

# Committed to Excellence

# 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 <u>June 25<sup>th</sup>.</u>

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U	ENROLLMENT as of May 31, 2018		
	RESIDENT STUDENTS	342	
	CHOICE STUDENTS	24	
	TOTAL	366	J

## **Presentations**

None

Spotlight Students					
May 2018					
1 <sup>st</sup>	Rachel Tighe				
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cecelia Raffa				
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Audrey Curtis				
4 <sup>th</sup>	Gia Griscom				
5 <sup>th</sup>	Sofia Mazzeo				

6<sup>th</sup> Chloe Vit

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

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

None

## **ATTENDANCE SUMMARY**

2017-2018 Monthly Average % of Students in Attendance for May 2018:

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Grade Level	May %	2017-2018 Current YTD Average %	2016-2017 Overall Average %		
Pre-K 3	87.0	91.3	93.3		
Pre-K 4	94.9	90.9	96.3		
К	92.8	91.4	96.7		
Average Pre-K & K	91.6	91.2	95.5		
1	97.4	95.5	96.9		
2	97.0	96.0	96.6		
3	95.0	95.9	96.4		
4	96.9	95.8	96.5		
5	95.7	96.0	96.9		
6	95.4	94.9	97.2		
Average 1 - 6	96.0	95.7	96.7		
Overall District Average	95.5	93.6	96.6		

## **PERSONNEL**

## **South Harrison Employment**

- Retirement:
  - Eileen Ferguson (Secretary)
- Resignation:
  - Marylynne Christ (Art Teacher)

- Summer Appointments:
  - (Reading Specialist) Krista Travaglini
  - (Teacher) Maggie Paolone, Heidi Wagner, Jennie Damminger, Susan Kenderdine, Jennifer Smith, Carolyn Olsen
  - (LDTC) Amy Danner, Amy Corson
  - (School Psychologist) Courtney Haslam
  - (Reading Coach) Krista Travaglini
  - (School Nurse) Beth Bakley
  - (Media Specialist) Gail Bram
  - (ESY Substitute) Amy Danner

## **FUNDRAISERS**

None

## FIELD TRIPS/ASSEMBLIES

 8/1/2018 or 8/2/2018 – The Title 1 Step Up Summer Camp will be traveling to the Mullica Hill Library.

## **RESEARCH PROJECTS**

None

## **EMERGENCY DRILLS/CALLS**

School /	Time	<b>Drill Description</b>
Date		
5/1/2018	Start: 1:15 pm	Fire Drill
	End: 2:00 pm	
5/1/2018	Start: 3:12 pm	Fire Drill
	End: 3:16 pm	
5/23/2018	Start: 08:20 am	School Bus
		Evacuation Drill
5/30/2018	Start: 1:26 pm	Shelter in Place
	End: 1:30 pm	

# **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.

None

## **PROGRAMS**

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 Report as of May 31, 2018.
- 2016-2017 New Jersey Department of Education School Self-Assessment for Determining Grades under the Anti-Bullying Bill of Rights District and School Grade Report. The Board approved the 2016-2017 New Jersey Department of Education School Self-Assessment for Determining Grades under the Anti-Bullying Bill of Rights District and School Grade Report.
- 2016-2017 Anti-Bullying Bill of Rights. The Board approved the 2016-2017 Anti-Bullying Bill of Rights.
- Donation. The Board accepted a donation of a SB 885 SMART board and projector kit from Brown Point International, LLC.
- Mission One Educational Staffing Services, LLC Agreement. The Board approved the addendum to the Mission One Educational Staffing Services, LLC agreement for the 2018-2019 school year.
- Source 4 Teachers Staffing Services, LLC Agreement. The Board approved the addendum to the Source 4 Teachers agreement for the 2018-2019 school year.
- Transportation Jointure with Kingsway Regional. The Board approved a transportation agreement with Kingsway Regional School District for an enrichment program beginning July 1, 2018 through August 31, 2018.
- Capital Project Application Authorization.
   The Board authorized Garrison Architects to

prepare and submit a New Jersey Department of Education Other Capital Projects application for various building renovations at South Harrison Township Elementary School.

- Shared Service Agreements with the Kingsway Regional School District. The Board authorized shared service agreement with the Kingsway Regional School District for the period of July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2018.
- Appointment of Investor's Bank as Official Depository. The Board appointed Investor's Bank as the official depository effective July 1, 2018.
- Transportation Jointure with Harrison
   Township School District. The Board
   approved a transportation agreement with
   Harrison Township in the amount of
   \$5,400.00 beginning July 9, 2018 through
   August 9, 2018.
- Schwartz Edelstein Law Group/Weiner Law Group. The Board approved the prior resolution appointing the Schwartz Edelstein Law Group as attorney is hereby amended to substitute the name of the Weiner Law Group. All other aspects of the Resolution will remain in full effect.

## **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 meeting for the Board is scheduled for **Monday**, **July 23**, **2018**, in the South Harrison Elementary School cafeteria and begins at 7:00 p.m.