

WELCOME

to Loomis Basin Charter School

HELLO

We are excited to welcome you to Loomis Basin Charter School! LBCS was established in 2008 as part of the Loomis Union School District as an International Baccalaureate World School. We welcome students in kindergarten through 5th grade to the Primary Years Program (PYP) and 6th through 8th grade to the Middle Years Program (MYP).

The LBCS vision “We are a community of learners empowered to enact positive change in ourselves and the world” extends to our families and support systems at home. We strongly encourage volunteer participation throughout the school year.

There are many avenues to learn about how to get involved and stay connected. Check out these resources for many important details:

STAY CONNECTED

- Visit LoomisCharter.org
- Visit LBCSPTC.org
 - **Make sure to subscribe to the calendar**
- Download the LBCS PTC App
 - **Turn on notifications for reminders**
- Join the LBCS PTC Facebook Group
- Follow @LBCSMustangs on Instagram



WHO WE ARE



The LBCS Parent Teacher Club is a volunteer run non-profit organization dedicated to raising funds and organizing events to support programs and activities to benefit the students and staff at LBCS. The PTC provides opportunities to gather throughout the school year fostering positive relationships between families, staff and community members.

The PTC consists of a Board which manages the responsibilities of the organization. There are also numerous volunteers who serve in auxiliary positions and as event chairs. Every parent or guardian with a student attending LBCS is encouraged to attend a monthly PTC meeting and to have a meaningful impact on our school.

YEAR AT A GLANCE

2026–2027 PTC Sponsored Events & School Dates

August

8/10 Back to School Night
8/11 Kinder Round Up
8/11 Welcome Back Event
8/12 Parents & Pastries
8/14 Minimum Day
8/21 Picture Day
8/24 PTC Meeting 8:15am

September

9/7 No School
9/14 PTC Meeting 8:15am
9/21 Min. Day
9/24 Jogathon
9/25 No School

October

10/9 Min. Day-DO
Homecoming
10/12 PTC Meeting 8:15am
10/12 Min. Day
10/16 Fall Festival
10/29 IB Parade
10/30 No School

November

11/9 PTC Meeting pm
11/11 No School
11/16–20 Minimum Day
11/22 Manda Run
11/23–27 No School

December

12/4 Mustang Marketplace
12/14 PTC Meeting 8:15am
12/18 Minimum Day
12/21–1/1 No School

January

TBD Family Bingo Night
1/11 PTC Meeting 8:15am
1/15 Minimum Day
1/18 No School
1/22 Fun Night for Boys
1/26 100th Day of School
1/29 No School

February

2/8 No School
2/9 PTC Meeting pm
2/15 No School
TBD Talent Show
2/26 Fun Night For Girls

March

3/3 Minimum Day
3/4 Multicultural Night
3/8 PTC Meeting 8:15am
3/19 Book Exchange
3/22–3/29 Spring Break

April

4/12 PTC Meeting 8:15am
4/17 Auction
4/30 Minimum Day

May

5/3–7 Mother's Day Store
5/10 PTC Meeting 8:15am
5/20 Min. Day
5/26 Open House
5/27 8th Grade Promotion
5/28 Field Day
5/31 No School

June

6/1 Minimum Day
Last Day of School

updated 7/30

Notes

Activity dates are subject to change. Dine & Donate events will be added throughout the year. Subscribe to the calendar at **lbcspc.org** for the latest details.

Meet your PTC BOARD MEMBERS



Co-President

Danielle Duffett
(4th & 8th)



Co-President

Robin Rollman
(6th & 8th)



Co-Vice President

Melissa Blevins-Smith
(4th & 8th)



Co-Vice President

Melissa Metzger
(5th & 7th)



Co-Activity Director

Courtney Gross
(1st, 5th, 7th)



Co-Activity Director

Megan Foulger
(1st & 3rd)



Co-Treasurer

Christy Witz
(6th)



Co-Treasurer

Jenny Calabrese
(3rd, 5th, 7th)



Co-Secretary

Robin Fitts
(2nd & 7th)



Co-Secretary

Kasey Branting
(Kinder & 3rd)



Communications Director

Jacqueline Carter
(Kinder, 1st, 3rd & 5th)

What does PTC do?

