



BRYANT PTSA

Board Meeting: February 11, 2025

Land Acknowledgement

We acknowledge that we are on the traditional land of the first people of Seattle, the Coast Salish Peoples, who have been stewards of this land since time immemorial. We honor with gratitude the land itself and the Coast Salish Peoples.

Why do we make these acknowledgments today?

We acknowledge the longstanding history of oppression and systemic racism and how these inequities result in disproportionately poor quality of life and access to opportunity for native people;

We seek to understand our place within this history and on this land;

We celebrate the contributions of native people in our communities today; and

We seek to inspire our members to take action to support native organizations in our community.

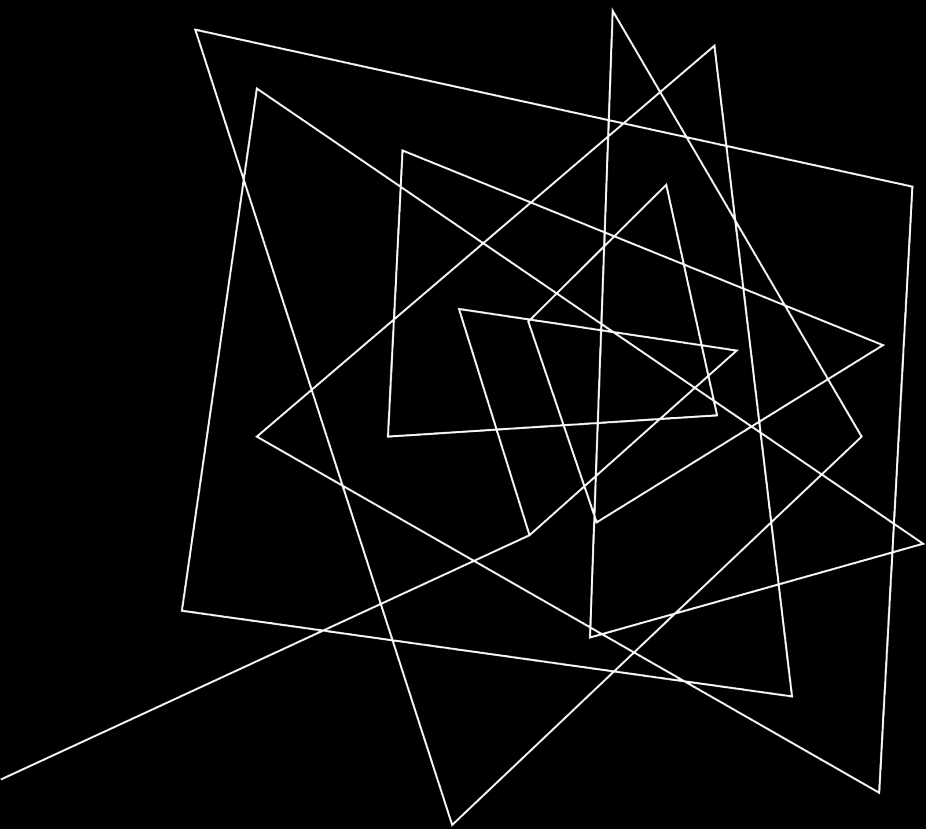
What can you do?

Get informed: [Since Time Immemorial: Tribal Sovereignty in WA State - Curriculum](#); [SPS American Indian Studies](#)

Take Action and Support: Native organizations and businesses in Seattle/King County - [Seattle Urban Native Nonprofits](#): Laser Nov 2021

AGENDA

1. Welcome
2. Approval of Jan Meeting Minutes
3. Principal Update (Dr. Marshall)
4. Teacher Updates (Alex Jones and Katie Salisbury)
5. LASER Updates
6. President Updates
7. Treasurers Update (Maggie and David)
8. Advocacy Update
9. Adjourn



Approval of Jan. Meeting Minutes

Upcoming Events



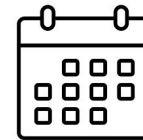
Bryant Open House
(rescheduled)
Feb 27th, 6-7:30pm



