD 4th grade - moving up shirts	$340.14	$400.00				
WTB 8th Grade Scholarships	$1,500.00	$1,500.00				
Educational Arts (Assemblies)	$5,000.00	$5,000.00				
End of the Year - Ice Cream Truck	$2,346.00	$2,500.00				
Class Savings Accounts		$3,570.00	$3,570.00			
Rebecca DiLorenzo (Music Award)	$200.00	$200.00				
8th grade graduation yard signs	$714.75	$800.00				
8th Grade Cap and Gowns	$610.00	$600.00				
1st grade moving up certs	$79.43			Purchased Last Year - Done		
Teen Canteens	2607.25	$2,500.00	$2,200.00			
Graduation Decorations	$18.74	$50.00				
Field Day	$750.00	$750.00				
MBD - $250						
SRD - $250						
WTB - $250						
Herrs Chips		$60.00				
Ice Pops		$30.00				
Miscellaneous Requested Support						
	$24,159.76	**$29,675.00**	**$10,970.00**		$1,665.00	
	Total Needed for 2026-27		**$19,592.98**		**$3,330.00**	**YTD Spent**
			Remaining Funds Need		**$16,262.98**	

VP Family Engagement/ Class Parents Report

- **Class Parent/Captain Meeting: 9/28**
  - Cut off date: 9/21
- **Lottery/ Alternates for 5 class parents and 1 class captain**
  - Spouses- 1 per class
- **Field Trips/ Class Parties**
- **Captains** must have attended 7/10 membership meetings LY to be eligible this year.
- **Class Parents** must have attended 5/10 LY to be eligible this year.
- Visit BloomingdalePTA.org to check out our Class Parent Forms!
- **Halloween Party & Parades 10/30:**
  - MBD: 8:30am-9:40am
  - SRD: 10am-11:15am
  - WTB: tbd

VP Family Engagement/ Class Parents Report

Class Parents are needed for the following classes. If you would like to volunteer please email BloomingdalePTA@gmail.com.

- Bethon
- Donnelly
- Moon
- Larranaga
- McFalls
- Meyers

VP Membership Report

- **Membership (as of today):**
  - Staff: 73
  - Parents: 172
  - Total: 245
- **Fees:**
  - Staff $7
  - Parents $16
- **Goals:**
  - State PTA: 209
  - BPTA: 312
- **Membership for 2025-26:** 312
- **Can join all year long!**
  - **Bloomingdalepta.org/join**



VP Membership Report

- **Battle of the Buildings**
  - Which building will have the most PTA teacher/staff sign ups!?
  - CONGRATS to SRD!!!

  Sweet treats coming your way!



Corresponding Secretary Report

Email reminders for meetings are sent out in an email blast on Monday afternoons on the week of the meeting- on the day of meeting you can expect an email with the Zoom link at 3PM. If you do not receive and email please reach out to us. Always check spam for emails as well!

How to contact the PTA and stay up to date with events:

- BloomingdalePTA@gmail.com
- Facebook & Instagram: Bloomingdale PTA
- Visit our website: BloomingdalePTA.org

Recording Secretary Report

- Monthly member meeting attendance is recorded and can be checked on our website at bloomingdalepta.org under Our PTA | Meetings & Budget.

- Please email (bloomingdalepta@gmail.com) with any discrepancy no more than 45 days to have marking adjusted.

Admin/ Superintendent Report

- Welcome & PTA Appreciation
- Teaching, Learning & Student Support
- WTB Addition & School Transition
- Transition Committee — September 28
- Family Communication & Partnership

District Report

- **MBD:**

Welcome Back!

  - 9/9- Back-to-School Night
  - 9/14- Picture Day
  - 9/30- Ice Cream Social
  - Fall Enrichment begins 10/6/26 and lasts for four weeks
  - 10/8- 1st Grade Butterfly Parade

- Seeds of Success- Month of Courage- So far we have 33 Magic Seeds for students being good, kind humans and 21 Seeds of Success for showing Courage
- The Breathe, Bloom, Belong sensory room and emotional regulation toolkits are used daily!

District Report

- **SRD:**

Welcome Back!

  - 9/14- Picture Day
  - 9/15- Back-to-School Night
  - 10/1- Lunch with Your Child
  - 10/5- Rain date - Lunch with Your Child
  - Fall Enrichment begins 10/6/26 and lasts for four weeks
  - 10/7 - Fire Safety Assembly

- Congratulations to SRD Librarian Robyn Toledo for securing a $4,331 Dollar General Youth Literacy Grant! Funds will support new technology and nonfiction resources for our students.

District Report

- **WTB:**

  Welcome Back!

  - 9/14- Back To School Night
  - 9/15- Picture Day
  - 9/24- Butler Futures Presentation
    - Members of the BHS administrative team will be at WTB to speak with 8th grade Algebra students about the Butler Futures Program

  Recess Equipment Donation Reminder

  - Donations are being collected through homerooms. We're looking for used footballs, kickballs, soccer balls, etc.

  Thank you!

Spiritwear Shirts

- **All Students receive a free tee** again this year, coming soon!
  - Field trips, field day, spirit days, etc.
- **1st Place Spiritwear website:**
  - 10% back of sales per quarter
  - MBD, SRD, WTB, Bloomingdale



Book Fair Committee

- Chairperson: Melissa Paradalis
- 10/28-11/3 (All Schools)
- Sign Up Genius coming soon!
- Browsing and Buying periods per class

Scholastic Dollars are earned on all book fair purchases. These dollars help our school!

