



LONGVIEW PTO GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

MAY 1ST, 2026 @ 9:30AM

BOARD MEMBERS:
PRESIDENT-MANDY HOPKINS
VP OF EVENTS-JESSICA ECK
VP OF STAFF SUPPORT-STACY BUSINGER
VP OF VOLUNTEERS-JENNIFER ADEOLA
TREASURER-MEREDITH NOEL
MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY-BECKY LOCKART
RECORDING SECRETARY-ALISON MITCHELL
PRINCIPAL-MR. BRANSON
TEACHER REP-KENDRA BROOKS
TEACHER REP-SARAH HUGHES

Meeting was called to order by President Mandy Hopkins at 9:30am. Seconded by Meredith Noel

Welcome- Mandy welcomed everyone to the general meeting and is preparing to roll off the board next year. Thanks for all that you've done for LVES over the past few years.

Treasurer Report-

Roarin' Ruckus was a huge success! We raised an estimated \$11,940.29! We are currently over budget for invest and teacher shirts, school store, landscaping. We donated funds for PLC training for teachers, landscaping, reward school incentive (trucker hats/water bottles and students got Jeremiah's ice). PTO also sponsored buddy bench in memory of Deuce Ridley. We expect to be under budget for the year pending reimbursements.

Teacher Appreciation Week Updates from Stacy Businger-

Student Appreciation week has a budget for this week. Each day has a theme: Monday's meal has been donated by Martin's Bar-B-Que, on Tuesday Lightbox Ice Cream will serve Ice Cream, Wednesday will be a drink bar from Swig, Thursday will be a floral bar for teachers, and on Friday AHA has donated the meal. We are over budget around \$200 because of the florist.

Year in Review-

We worked hard this year and continued old LVES traditions. We also added new events such as Student Appreciation Week and Movie Night. See attached flyer.

⇒ Before announcements Mandy asked for volunteers for STREAM day next Tuesday, May 5th.

⇒ Field day sign up will be sent out next Wednesday or Thursday.

Executive Board 26-27 Member Elections-

- * President- Karen Luff
- * VP of Events- Jessica Eck is continuing in her board position from 25/26.
- * VP of Staff Support- Jennifer Adeola
- * Co-Treasurers- Meredith Noel will return as treasurer for her final year, and will be joined by Gracye Gardner as Co-treasurer
- * Membership Secretary- Amanda Bennett
- * Recording Secretary- Brittany Doucey
- * Co-VP of Volunteers- Tracy Barroza and Olivia Martin

Mandy Hopkins made the motion to elect the 26/27 board passed at 9:49am. The motion was seconded by all, there were no objections to the new or returning board members.

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We also added new committee members for next school year.

Bethany Holder- Room Parent Coordinator and will coordinate hospitality for the appreciation days throughout the year.

Corinne Zejda- The Webmaster

Kristin Thornton- Coordinate Spirit Wear

Beth Merritt- will continue to plan spirit nights for the 26/27 school year.

Thanks to all that have served this year, and in past years. Your hard work has made LVES a better place for students and staff! We are looking forward to another great year!

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by President Mandy Hopkins at 10am. The motion was seconded by Stacy Businger.



LONGVIEW

PTO Year in Review!

2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

Together, we make our Lions **ROAR!**

MAKING A DIFFERENCE ALL YEAR LONG!

WE ♥ OUR SCHOOL!

HOSTED

Hosted back to school luncheon for teachers and administration

Hosted the Glow Dance during Related Arts for EC - 5th grade

Hosted Back to School Bash, Welcome to Kindergarten, Trunk or Treat, Pictures w/ Santa, Leo's Valentines Ball, EC Easter Egg Hunt

Little Lions Loved This!

ORGANIZED

Organized and distributed school supply kits

Organized and ran Student Ambassador Program and Safety Patrol Program

Organized volunteers for the book fair and picture day

Organized volunteers to cover lunch duty during TCAP testing

Organized volunteers to cover recess duty

Organized Spirit nights

Organized & Hosted The Roar'n Ruckus & Silent Auction

PURCHASED

Purchased LV t-shirt for teachers and staff as a back to school gift

Purchased classroom wish lists items for EC-5th grade teachers

Purchased Agendas for 3rd-5th graders

Purchased and stocked the LVES school store

Purchased LVES Volunteer shirts

Purchased the Brag Tag PBIS incentive program

Purchased brag tags for kindergarten sneak peak, grade levels and Invest

Purchased Cotton Candy and Popsicle celebration parties

Purchased Buddy Bench

MADE IT HAPPEN!

Paid for Author Jessica Young to come to LVES

Paid for Landscaping

Planned Teacher and Staff Appreciation Day each month

Donated funds to pay for PLC training

NEW THIS YEAR!

Organized and hosted Student Appreciation Week

Organized and Hosted Family Movie Night

MORE FUN, MORE MEMORIES, MORE ROAR!

STILL TO COME!

Playground/Recess Equipment

Teacher Appreciation Week

Organize and run indoor Longview Games on Field Day

Organize 5th grade Year End Celebrations

THANK YOU, LONGVIEW!

TOGETHER, WE MAKE OUR LIONS ROAR!