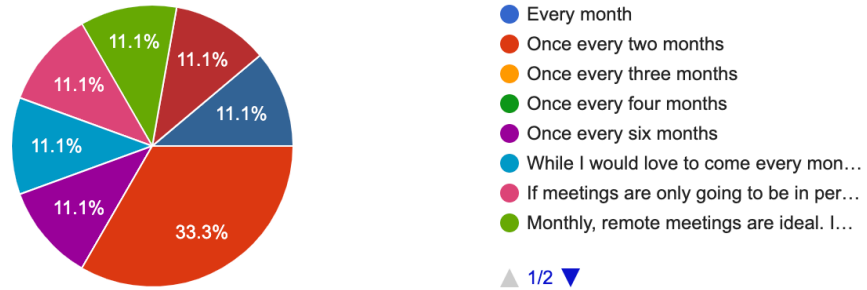


TLCPA Survey by Feb 2023

How often do you want in person TLCPA meetings

*Most recently TLCPA meetings were remote and happened every month.

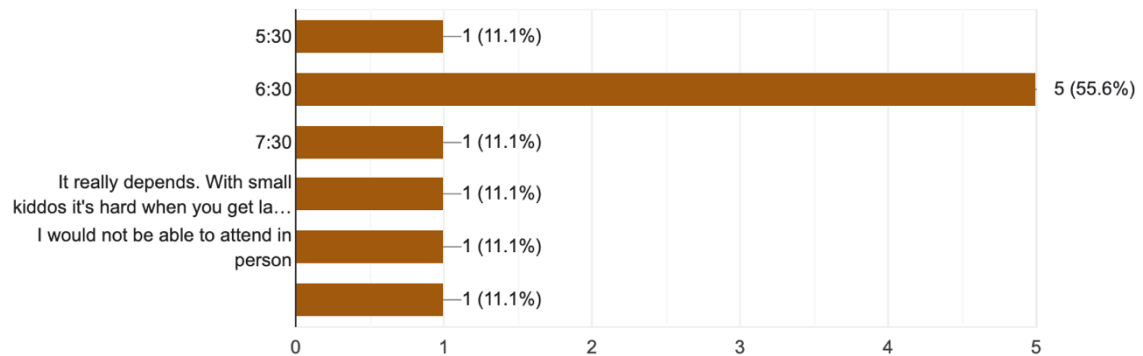
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What time would be best for a meeting in person?

*Most recently monthly TLCPA meetings occurred on Thursdays at 6:30 p.m.

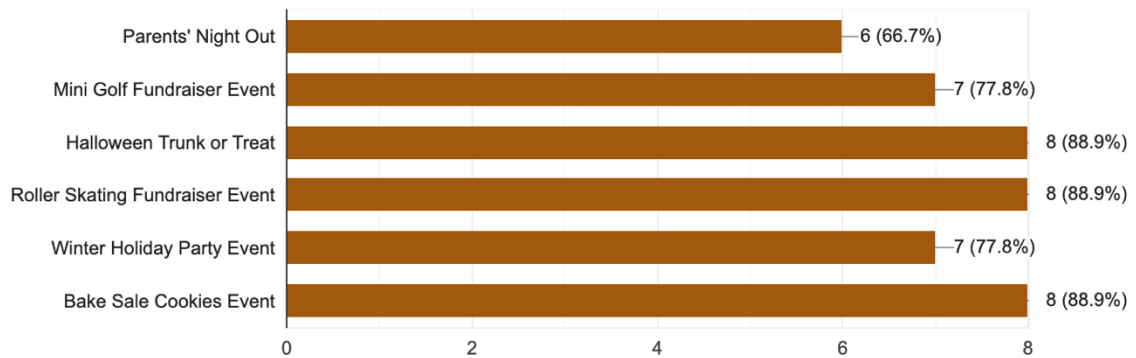
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TLCPA hosts many events. Please check all that you feel should continue to host in 2023.

*this is allowed multiple choice

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Can you suggest an event or an idea that TLCPA should add to the event list?

Bowling? Maybe switch bowling with mini golf every other year?
We should have a booth selling food/chios and drinks during MPS/WS sports events like ESDAA, Homecoming etc.

I know this is a TLC parent association, but I wonder if hosting an event or two and advertising to local parents of deaf kiddos who aren't at TLC but are interested in being involved in the Deaf community would be beneficial. I mainly say this because while I want to stay in the TLC community, we don't yet know whether Rory will be able to, but if we end up mainstreamed I'm really afraid that we'll lose the connection to the community that exists around TLC.

Lake day in July, Spring Picnic in May

Would love different family playgroup outings, e.I. Playground meet ups, ice cream meet ups, apple picking meet ups, farm or zoo gatherings. This will give parents and children an opportunity to be together not having to involve TLC and fundraising limits.

Workshop for parents on BILINGUAL EDUCATION - Benefits of ASL & English, Reasons why Bilingual Education is so important for our/all Deaf children

Fundraisers—bowling, apex, ice skating, cooking

outdoor activities/ hikes / camping trips/ any outdoor events for students to come together/ski program for students once a week

What topic would you like to see during our meeting?

Maybe how to get our own bank account- should we bother becoming a 501c3 organization for our money's sakes?

I think it depends - which parents are we focusing on targeting? Perhaps rotating topics (and having them posted online ahead of time) so that we hit concerns for parents with kids at different age groups would be helpful? Personally, topics such as navigating the transition to preschool is critical (especially since I'm trying to fight an automatic mainstream placement) but that would only really impact parents with kids that age. Since I don't really know the community yet, I don't have a good pulse on what other parents may or may not be interested in, especially those with older kids.

cant think of one - new here

Resources for parents, different topics like understanding an IEP, how to request interpreters for your child's sport events through public recreation departments, what our classrooms need for supplies and materials (classroom wishlists)

I would like to hear more about things happening in the school and how we can make an impact. Including this group and allowing votes on important decisions being made about our children's education, safety and overall experience at TLC. In the past this group would hold votes and felt very collaborative, not just an informational gathering.

Upcoming school events parents may be able to participate in. Supporting staff and teachers as parents.

Issues at TLC - Lack of respect for self, peers, teachers, etc. Bullying @ TLC seems to be at an all time high.... WHY? What is being done to stop it? How is TLC a "bilingual bicultural school" as advertised? I hear these same issues from many parents - several have pulled their kids out of TLC & several continue to stay & struggle. Because there is high turnover at TLC it seems staff also needs training, professional development, workshops on bilingual programming/education. Kids are dismissed early (1/2 day) at least once/month for staff professional development. It seems that there is the time & place to do this educating and refreshing for staff. And of course teacher salaries are a big issue among staff. I hope we can join to support them!

School best practices for communication, mentoring programs for students

afterschool activities for students on early release days so parents can work and students have something fun to access/ more outdoor nature based programming/ partnering with YMCA in Framingham for activities/ partnering with local farm for farm day/ creating outdoor basketball court for all students / expanding after school program options/creating an adventure outdoor program