

## April Board Brief



### *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 April 24<sup>th</sup>.**

#### **ENROLLMENT as of March 31, 2017**

<b>RESIDENT STUDENTS</b>	<b>359</b>
<b>CHOICE STUDENTS</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>385</b>

#### **Public Hearing**

- Annual School Budget 2017-2018

<b>Spotlight Students</b>	
<b>March 2017</b>	
1 <sup>st</sup>	Bella Butler
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Dominic Bruno
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Madison Mishura
4 <sup>th</sup>	Julianna Jones
5 <sup>th</sup>	Rudy Tighe
6 <sup>th</sup>	Madison Burt

#### **SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

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

- Board Goals

#### **ATTENDANCE SUMMARY**

*2016-2017 Monthly Average % of Students in Attendance for March:*

<b>2016 - 2017 Monthly Average % of Students in Attendance</b>			
<b>Grade Level</b>	<b>Mar %</b>	<b>2016-2017 Current YTD Average %</b>	<b>2015-2016 Overall Average %</b>
<b>Pre-K 3</b>	88.2	91.4	93.3
<b>Pre-K 4</b>	94.8	93.6	96.3
<b>K</b>	93.0	93.1	96.7
<b>Average Pre-K &amp; K</b>	<b>92.0</b>	<b>92.7</b>	<b>95.5</b>
<b>1</b>	91.3	92.5	96.9
<b>2</b>	94.4	93.8	96.6
<b>3</b>	95.3	94.3	96.4
<b>4</b>	96.3	96.7	96.5
<b>5</b>	96.1	95.9	96.9
<b>6</b>	97.5	95.8	97.2
<b>Average 1 - 6</b>	<b>95.2</b>	<b>94.8</b>	<b>96.7</b>
<b>Overall District Average</b>	<b>93.6</b>	<b>93.8</b>	<b>96.6</b>

#### **PERSONNEL**

##### ***South Harrison Employment***

- CST Summer Work:
  - Amy Corson (LDTTC)
  - Courtney Haslam (School Psychologist)

- Certified Staff:
  - Madison Pagliaccetti (Home Instruction as needed)
- ESY:
  - Amanda Grabas (Pre-School ESY)
  - Sarah Sobeck (Elementary ESY)

**FUNDRAISER(s):**

- None

**FIELD TRIP(s):**

- **6/1/2017 with a rain date of 6/5/2017** – The Pre-Kindergarten class will be traveling to Story Book Land to use skills learned in class.
- **6/8/2017** – The 5<sup>th</sup> grade class will be traveling to the Art Museum of Philadelphia to see the influence of art work on developing cultures through written expression.
- **6/14/2017** – The 1<sup>st</sup> grade class will be traveling to Adventure Aquarium to learn about animals, habitats and life cycles.

**RESEARCH PROJECT(s)**

- None

**EMERGENCY DRILLS/CALLS**

School / Date	Time	Drill Description
3/24/2017	Start: 02:40 PM End: 02:42 PM	Fire Drill
3/29/2017	Start: 03:05 PM End: 03:15 PM	Code Blue Drill– Respiratory Failure

**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/OTHER**

- YMCA before and after school program for 2017-2018 school year.

**BUSINESS, FACILITIES & FINANCE**

- **The Board approved the Board Secretary's Report and Bill List.**
- **Memorandum of Agreement for CompleteCare Health Network.** The Board approved the Memorandum of Agreement for CompleteCare Health Network.
- **Student Activity Financial Report.** The Board approved the Student Activity Financial Report for March 2017.
- **2017-2018 Contract for Participation on Cooperative Transportation services with GCSSSD.** The Board approved a cooperative transportation agreement with the GCSSSD for the 2017-2018 school year.
- **Appointment of Risk Management Consultant.** The Board approved Barclay Group as its Risk Management Consultant.
- **Adoption of the 2017-2018 Budget.** The Board adopted the 2017-18 school budget and authorized submission to the County Superintendent of schools. To read the Budget Summary click [here](#).
- **FY17 ESEA Budget Amendment.** The Board authorized the submission of an FY17 ESEA amendment application with includes carryover funds from FY16.
- **Job Descriptions.** The Board approved the following job description(s).
  - Instructional Coach/Interventionist

**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, May 22, 2017, in the South Harrison Elementary School cafeteria and begins at 7:00 p.m.