VOLUNTEERS & FUNDS AT WORK

FUNDRAISING

WORKING TOGETHER

All of the activities and programs offered at LBCS would not be possible without our fundraisers. PTC helps coordinate a jog-a-thon, monthly dine and donate events and an amazing auction. There are even more fundraising opportunities throughout the year. Our annual pledge drive that kicks off at the beginning of the school year and runs all year goes directly to classroom teacher funds to help offset the amount of personal money spent on classroom supplies and needs.



EDUCATION

IN THE CLASSROOM

Funds raised by PTC are critical within the classrooms and put to use to help enhance curriculum as well as the overall classroom experience and learning environment. This includes classroom technology such as Chromebooks, teacher grants for training, curriculum resources, art supplies, music instruments and library books. Funds also support special programs including Spanish, drama, STEAM, field trips, exploratory classes and even a PE aid this year!



SPECIAL EVENTS

BUILDING A STRONGER COMMUNITY

LBCS is proud to offer an incredible lineup of school community events. Volunteers and grade level chairs coordinate a school wide fall festival, field day, fun nights out for boys and girls, open house dinner, graduation celebration, Mustang Marketplace, talent show, IDAC multicultural night, parent socials, used uniform sales and much more!



COMMUNITY

IT TAKES A VILLAGE



LBCS is a tight knit school that thrives on its strong sense of community between teachers, staff, students and families. Our main goal is to help support and foster this community. Becoming involved with PTC is an amazing way to be a part of enriching the lives of our children on a daily basis.

Attending one of the monthly PTC meetings is a great way to learn about the many ways you can become involved.



ASSEMBLIES & FIELD TRIPS

BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

Throughout the year, students are treated to a wide variety of PTC hosted in-school assemblies. These assemblies help enhance the curriculum and can coincide with IB units, IB attributes/profiles, STEAM and the performing arts. Past assemblies have included motivational speakers, team building, multicultural music and dance performances, a mobile planetarium and STEAM museum, local author visits, marionettes, Crocker Art Ark, Extreme Science, a Touch of Understanding and much more!

PTC funds also serve a critical part in supplementing field trip expenditures. Our students have put their inquiry skills to great use in places like the Marin Headlands, MOSAC, Fog Willow Farm, Bishop's Coloma Outdoor School, the Sacramento Zoo and Mondavi Center to name a few!

FACILITIES, EQUIPMENT & MORE

CARING FOR OUR CAMPUS & STUDENTS

PTC contributes to purchasing athletic uniforms and equipment, honor roll and graduation supplies, technology, recess equipment and facility enhancements. We work with staff to determine additional needs throughout the year such as replacement tables and umbrellas used for outdoor lunch time.