Hunger Service Projects
March 27: K and 5th grade
6:30-8:30pm

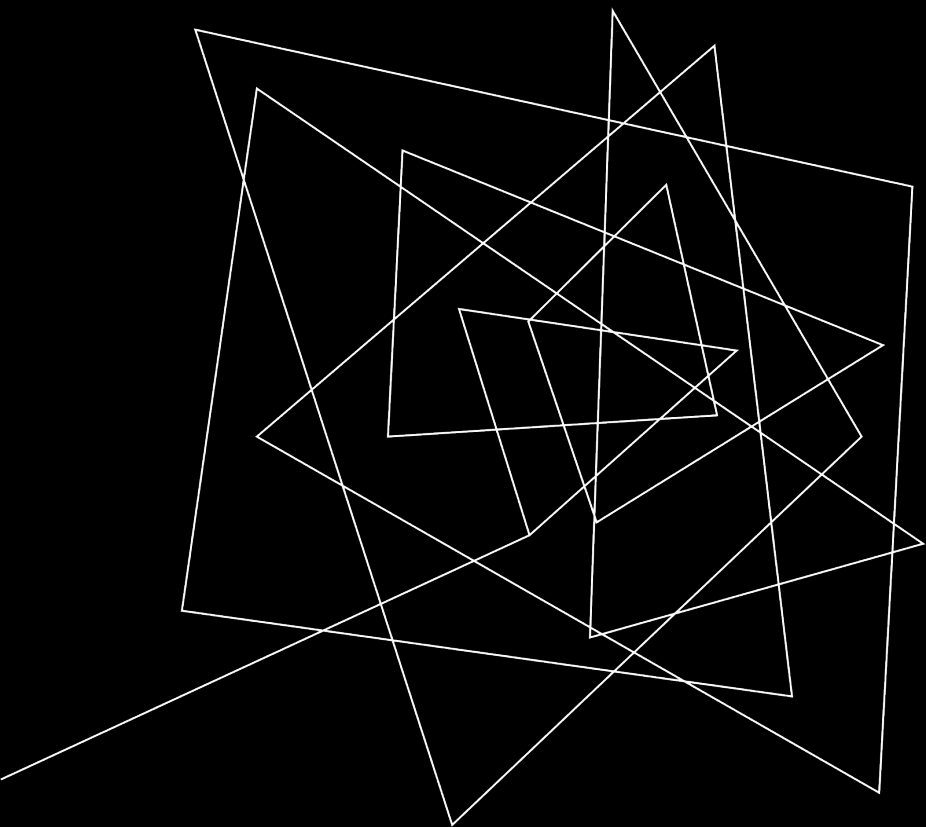


Mid-Winter Break
2/17-2/21



Family Art Night - April 3rd
Science Night - TBD
Blast - May 3rd





Partner Updates

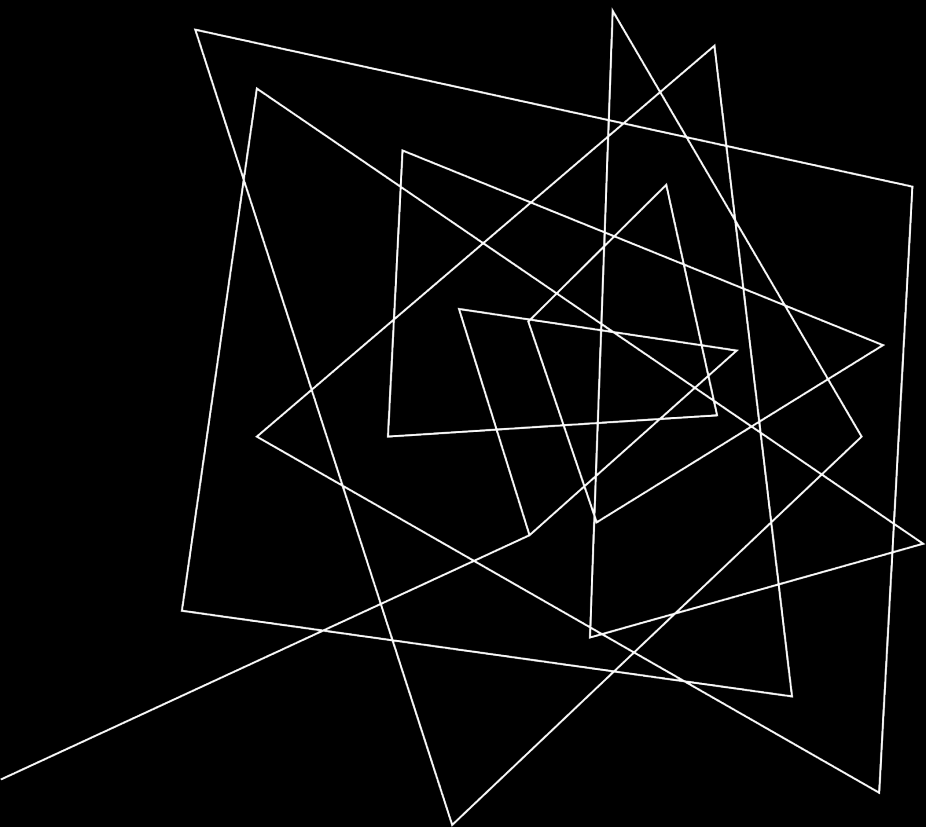
- Dr. Marshall
- Teachers
- LASER

Dr. Marshall Update

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- March General Meeting - Math focus and UDL update
- Playground Update (Marika)
- Enrollment is steady for next year- would be great to get to 500 but might be slightly under
- Old safe deposit box – update address with Gambling Commission
