

December 2020 Board Brief



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Board Brief

The following information is intended to inform staff and community members of recent action taken by the Board. The information included in this brief is not intended to be complete and does not replace official Board minutes.



Highlights from the South Harrison Township Elementary School District Board of Education regular meeting held on December 14, 2020.

ENROLLMENT as of November 30, 2020

RESIDENT STUDENTS	293
CHOICE STUDENTS	25
TOTAL	318

PRESENTATIONS

- Student Recognition
<https://ensemble.kingsway.k12.nj.us/Watch/c7K2Rgw9>

Spotlight Students

November 2020

1 st	Savannah Fadgen
2 nd	Laura Hennessy
3 rd	Lucas Graf
4 th	Finnley Gabler
5 th	Julie Caltabiano
6 th	Samantha Kline

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Dr. Lavender updated the Board on a variety of topics related to the District, which included the following discussion item(s).

- COVID Activity Report for Southwest Region
- Principal Transition
- Shared Services Update

PERSONNEL

- Appointments
 - None
- Resignations
 - None
- Leaves of Absence
 - Shari Crouch (ELA Teacher – Grade 4)
- Co-Curricular Workers
 - None
- Practicum/Internship
 - Mikayla Priscopo (Clinical Practice Session 1 –Early Childhood Education Program)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- Aimee Ferenz – Distance Learning: Strengthening your online General Music Program
- Lisa Pessa – Clinical Practice with Students with Disabilities; Clinical Seminar in Special Education

FIELD TRIPS/ASSEMBLIES

- None

FUNDRAISERS

- **3/15/2021 – 3/19/2021:** Health & Physical Education students will be accepting donations/sponsorships for jumping rope to be donated to the American Heart Association (*no door-to-door solicitation)

POLICY

The Board recommended the following for First reading for revisions and/or adoption.

- None

The Board recommended the following for Second reading for revisions and/or adoption.

- Policy 2464 – Gifted and Talented

PROGRAMS

The Board approved the following programs:

- None

OUT OF DISTRICT

- None

BUSINESS, FACILITIES & FINANCE

- **The Board approved** the Board Secretary's Report and Bill List.
- **Student Activity Financial Report.** The Board approved the Student Activity Financial Reports for November 30, 2020

MISCELLANEOUS

Numerous other requests for approval for workshop attendance, student activities, and education items were approved by the Board of Education. These approvals will be reflected in the formal minutes of the meeting, which are available in the office of the Board of Education secretary as well as posted online after Board approval.

The next regular meeting for the Board is scheduled for **Monday, January 25, 2021**, by Zoom Conference to begin at 7:00 p.m.