

An underwater photograph of two dolphins swimming towards the camera. The dolphin on the left is smaller and appears to be a calf, while the one on the right is larger, likely an adult. They are both looking directly at the viewer with a calm expression. Sunlight filters down from the surface, creating a bright, shimmering effect on the water and the dolphins' skin. The background is a deep blue, and the overall mood is serene and peaceful.

Parent Meeting

Foothill Elementary PTA

June 1, 2017

Meeting minutes from April 26, 2017

Summary:

- *Approved the January 26, 2017 and March 24, 2017 Minutes.*
- *Held 2017-2018 PTA Board Elections*
- *Ratified changes to 2016-2017 budget*
- *Ratified checks 6074-6094 inclusive, as presented.*
- *Adopted the July 1- Dec 31, 2017 Audit.*
- *Released funds for summer expenditures, as presented.*

Need a motion to adopt these April 26th, 2017 minutes, as presented or as corrected.

Programs 2016-2017

Year-Round Programs:

- [Art Docent \(in partnership with SEF\)](#)
- [Assemblies](#)
- [ABC Readers / Project Cornerstone](#)
- [Gardens](#)
- [Maker Space](#)
- [Playground Pals Bus Stop](#)

School-wide Events (Funded through Donations):

- *School Supplies (Aug)*
- *Teacher Grants (Aug and January)*
- *Directory and Finder (September)*
- *Book Fair (Oct. 31 - Nov. 4)*
- *Staff Holiday Luncheon (December)*
- *Kindness Week (March 13-17th)*
- *Science Day (March 24)*
- *Variety Show (April 12th)*
- *Staff Appreciation Week (May 1-5)*
- *International Night (May 12th)*
- *Open House (May 18th)*
- *Field Day (June 8th)*
- *Field Trip Scholarships (June)*

Special Programs and Events (Funded by Participants):

- *Fall Family Fun Night (October 22th)*
- *Fall Musical (Sept. through Nov. Performances Nov. 18th and 19th)*
- *Math Team (Sept. through Mar.)*
- *Robotics Team (Oct. through April)*
- *Spelling Bee (January)*
- *Year Book (May)*

Fundraisers:

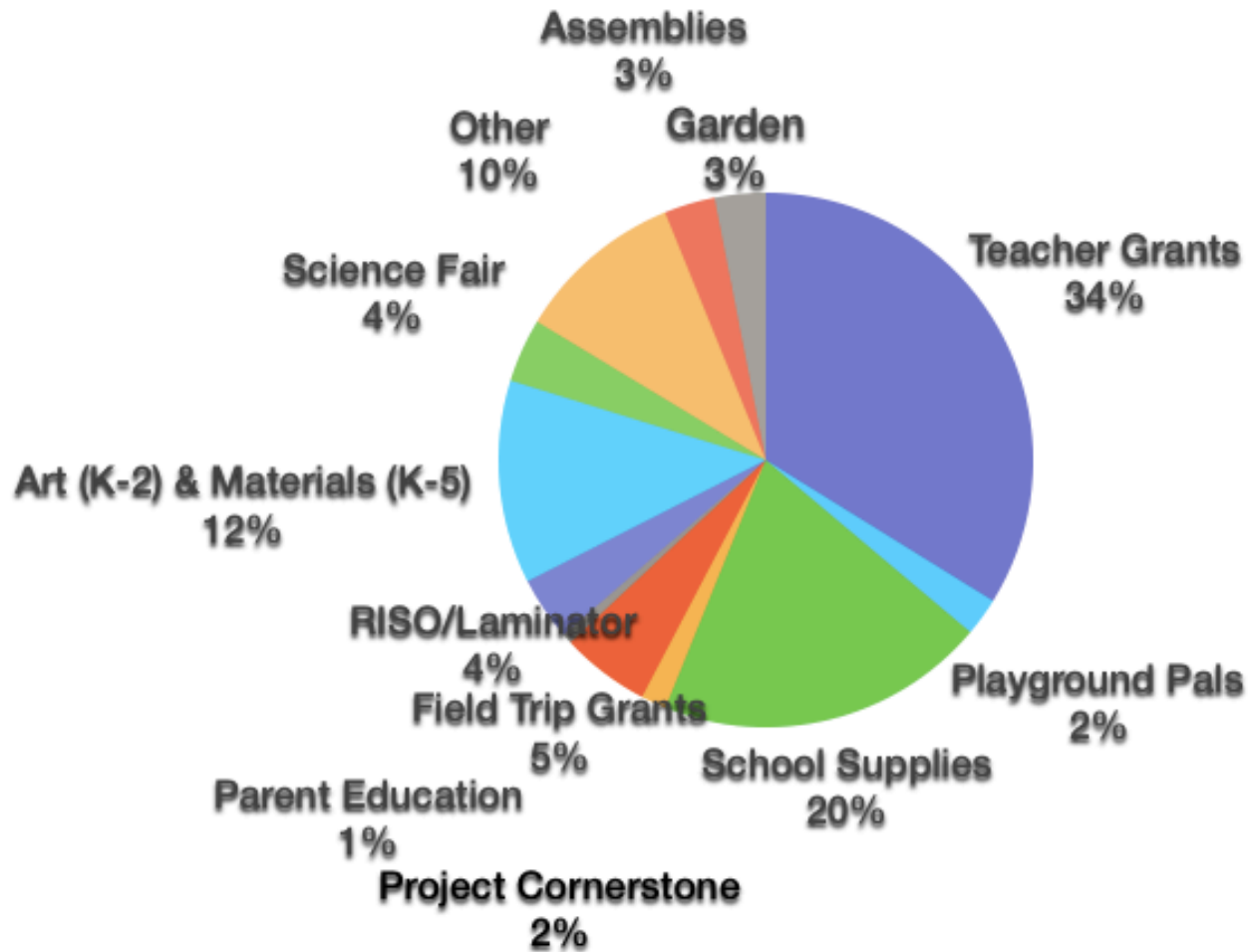
- *Spirit Gear (New Gear this Year)*
- *[Read-A-Thon \(end of September\)](#)*
- *Ceramics (Nov or Mar)*
- *Flowers/Snacks at Events (Each Event)*
- *Amazon Sales (Year-round)*
- *Bricks (May)*