- Budget binder will come end of Feb
 - Counselor vs. SW - asking staff
 - Restore librarian to .8; keep tech
 - PTSA possibly absorbing cost for IXL as supplement (does not provide data for district)

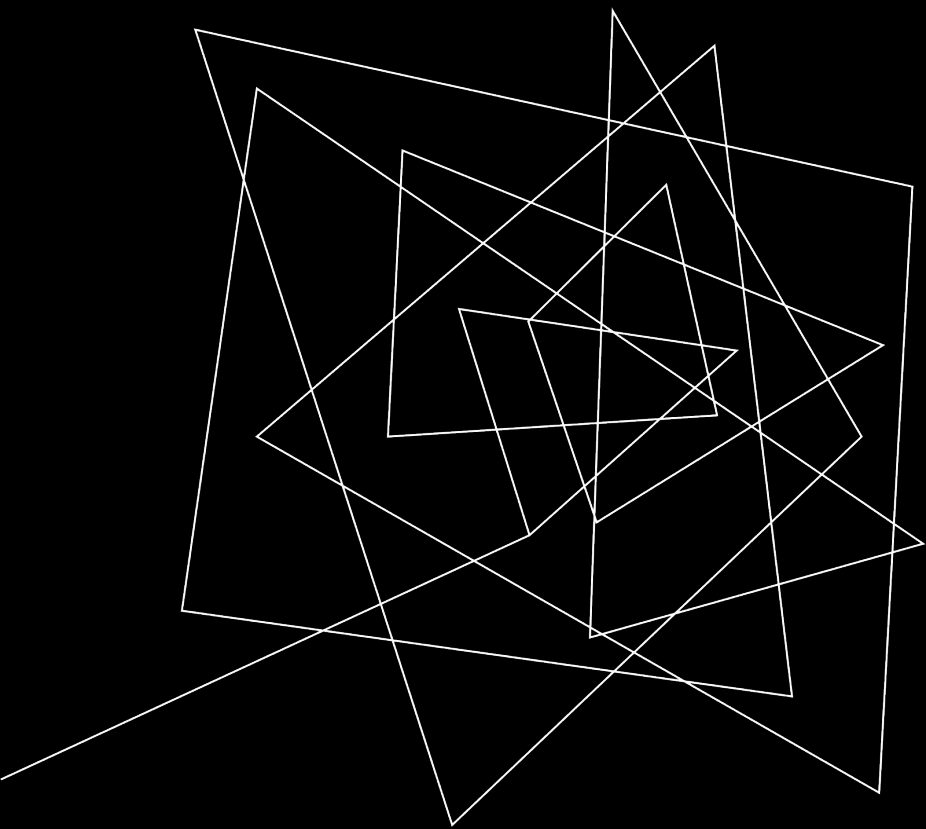
LASER - No updates but will work on providing childcare for March General Meeting



President Updates

President Business

1. Bryant Blast Update (Marika)
2. Yearbook - Still need photos!
3. Nominating/Financial Review Committee Update
4. Prep for March General Meeting
5. Board Spots to Fill (Community Engagement, Membership)