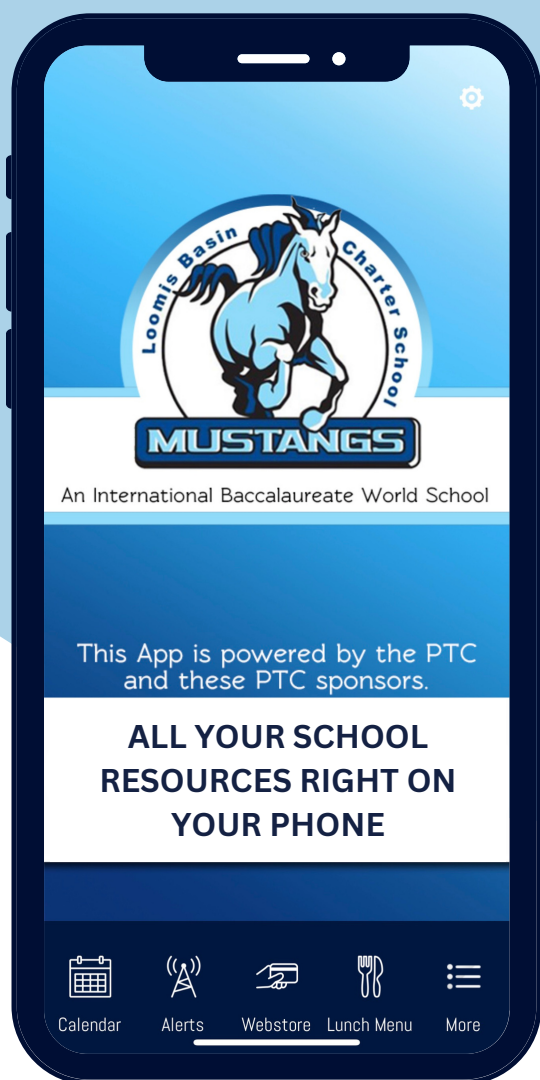


We invite you to join us. Meetings are held each month in the LBCS library. Visit lbcspc.org for dates and times.

KIDS AT LBCS?

**ALERTS
QUICK LINKS
EVENT DETAILS
FUNDRAISING
WEBSTORE
ABSENCE REPORTING
& MORE**

**THERE'S AN APP
FOR THAT!**



**DOWNLOAD THE
APP TODAY**



APP STORE



GOOGLE PLAY

To get alerts, make sure
you accept push
notifications



COMMUNICATIONS

Find details for PTC sponsored special events and fundraisers



CALENDARS

Access the school calendar conveniently from the app - minimum days, holidays, and more



LUNCH MENU

Quickly find the school lunch menu directly from the quick links



WEBSTORE

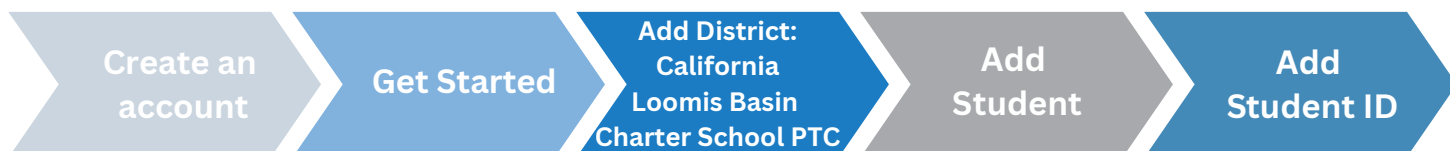
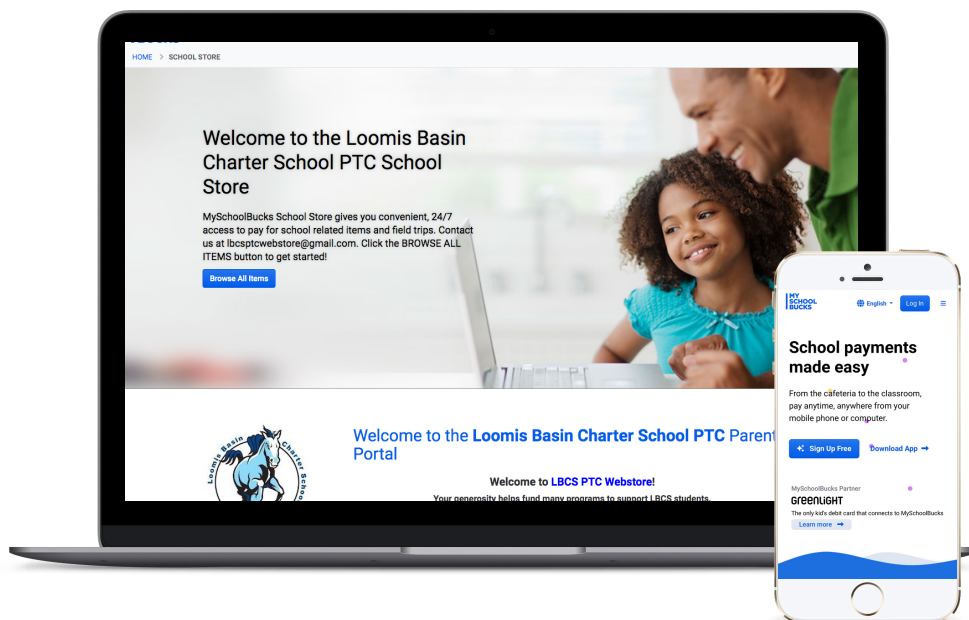
Convenient access to make all of your webstore payments

FIND MORE ONLINE AT LBCSPTC.ORG



LBCS WEBSTORE

Create your account for use all year long. The webstore is the place to submit donations for field trips, pledge drive, special events and more. You can also log in to view your entire history of webstore payments.



