

ROCKBURN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTA
Board Meeting
April 9, 2025

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by PTA President, Sonia Chainani, at 7:01 pm, and held in person at Rockburn Elementary School.

Present: Nishant Parikh, Sonia Chainani, Carrie Palilla, Beth Shaw, Elizabeth Yankle, Stephanie Schmid, Meghan Tress, Jess Taubman, Garima Paul, Leann Milford, Julia Bannon

Officer Reports

President (Sonia Chainani)

- TGA Tennis and Pickleball sessions will start on 4/25 at Rockburn. PTA will receive 10% back.
- Finished Read-a-thon with 130,000+ minutes and a fundraising total of \$2639.
- 5th Grade Yard signs are on sale.
- Glow night was a big success and students wish it would happen again.
- Movie Night is scheduled for 5/16, Giving Tuesday on 5/20 for the Rockburn Sign.

Recording Secretary (Nishant Parikh)

- Reviewed March 2025 meeting minutes. Beth Shaw made a motion to approve the March 2025 minutes as written. Garima Paul seconded. Motion/minutes passed.

Treasurer (Beth Shaw)

- Revenue for March 2025 was \$3,321.39, which consisted of
 - Readathon Fundraiser - \$2,404.39
 - 5th Grade Signs - \$75.00
 - Bingo Night - \$842.00
- Expenses in March 2025 were \$440.28, which consisted of
 - Bingo Night - \$310.18
 - International Night - \$52.95
 - Misc Goodwill and Appreciation - \$77.15

VP 1 (Ammilee Oliva)

- No Report

VP 2 (Carrie Palilla)

- No Report

Meeting minutes by Nishant Parikh, Recording Secretary

Corresponding Secretary (Garima Paul)

- No Report

Standing Committee Reports

Principal (Liz Yankle)

- MCAP testing is going well.
- 4th Quarter has begun.

Assistant Principal (Nicole Meyerson)

- No Report

Teacher Representative (Stephanie Schmid)

- New bulletin boards look great.
- Kindergarten Meet the Teachers night will be held in May.

Membership (Sonia Chainani)

- No Report

Ways and Means (Nishant Parikh/Ammilee Oliva)

- Pazani Restaurant Night on 4/10/25 from 3pm-9pm.
- O's game is scheduled for 5/4/25.

Hospitality (Alison Raver/Jan Hoffman/Stephanie Willett)

- Still looking for volunteers for next year.

Family Involvement (Stephanie Willett)

- No Report

Special Events (Leann Milford, Meghan Tress)

- Bingo Night was fun. Thinking about moving it to the cafeteria next year.
- Sports Park Night is scheduled for 5/30. Looking for additional activities such as the bounce house obstacle course, face painters, and Eco Adventures.

SECAC (Amy Phillips)

- No Report

PTA Delegate (Open Position)

- No report

Cultural Arts (Jess Taubman)

- Paws and Think assembly was a success. Kids enjoyed it.

Meeting minutes by Nishant Parikh, Recording Secretary

- Still waiting on approval for Glen Echo aquarium.

Subcommittee Reports

Book Fair (Ammilee Oliva)

- Fundraising total was \$147.50

Bulletin Boards (Stephanie Willett, Julia Bannon, Marla Cutler)

- Done with the bulletin boards for the year.

Diversity (Salil Aryal)

- No Report

Landscape (Kathleen Pukacz)

- Planters will be refreshed over spring break.

Holiday Shop (Ammilee Oliva)

- Contract has been signed for next year.

Scholarship (Aneka Bledsoe)

- No Report

School Toolboxes (Kimya Davani)

- Still working on getting pricing to finalize the toolboxes.

Staff Appreciation (Sonia Chainani/Stephanie Willett, Julia Bannon)

- Wishlists for food and snacks have been sent out.

Passive Income (Sonia Chainani)

- No Report

Webmaster (Nishant Parikh)

- No Report

Open Items

- N/A

New Items

- N/A

Meeting adjourned by Sonia Chainani at 7:35 pm.

The next meeting is Wednesday May 14th, 2025 at 7 pm at Rockburn Elementary School in the Media Center.

Meeting minutes by Nishant Parikh, Recording Secretary