Ongoing

Complete

Still-to-come

Donations Budget 2016-2017



Checks Written

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Approval to Raise Budget for PPBS

Programs

Art Program and Supplies	2,058.85	2,058.85	8,000.00
Assemblies	0.00	0.00	2,000.00
Directory and Finder	1,445.42	1,445.42	1,800.00
Enrichment Grant	0.00	0.00	3,500.00
Fall Family Fun Night	4,465.16	4,465.16	2,900.00
Field Day	0.00	0.00	250.00
First Day Welcome Coffee	0.00	0.00	100.00
Garden	807.23	807.23	2,000.00
Hospitality	33.39	33.39	100.00
International Night	215.26	215.26	500.00
Kindergarten Splash	0.00	0.00	100.00
Maker Space	7,106.51	7,106.51	12,500.00
Math Team	2,801.57	2,801.57	5,000.00
Musical	10,368.36	10,368.36	12,000.00
Play Ground Pals	1,542.66	1,542.66	1,500.00

Need a motion to increase Play Ground Pals Budget by \$1000 to \$2500.

Chair Positions Next Year

Still accepting volunteers

2017-2018 FOOTHILL COMMITTEES

- Assembly Liaison - Amy Williams
- Book Fair Committee - Sumangala Prasad, Chen-Chen Wu & Bhavana Narayana
- Clay & Art Docent Committee - OPEN
- Fall Family Fun Night Committee - OPEN
- Fall Musical Committee - OPEN
- Field Day Committee - OPEN
- Garden Docent Committee - OPEN
- International Night Committee - OPEN
- Maker Space Committee - OPEN
- Math Team Committee - Vidya Vineet, Misty Davies & Mabel Lau
- Open House Committee - OPEN
- Parent Education Night Committee - OPEN
- Robotics Committee - OPEN
- Spelling Bee Committee - Vidya Vineet & Misty Davies
- Science Day/Fair Committee - Misty Davies, Venkat Ratnam & Vidya Vineet
- Staff Appreciation Committee - OPEN
- Variety Show Committee - OPEN
- Yearbook Committee - OPEN

All board positions are OPEN until confirmations at the next parent meeting on April 26th 6pm. All committees are OPEN to JOIN!

2017-2018 Board Elections

2017-2018 FOOTHILL PTA BOARD NOMINATIONS

President - Misty Davies

Vice-President - Denise Zarins

VP of Classroom Activities - Sharmi Shah

VP of Student Programs - Vidya Vineet

VP of Communications - Bhavana Narayanan

VP of Membership - Krupa Natarajan

VP of Infrastructure - Tony Palma

Still accepting nominations.

VP of Family Programs - **OPEN**

Historian - Venkat Ratnam

Secretary - Surya Hotha

Treasurer - Debbi Bettinger/Co-Treasurer - **OPEN**

Parliamentarian - Joanne Wang

Auditor - John Thodiyil

*SEF Representative - Bhavana Narayanan

Web Master - Julie Greiner

Hospitality Chair - Donnette Teeple

Project Cornerstone Chair - Roxanne Enman/Co-Chair - **OPEN**

Art Docent Chair - Margery Tonna

Volunteer Coordinator - **OPEN**

Release of Funds for 2017-2018

Release of funds over summer:	
school supplies	13000
membership drive	400
art docent	1200
hospitality	500
musical	4500
office supplies	100
directory and finder	1800
fall family fun night	1000
teacher grants	12000
garden	100
math team	1000
	35600

Need a motion to increase summer expenditures by \$6000 for garden and NGSS curriculum/training.

Announcements

Next parent meeting: August or September 2017!

- Thursday, June 8th: Field Day