



Lincoln Lynx Alumni Association
Board of Directors Regular Meeting Minutes
March 28, 2026 –Seattle Public Library Northgate Branch
Pending Approval

ATTENDEES (13): *President, Class Rep, Totem II Editor* **Monica Weber '73**; *Vice President* **Jim Philbrick '75**; *Former President, Membership Chair, Scholarship Chair* **Jackie King '67**; *Recording Secretary, Website Chair, Scholarship Scribe* **Judy Roe '64**; *Class Rep, All Class Luncheon Liaison, Database Chair* **Linda Strock '62**; *Class Rep* **Tim Barr '74**; *Class Rep* **Janette Lemme '59**; *Class Rep* **Dixie Hughes '57**; *Class Rep* **Paul Limb '71**; *Class Rep* **Fred Chou '78**; *Class Rep* **Norm Bolotin '69**; *Class Co-Rep* **Jan Lopes '74**; *Class Rep* **James Raptis '80**. There was a quorum.

A. Call to Order

1. Welcome, sign in, introductions
2. Flag Salute

B. Approval of January 24, 2026 Minutes

Motion to approve the January 24, 2026 Minutes made by Tim Barr seconded by Linda Strock.
PASSED

C. Reports

1. Class Rep Reports

- **Tim '74** stays in touch especially with fellow alumni who also were members of the Wallingford Boy's Club.
- **Jan '74** won't be able to do the merchandise table at the All-Class Luncheon.
- **James '80** is wrestling coach at Nathan Hale High School.
- **Linda '62** is sending emails to classmates to advertise the All-Class Luncheon.
- **Jim '75** sadly reported that classmate Ricky Dalrymple passed away during February. Their August 50th reunion at the Shilshole Elks had good attendance.
- **Monica '73** is thinking about a plan for their 55th reunion. Coincidentally her classmates were born in 1955 and will be 73.
- **Paul '71** is helping with the planning for their 55th reunion which will be on August 15th at a lower Woodland Park shelter. Sadly classmate Ken Bircher passed away this March.
- **Dixie '57** class will have another reunion this year, September 10th at Edmonds State Park. Next year for their 70th reunion the gathering will be inside.
- **Janette '59** is eager to reconnect with classmates. Monica intends to send the '59 emails and addresses to Janette.
- **Jackie '67** and classmates are already organizing their 60th reunion. Barb Repanich who recently moved to a condo, is preparing a wine basket for the auction.
- **Judy '64** reported for class reps Mary Branom and Bev McNair. The class's 80th birthday party will be September 9th, cost is free, location is Woodland Park Lawn Bowling and Bocce club, and time is 1-5PM. Cake and snacks will be available.

2. Year-to-Date Finances (compared to last year) Lynne Emmons, Treasurer not present

3. Membership Report – **Jackie** presented counts: 667 have paid memberships, 24 are 'lififers', 196 have free memberships (the 2025 LHS graduates who provided email addresses were given 1-year free membership), 97 have recently expired membership status. Jackie is going to contact the class reps so they can remind classmates that their membership has recently expired and they each need to pay \$20/year to renew.

4. Financial Secretary's Report – Monika Lirio not present

5. Totem II Report – **Monica** will send the spring/summer issue to press probably by April 6th. Of the 28 class reps, 24 submitted information. This issue will provide information about the requirements for the donation baskets that class reps are supposed to provide for the All-Class Luncheon.

Dixie asked if official obituaries are required in order to report deaths in their class column. Monica said no but a date of death is required. Linda Strock can look for the confirmation and a more detailed announcement especially if she has a date of death.

6. Scholarship Committee Report – **Jackie** is finding ways to advertise the LLAA scholarship program. For example she made sure the LHS web page is up to date and shared the information with the co-president of the LHS PTSA. One student has shown interest in the David Morgan Scholarship. Applications for any of the scholarships must be received by May 1st. There will be fewer awards this year due to reduced donations. In addition to the David Morgan Scholarship there will be 5 granted to lineal descendants who graduated from high school in 2026 and 5 granted to LHS 2026 graduates.

7. All Class Luncheon Committee Report (June 6 at the [Nile Shrine Center, Mountlake Terrace](#)) – Linda itemized tasks and requested volunteers. Here is a tentative list of some of the assignments: master of ceremonies Tim Barr (if Jim Philbrick cannot do this); programs Monica Weber; name tags (in envelopes) **and** class signs for the tables Judy Roe; registration table Don Ford, Jackie King; greeting at door Janette. Linda needs more volunteers for various tasks such as shuttling members from the parking lot and working at the merchandise table (need to know how to use the credit card reader). Please contact her if you wish to help [click here](#).

Monica mentioned about 1/3 of attendees at last year's luncheon were not paid LLAA members. **The organization is subsidizing the cost of the ACL at about \$30 per ticket** this year yet subsidizing cannot continue due to reduced membership dues income and reduced donation income. She recommends charging non-members more per ticket in future years. Various ideas for increasing membership were discussed.

D. Silent Auction for All Class Luncheon - Monica

1. **Completed Donation Form (DUE DATE MAY 27th)** contact [Monica \(click here\)](#) if you have questions. Mail completed form to Monica, her address is on the form.
2. **Information packet sent out to local Class Reps in January**
3. **Deadline for submitting auction items**
 - a. donated Items can be brought on the day of the luncheon but please make the baskets/containers attractive
 - b. **[donation form \(click here\)](#) must be completed/mailed by May 27th** because the details about the auction items are necessary to setup the bidding parameters prior to the luncheon. **Mailing instructions are provided in the form.**
 - c. popular items have been planters with attractive foliage/flowers and wine baskets, however large expensive items such as trips have not been as popular.

Reminder - the next Board meeting is 10:30AM Saturday May 23, 2026 at the Northgate Branch of the Seattle Public Library. ZOOM will also be available.

Respectfully submitted by Judy Roe, LLAA Recording Secretary