

Minutes of the General meeting of the Las Lomas PTA

April 8, 2015

A General meeting of the Las Lomas PTA was held April 8, 2015 9:11AM. Present were Helen Ungerman and Artis Montague, Co-President; Sue Sartor, Principal; Heather Caelius, Hot Lunch Chair; Laura Purpura Volunteer Coordinator, Maggie Oren 1st VP, Sarah Chai, Treasurer, Sladana Veljkovic, Website, Jennifer Le, Secretary. Also present were Alain Camou, Assistant Principal, Eric Holm Director of Bond Projects, and 18 other parents and members of the PTA.

Quorum was met, and Artis Montague called the meeting to order. Jennifer Le kept the minutes. The minutes from the April 1, 2015 meeting were approved. Additionally, the Board approved the PTA Board slate for the upcoming 2015-2016 school year.

Guest Eric Holm, Director of Bond Projects here to talk about upcoming construction and improvement at Las Lomas:

Goal of Bond was to get children out of portables and for the best learning environment possible, along the way we have had more growth at both campuses. Goal was also not to impact green space. Luckily, the district was able to purchase more property next door. That property gave us a great opportunity to reconfigure things at Las Lomas. Need to address flooding issues as well since a creek runs through the campus. Also did a transportation study to look at how to help drop off/pick up. Looked at project frog and single story/two story options. Found not much better than the classrooms we have now. For most bang for buck, went to Stanford design school. Really found some great ideas to include in Master Plan. Would like to be able to expand and contract as needs and enrollment changes. Also would like shaded lunch area for Las Lomas, flexible MUR, dedicated PE Classroom, better use of outdoor space. Don't really have a front door. Looking at making the front entrance on Alameda and have more of entrance. Two story building could become administration. Currently we are looking at going from 28 to 32 classrooms. One of the additional classrooms would be "flex" space. A large space that could accommodate a science or grade level classroom. Buses would be along Camino Al Lago and the cars would be along Alameda. Can increase parking by 65%.

First phase is drop off and classrooms (incl. lunch). If money left then other phases will follow. This is a 50 year plan.

For La Entrada: Master plan was to tear down, but now keeping classrooms. Construction costs have escalated since the bond was passed. Blacktop will have 22

classroom building and tear down one wing. Covered lunch area. Fields and blacktop will be redone. Also redesign pick up and drop off.

NEXT MEETING/IMPORTANT DATES

The next meeting is scheduled for May 6 at 9:00a.m

At this time there was no further business to address. The meeting was adjourned at 10:03 am.

Jennifer Le, Las Lomitas PTA Secretary