

**Ladera Recreation District  
Board Meeting Minutes  
Monday February 9, 2026**

**Meeting called to order at 7:02 pm at the LRD**

**Board Roll Call:** Calin Thomas, Brian Wall, Helen Wang Tsao

**LRD Team:** Sarah Gutierrez

**Public:** Bruce Beron

**Public Comments**

- No public comments

**Review / Approve Minutes**

- Motion to approve January 12, 2026 Minutes
  - Seconded, approved 3-0
- Motion to approve February 4, 2026 Special Session Minutes
  - Seconded, approved 3-0 with amendments

**Managers Report**

- Membership drive
  - Flyers up, distribution to continue
  - Marketing emails sent to listserve; also sent to contact list for members / non-resident members in 2025
  - Marketing blurbs went to school newsletters and other organizations, e.g. Los Lomitas, La Entrada, Alpine Little League, Stanford Waterpolo, and Plus One
  - Positive feedback received so far - e.g. Senior rates for non-resident
  - Reference form being used
- Plus One
  - Monthly touch base meeting established
  - Intermediate Adult program in the works; 6 weeks; max 6 participants on Thursdays
    - Registration available by emailing Plus One
- Jazzercise
  - Going well - Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays

- Promo in Jan - 2 mo for \$99; had 12 people sign up
- Woodland - summer camp swim time discussion
  - Aligned on a 1 day use of the pool this summer for a couple hours
- Aquatics
  - M/T/Th Masters - up to 5
  - Intro to masters - February registrations at 7, slightly down
  - Swim Lessons - 3 instructors; Sophia, Reza and Brandon
  - Fitness Swim - 17 registrations, up from 10
  - Diving - up to 3
  - Water Polo Clinic - 13 kids
  - Pickleball - 1 to 2 in a clinic; Fridays and Sundays; pretty much private lessons
  - Yoga - Wednesdays - 4 each week; open to going to twice a week; has been going well, exploring possible adjustments to schedule
- Other
  - Private parties
    - Received inquiry to have private party 4 to 6 on the Saturday of Memorial Day weekend
      - Alignment - No (Memorial Day)
  - Social Committee
    - Contact - helping with ideas/coordination of events
    - Exploring finding another person to make a “committee”
    - E.g. quarterly meetings
  - Vintage Sunday
    - Last one was 40-50 in attendance
- Facilities
  - Tennis Lights - on pause - significant expense
  - Fitness equipment - to regroup after enrollment period
  - Janitorial - ending existing contract
    - New on March 1st - starting 5 days a week till May and then 7 days/week through August
  - The team is gearing up on hiring efforts/dates for applications (on 2/20; applications close 3/29); job notification on 4/1. Hires need to be certified by 6/5
- Discussion of programming manager
- Nametags for lifeguards? Idea discussed

## **Finance Report**

- Net for the month is +25k; 30k above budget (received unanticipated county revenues)
- Payroll processor - in progress of changing to help save money; tracking to start in Q2
- Warm temps helped save heating expense for pool

**Adjourned meeting at 7:49pm**

**Next meeting:**

Planned for 7:00 pm on Monday March 9, 2026

Respectfully submitted: Brian Wall