(New students will receive their student ID via email)

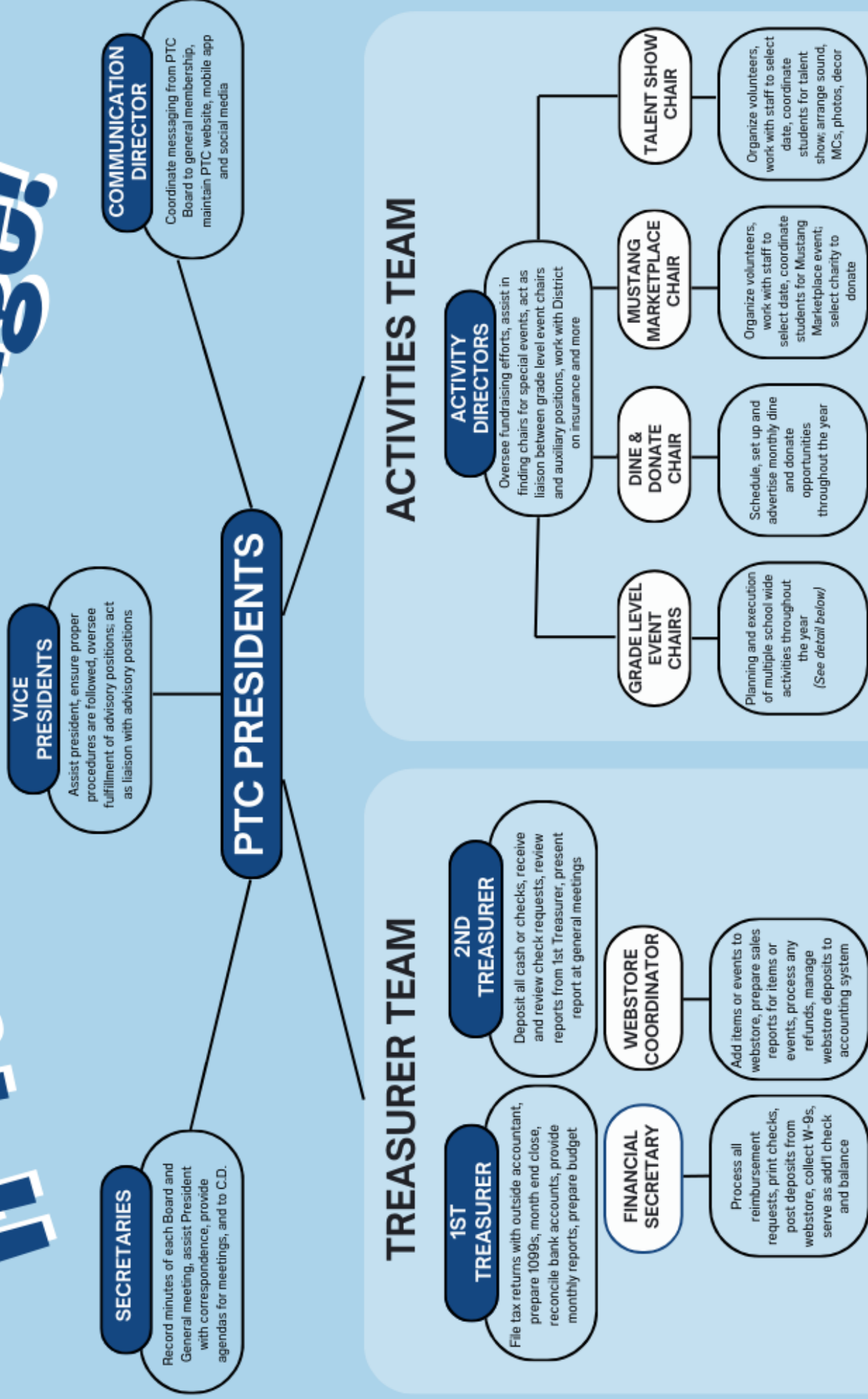


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It takes a village!