- *Teacher book credits at MBD, Pumpkin Book report awards at SRD, other funds are used to keep the libraries at the schools fresh with new books & tech!*
- *WTB has purchased 4 dry erase tables for small group work in math!*

Dance Committee

- **PreK Prom: 1/8 @ 6-7:30pm**
  - Danielle Smith
- **K&1 Grade: 2/5 @ 6-7:30pm**
  - Colleen Bonanni
- **2&3 Grade: 3/12 @ 6-7:30pm**
  - Terese Woodcock
- **4 Grade: 4/9 @ 6-7:30pm**
  - Stacie Bennett & Michele Bodnar
- **5&6 Grade: 5/7 @ 6-7:30pm**
  - Dana Diamond
- **7&8 Grade: 11/13 @ 7:30-9pm**
  - Natalie Careri
- Planning of theme, decor, snacks, etc. with committee input/ sign up genius.

Field Day Committee

- **Chairperson: Chrissy O'Connor**
- May/June
- PTA Contributes Ice Pops & Snacks
- BBQ Contribution
- Sign Up genius for Parent Volunteers
  - MBD: stations & BBQ support
  - SRD: BBQ support
  - WTB: BBQ support

Fundraising Committee

- **B2S Sign Fundraiser: Nick Giangrande**
  - Profits: $135
- **Fall Flower Fundraiser: Liz Weinberg**
  - Pick up 9/28 @ 5-7pm @ WTB
  - Profits: $1,791
- **Costume Exchange Fundraiser: Melissa Paradalis**
  - Sale 10/8 @ WTB
  - Volunteers needed!
- **Holiday Shop: Francesca Carmeci**
  - 12/2: MBD in school
  - 12/3: SRD in school
  - 12/4: WTB in school
- **That's My Brick Fundraiser: Board**
  - Start to sell in January
  - Install TBD
- **Gertrude Hawk Chocolates: Jessica Kaiser**
  - Delivery week of 3/15
- **Dueling Pianos Fundraiser:** 4/23

Fundraising Committee

HAVE AN IDEA (new or one to bring back)?

Email us! By 10/1

- **Fundraiser Proposal Ideas:**
  - Devils Game (winter)
  - Yankee Game (spring)
  - Flamingo Flocking (spring)
  - Wrestling Match Fundraiser
  - Pampered Chef Fundraiser
  - Kitchen Spices Fundraiser
  - School Spirit Bracelet Kit
  - Soft Pretzel Fundraiser











Grants & Scholarships Committee

- **Chairperson: Kim Walsh**
- $300 granted per trimester
- **T1: 10/12-11/12**
  - Winner selected 11/23
- **T2: 1/18-2/18**
  - Winner selected 2/22
- **T3: 4/12-5/12**
  - Winner selected 5/24



Grants & Scholarships Committee

- **Little Library at MBD**
  - Inspired by Ms. Weiss' Teacher Grant application last year
  - Fulfilled by the Bloomingdale Foundation for Literacy



4th Grade Committee

- **Chairs: Stacie Bennett & Michele Bodnar**
- 4th Grade Dance: 4/9
- EOY Picnic: 6/11
- Fundraising for EOY party, yearbook, gifts

8th Grade Committee

- **Chairperson: Cristina Keeser**
- **Staff Liaison: Kelly Taggart**
- EOY Dance- June
- Graduation- June
- Caps & Gowns EOY
- Lawn Signs EOY

Teacher Appreciation Committee

- **Chairperson: Maria Brown**
- 8/31 Staff PD Day: Groovy Goodies Truck
- Holiday event
- May, 3rd - 7th week long event

Teen Canteen Committee

- **Chairperson: Christina Maldonado**
- WTB Students Only
- 2/19 @
  - 6:30-8pm (5th&6th gr.) &
  - 8:30-10pm (7th&8th gr.)
- Stay tuned for more details!

TREP$ Committee

- **Chairperson: TBD/ Board**
- **Teacher Liaison: Ms. Harvey Henderson**
- Event: 3/5 (½ Day)
- Workshops will begin in January
- Stay tuned for more details!



Trunk or Treat Committee

- **Chairperson: Kelly Couillou & Jillian Batista**
- Sunday 10/25 @ 2-4pm
- SEPAG 1-2pm
- Ticket Presale on PTA Website & Halloween Shop
- Sign Up Genius for help (set up, clean up, parking help, etc.)
- Bake Sale
- Groovy Goodies Truck , Rod Ferino
- 50/50 Raffle
- Details coming soon!

VIP Parking Spots (Casino Night)

- The winners from our Casino Night event for VIP parking spots are as follows:
- **MBD:**
  - T1 - Weinberg
  - T2 - Mucci
  - T3 - Mucci
- **SRD:**
  - T1 - Mucci
  - T2 - Mucci
  - T3 - Mucci

Nominating Committee

- **Chairperson: TBD**
- Elections in May 2027

Box Tops For Education

- All schools have an account
- Download the app and find our schools!
- Scan your receipts and earn rewards

Open Discussion

- SEPAG- Brianne Teller

Announcements

- 9/28: Fall Flower Pick Up
- 9/28: Class Parent Selection Mtg
- 10/8: Costume Exchange Fundraiser
- 10/25: Trunk or Treat
- 10/28: Book Fair
- 10/30: Halloween Class Parties
- 11/13: 7th & 8th Gr. Dance