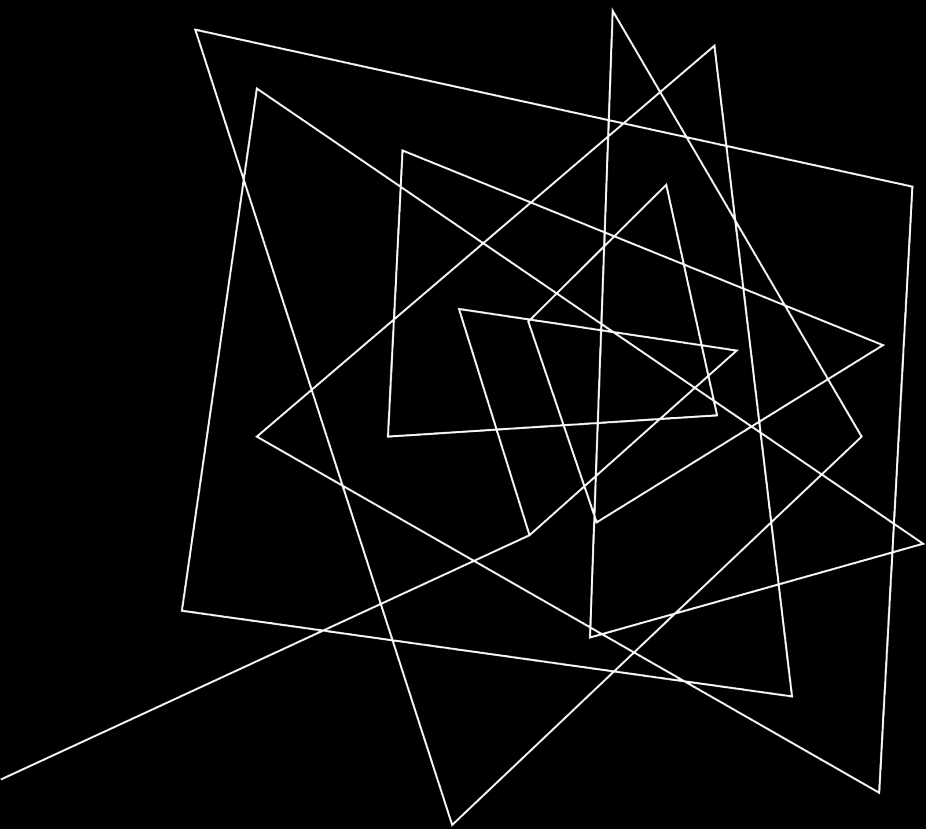
Treasurers Update

Treasurer Monthly Report

As of 2/8 Actual vs Projected Income

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Annual Campaign	227,500	228,979
PY Carry Over	28,640	47,714
Silent Auction	29,500	0
Blast	6,500	0
Other Income	1,000	1,453
Interest	400	74
5th Grade 23-24 I-wood Grant	8,000	8,036
Total Income	\$301,540	\$286,256
Total Expenses	\$300,261	\$69,156

- Annual campaign funds in account: \$189,147
- ~22K in matching funds that we need confirmation for Annual Campaign vs library; expecting matching funds for library fundraiser and need to differentiate - **Question: is Anthony still the POC? Not getting replies**
- Budget has \$5K unallocated. The following are unexpected expenses **(no change since last month)**:
 - Overdue taxes from 2020 - \$239
 - Prior year expenses paid in current year - \$3,366 (buses, field trip)
 - Multicultural night - \$450
 - FIN - \$300 (approved last meeting)
 - If all of these are part of \$5K budget, we have balance of \$645



Advocacy Updates

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Legislative Updates: The Bryant PTSA supports the bills below.

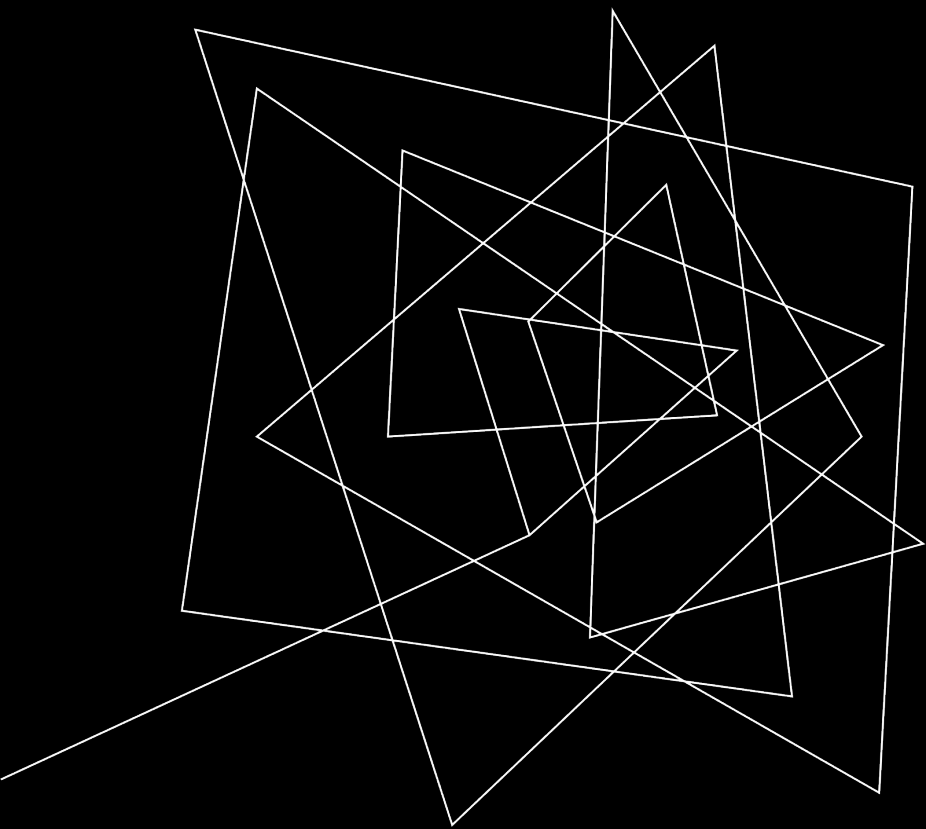
- **SB 5187 (MSOC)**
- **SB 5192 (Transportation)**
- **SSB 5263 (Special Ed.)**