ADVISORY POSITIONS

WATCH DOGS CHAIR

Recruit volunteers for Dads of Great Students, work with staff, volunteer at events, coordinate mixers, fundraisers

TEACHER LIAISON

Act as liaison between PTC and teachers, attend general meetings

SPIRIT WEAR CHAIRPERSON

Obtain vendor for spirit wear; oversee selection; communicate information to school community; arrange opportunities to sell at LBSCS events

PARLIAMENTARIAN

Provide expertise in rules of order and proper procedures; facilitate non-board meetings held by event chairs or others throughout the year

USED UNIFORM CHAIR

Communicate with staff, teachers and District on improvements and maintenance projects; facilitate completion; coordinate school work day

AUCTION CHAIR

Recruit volunteers for auction committee; manage planning of the auction: location, theme, menu, software, entertainment, etc; supervise donations

FACILITIES COORDINATOR

Work with staff, teachers and District on improvements and maintenance projects; facilitate completion; coordinate school work day

ROOM PARENT COORDINATOR

Recruit room parent volunteers; provide orientation at start of year; maintain teacher and staff favorite things lists; oversee teacher appreciation week

HISTORIAN

Keep all reports made to PTC by event chairpersons; help supplement yearbook coverage when necessary

POPSICLE SALES

Purchase popsicles, coordinate volunteers, sell popsicles during lunch/recess time, collect and turn in cash weekly

ACTIVITY DIRECTOR(S)

GRADE LEVEL CHAIRS

KINDER

Mother's Day Store

1ST

Fun Night Out for Boys

2ND

Field Day
(Last day of school)

3RD

Fun Night Out for Girls

4TH

Jogathon

5TH

Fall Carnival

6TH

Open House Dinner

7TH

8th Grade Promotion

OTHER GREAT RESOURCES TO HELP YOU STAY INFORMED

SCAN HERE



*You really need this
one for all school
communication!*



PARENT SQUARE



AERIES PORTAL



PTC WEBSITE



PTC FACEBOOK



SPIRIT WEAR

LBCS UNIFORM GUIDELINES

School spirit tops may be worn on Mondays with uniform bottoms (otherwise, collared shirt).

School uniforms must be worn Tuesday - Thursday.

Free Dress Fridays are a privilege that must be earned weekly. Dress code applies. If unearned, regular uniform policy applies.



Solid colored collared shirt (logo no larger than a thumbprint)



Sweatshirts or sweaters must be worn with collared shirt underneath. Uniform bottoms must be visible beneath outerwear.



Khaki, navy or black pants or capris. Athletic style bottoms such as spandex, sweat pants, gym shorts, yoga pants and jeans are not permitted.



Skirts and dresses must be fingertip length, khaki, navy or black



Shorts must have 5"-7" inseam in Khaki, navy or black



Leggings or tights may only be worn under shorts, dresses or skirts and must be solid colored.

PTC

Pledge Drive

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

Our annual fundraising efforts kick off each year with a Pledge Drive to support your child's individual classroom/homeroom teacher. The funds raised are allocated to the classroom teachers and used to support basic classroom needs as well as curriculum enhancements, specialized learning tools or wish list items. Teachers generously spend LOTS of their own money each year on their classrooms and students.

Our goal is to provide each teacher with \$750 to help lessen this financial burden and allow for necessary classroom expenses that ultimately benefit the students!

In addition to this, we have also set up an education grant fund for teachers to request funding for continuing education, specialized training, special programs, subscriptions, web based tools and curriculum additions.



WE VALUE AND SUPPORT OUR STAFF and want them to be the BEST OF THE BEST!

This is also a longstanding tradition at our school that we would not be able to continue doing for our teachers without your generosity or support.

We are asking for \$50 donation per child (but any amount is greatly appreciated). This donation can be made via the school webstore.



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