

**PS 165 Town Hall and PTA General Meeting
September 26, 2025 Room 306 8:15am
Minutes**

8:25: PTA President Jill Moses called the meeting to order
Attendance: 47 on zoom; 40 in room plus PTA Board

PTA Presentation

(slides available [here](#))

I. Treasurer's Report

- \$96,639 cash on hand at end of August
- Next meeting will send around budget for approval

II. Title I Elections

- Intended to provide funds to low-income schools. Parent body also gets some funds to spur parent engagement (\$2,481).
- Current chair is Nicole Benitez. She needs a co-chair and secretary. Fairly low lift.
- Elections held. Co-President: Lauren Cruz; Secretary: Jennifer Diaz-Bess

III. PTA highlights and Wins

- Welcome picnic was big success
- First PTA happy hour at Lions' Head; we will do it monthly. Next on October 7
- Lantern festival
- Lots of upcoming events, all listed on the website

III. Ways to support the PTA

- Upcoming volunteer opportunities – all on website
- September 30 4-8pm at Chipotle fundraiser
- Recess fundraising goal
- We will be setting up online shop for this merch – Sydney Mulligan volunteers

School Town Hall meeting started at 9:06am

- Ms Ingravallo stepping up at acting assistant principal
- Slide on who to contact at PS165
- Reminder to set up GAMA
- Respect for All presentation