

THE BLOOMINGDALE PTA

General Membership Meeting


Thursday, January 16, 2025

7:00pm

WTB Library or Zoom



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

- Nothing new to report.

Treasurer Report



Checking Account

Balance: \$3,791.53

- Teen Canteen
- Night at the Races

1/16/25			
Starting Balance - Checking Account			\$1,269.93
K-3 Dances		Deposits	Expenses
	Student Fee	\$931.00	
	Moved from Savings	\$200.00	
	DJ		\$750.00
	Supplies/Snacks		\$250.11
Night at the Races			
	Event Company		\$600.00
	Decor		\$33.98
	Supplies		\$31.46
Teen Canteen			
	Moved from Savings	\$2,500.00	
	Supplies		\$84.98
	Supplies		\$51.86
	Supplies		90.51
Holiday Catalog			
	Fundraising Payout	2328.5	
Moved to Savings			
	Rebecca DiLorenzo Award		\$200.00
	Read Across America GC		\$75.07
		\$5,959.50	\$2,167.97
			\$3,791.53

VP Membership Report

- Current membership holding at 243 members.



VP Family Engagement/ Class Parents Report

- MBD/SRD Class Captains - Please reach out to your teachers to inquire about Valentine's Day plans.
- SRD:
 - Celebration: Wednesday 2/12
 - Table set up in lobby for parents to drop off donations.
 - Label donations by teacher/class.
 - Snack/drinks must be approved by school nurse by 2/7.

Recording Secretary Report

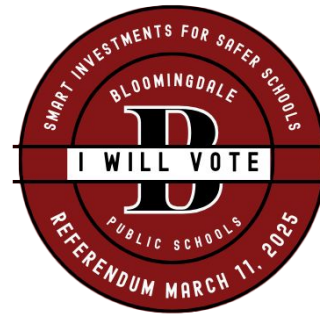
- Nothing new to report.

Admin/ Superintendent Report

School Events

- **1/17 Winter Wonderland Dance - K & 1st**
- **2/6 WTB Game Night**
- **Next five weeks (Tue/Thur) - Free After School Tutoring Program at WTB**
- **1/31 - Teen Canteens (5th & 6th Grade)**
- **2/7 - Teen Canteens (7th & 8th Grade)**

Admin/ Superintendent Report



March 11, 2025 Referendum

- **“I Will Vote” Campaign**
- **Join the members of the Board of Education to take the “I Will Vote Pledge.”**
 - **I will vote on March 11th 2025**
 - **I will be informed regarding my decision**
- **To help stay informed; sign up for the “I will Vote” Mailing list.**



Admin/ Superintendent Report

Upcoming Referendum Dates



**JAN
15**

7:00 PM - GENERAL INFORMATION MEETING
@ WTB & VIA ZOOM

**FEB
12**

7:00 PM - GENERAL INFORMATION MEETING
@ WTB & VIA ZOOM

**FEB
15**

SRD TOUR- 9:00AM-11:00AM

**FEB
19**

SRD TOUR- 4:30PM-6:30PM

**FEB
25**

SRD TOUR- 7:00PM-8:30PM



We warmly invite all members of the community to join Dr. Nicosia and select district staff for a guided tour of Samuel R. Donald School. Tours will depart every 15 minutes. This is a great opportunity to see firsthand why the referendum plan includes the closure of this building.

Dr. Nicosia will also be available to address any questions you may have following the tour.

Night at the Races Committee

- **Friday 3/21 @ 7-11pm**
 - The Mansion at Mountain Lakes
- **\$90/PP:**
 - 4 course meal (dietary option available)
 - Door prize ticket
 - \$100 in funny money
 - 1 set of tricky tray tickets
 - It's a Friday Night!
- **Tricky Tray style baskets/ raffles**
- **50/50: Cash Only. ATM on Site.**
- **Cash Bar w/ specialty themed drinks**
- **Roses for sale**
- **Attire contests: Trophy awarded!**
 - Best Dressed Couple
 - Most Dapper Gent
 - Best Derby Hat

Night at the Races Committee

- **How Does It Work?**
 - 8 pre-recorded horse races.
 - Races will be listed in our program.
 - Use your funny money to bet on horse races.
 - \$20 min bet, \$200 max bet, per race.
 - Winners of each race will receive tickets to cash in for the race basket prizes.
 - Additional Funny Money will be available for purchase.
- **Name a Horse! \$10 per.**
 - If your horse wins the race, you will be led to the Winner's Circle to receive your ribbon, roses and applause!

Fundraising Committee

- **1/25: Bluey Day @ MagPie Bakery**
 - 12-3pm
 - Games, Giveaways, & treats!
- **2/13: Dine to Donate @ Pizza One**
 - “Heart Pies” - \$1 donated for each pie sold!

**CELEBRATE AUSTRALIA DAY
WITH MAGPIE BAKERY & THE
BLOOMINGDALE PTA!**

**SATURDAY
JANUARY 25, 2025
12PM-3PM**

- GAMES
- CONTESTS
- GIVEAWAYS
- SPECIAL APPEARANCE BY **Bluey**

A percentage of the proceeds will
benefit the Bloomingdale PTA.



**THURSDAY
2/13/25
ALL DAY!**



**\$1
will be donated
per heart
pizza ordered!**

**Bloomingdale PTA Dine-to-Donate
A PIZZA MY HEART**

Pizza One - Haskell
973-835-1600



Dance Committee

- Upcoming dances:
 - **K & 1st: January 17 @ 6-7:30pm**
 - *1 parent per student must attend.*
 - *No siblings.*

Thank you to our volunteers who helped with
the 2nd & 3rd grade dance!

Grants & Scholarships Committee

- T2 begins 1/27
- Runs through 2/28
- Will pick winner week of 3/3
- Fill out application online

Teen Canteen Committee

- Upcoming, 1 per grade:
 - **5th & 6th Grades: 1/31**
 - **7th & 8th Grades: 2/7**
- Both @ 7-9:00 pm
- Free event for all students
- Permission slips go home Jan. 3rd
 - 5th/6th Due Back 1/24
 - 7th/8th Due Back 1/31
 - All students must have a completed permission slip to attend.
- Volunteer Sign-up Genius
- Donation Sign-up

4th Grade Committee

- EOY Picnic 6/16 @ WTB
- Working on yearbooks, fundraising, moving up shirts.

8th Grade Committee

- **Glenwild Gardens Fundraiser was a success!**
 - \$1085 sold in gift cards
 - \$217 went back to the 8th grade
- **Wendy's Dine to Donate**
 - Tuesday, February 25th @ Butler location
 - 5pm -8pm
 - 15% of all sales during this event will be donated back to the 8th grade
- **Important Dates:**
 - 8th grade parent yearbook ads are due by 1/31
 - Cap and Gown forms were sent home and are due by 2/21 along with \$8 payment
 - 8th grade class trip to FunPlex is Wednesday 2/12

Open Discussion



Announcements

- Dance (K & 1st): 1/17
- Teen Canteen (5th & 6th): 1/31
- Family Game Night: 2/6
- Teen Canteen (7th & 8th): 2/7
- Next BOE Mtg: 2/19
- Next PTA Membership Mtg: 2/20