

November 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 November 14th.

ENROLLMENT as of October 31, 2016

RESIDENT STUDENTS	358
CHOICE STUDENTS	26
TOTAL	384

Presentations

- Mr. Rosenheim, PARCC Data Presentation

Spotlight Students

October 2016

1 st	Ethan Brennan
2 nd	Julia Stec
3 rd	Ty McLeer
4 th	Tyler Capra

5 th	Lacie Law
6 th	Isabella Cervantes

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

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

- Negotiation's Team established.

ATTENDANCE SUMMARY

2015-2016 Monthly Average % of Students in Attendance for October:

2016 - 2017 Monthly Average % of Students in Attendance			
Grade Level	Oct %	2016-2017 Current YTD Average %	2015-2016 Overall Average %
Pre-K 3	95.2	96.6	93.3
Pre-K 4	94.8	94.8	96.3
K	94.1	94.9	96.7
Average Pre-K & K	94.7	95.4	95.5
1	94.3	94.1	96.9
2	96.3	96.0	96.6
3	96.1	96.1	96.4
4	98.1	98.6	96.5
5	97.5	98.2	96.9
6	97.8	97.8	97.2
Average 1 - 6	96.7	96.8	96.7
Overall District Average	95.7	96.2	96.6

PERSONNEL

South Harrison Employment

- Substitute:
 - Julie Graham (Substitute School Nurse as needed)

- Elaine Lack (Substitute School Nurse as needed)
- Kathleen Mercado (Substitute School Nurse as needed)

FUNDRAISER(s):

- None

FIELD TRIP(s):

- None

EMERGENCY DRILLS/CALLS

School / Date	Time	Drill Description
10/6/2016	Start: 09:37 AM End: 09:40 AM	Fire Drill
10/11/2016	Start: 02:04 PM End: 02:35 PM	Evacuation Drill

POLICY

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

- Policy 6660 Student Activity Fund revised.

BUSINESS, FACILITIES & FINANCE

- **The Board approved the Board Secretary's Report and Bill List.**
- **Special Olympics Grant.** The Board accepted a \$741.00 grant from the Special Olympics to be used to promote inclusive sports activities for the 2016 – 2017 school year.
- **2017 – 2018 Comprehensive Maintenance Plan.** The Board authorized the submission of the District's 2017 – 2018 Comprehensive Maintenance Plan (CMP), which contains required maintenance activities that are reasonable to keep the school facilities open and safe for use in their original condition and maintain the validity of their warranties in accordance with N.J. A.C. 6A:26A-3.1.

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, December 19, 2016**, in the South Harrison Elementary School cafeteria and begins at 7:00 p.m.