Levies:

- **Votes due today.** Continued controversy around BEX VI levy. Bryant PTSA does not have an official position but has been keeping community informed.

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Highly capable services: To be discussed at Feb 12th SPS board meeting, some Seattle parents are organizing around it.

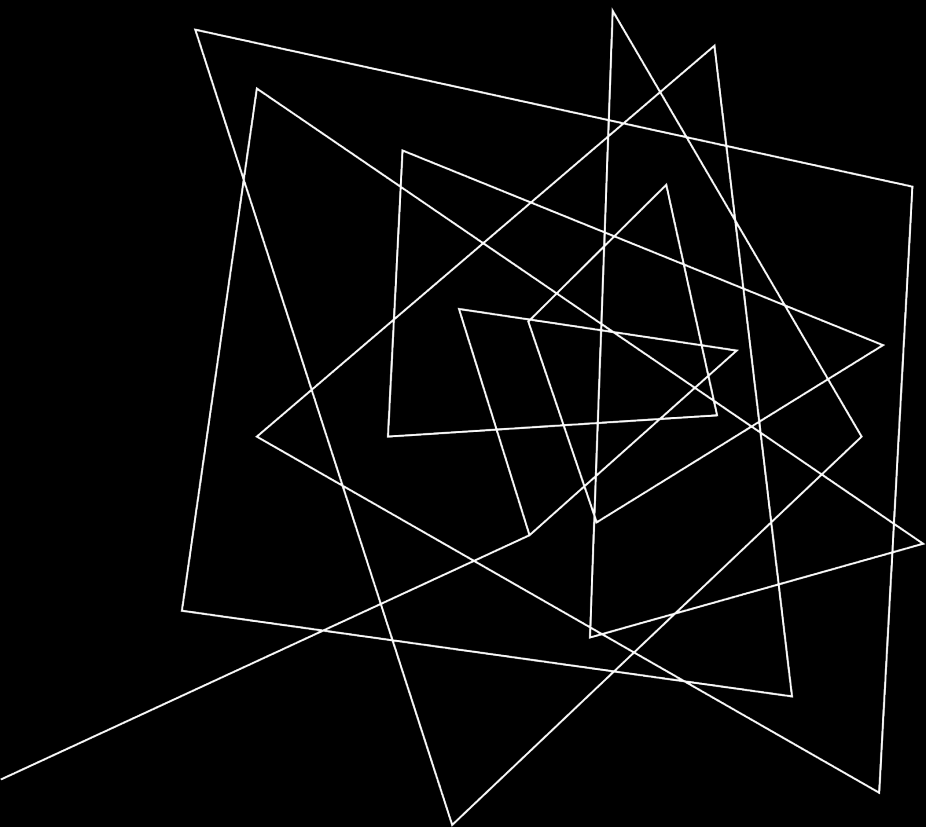


Volunteer Committee Update



Volunteer Committee:

- Upcoming Events/Programs
 - Online Auction & Bryant Blast
 - Open House
 - Budget & Financial Review committees
 - Garden work party
- Volunteers needed
 - Nominating Committee
 - Additional auction support
- Lunch Duty and Recess Monitor Volunteers



Adjourn