



NEW STAFF RECEPTION

October 6, 2014
Bungay School
Cafeteria
7:00 p.m.

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

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7:30 p.m.

I. CALL TO ORDER

A. Pledge of Allegiance

II. BOARD AND ADMINISTRATIVE COMMUNICATIONS

A. Recognitions

1. Congratulations to the 2014 Pumpkin Festival Royal Court from Chatfield-LoPresti School: Pumpkin Princess – Kaitlyn Miller, Pumpkin Prince – Dylan Cornet, Prince Charming – John Rogers, Cinderella – Marley Orosz, King – Jacob Blacha, Queen – Emily Casini

B. Correspondence

1. Letter dated September 22, 2014 from Yashu Putorti to First Selectman Kurt Miller regarding the merging of IT for the Board of Education and the Town of Seymour
2. Letter dated September 26, 2014 from Joseph A. Luciano regarding curriculum content with regard to the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990

III. PUBLIC COMMENT

IV. REPORTS AND INFORMATION

A. REPORTS

1. **Chairman's Report**
 - a. Chairman's Report
 - b. Board Member Comments
2. **Superintendent's Report**

B. INFORMATION

1. **Student Representatives**
 - a. Student Representative
MOTION: to approve the recommendation of the Seymour High School Student Council to appoint Julian Falcioni as the Board of Education Student Representative for the 2014-15 school year
 - b. Student Representative (Alternate)
MOTION: to approve the recommendation of the Seymour High School Student Council to appoint Daniel Robinson as the alternate Board of Education Student Representative for the 2014-15 school year
2. **School Activities and Recognitions**
 - a. High School Student Representative Report
 - b. Middle School (see attached)
 - c. Chatfield-LoPresti School (see attached)
 - d. Bungay School (see attached)

3. Committee Reports

- a. Transportation Committee Minutes – September 2, 2014
- b. Facilities Committee Minutes – September 4, 2014
 - (1) Letter to Custodians
MOTION: to approve the recommendation of the Facilities Committee to send a letter to all district custodians acknowledging their hard work over the summer months
 - (2) **Chatfield-LoPresti Elementary School Library Media Center**
Discussion and possible action on the naming of the Chatfield – LoPresti Elementary School Library/Media Center
- c. Curriculum and Technology Committee Minutes – September 15, 2014
 - (1) **New Course Approval**
MOTION: to approve the recommendation of the Curriculum & Technology Committee to add a course entitled “Emergency Medical Technician – Basic (EMT-B)” to the curriculum of Seymour High School
- d. Athletic Committee Minutes – September 29, 2014

4. Staff Retirement – Certified

- a. Snopkowski, Nancy
 - Associate Superintendent
 - Effective June 30 , 2015

5. Staff Hiring – Appendix E (Certified Staff)

- a. Cleveland, Brian
 - Head Coach
 - Boys Soccer
 - Middle School
- b. Perrucci, Joseph
 - Advisor
 - Alternative Energy Club (Split Position)
 - High School
- c. Stock, Michael
 - Advisor
 - Alternative Energy Club (Split Position)
 - High School
- d. Lindgren, Roxanne
 - Advisor
 - Audubon Club (Split Position)
 - Seymour Middle School
- e. Severino, Jennifer
 - Advisor
 - Audubon Club (Split Position)
 - Seymour Middle School
- f. Pagliaro, Christopher
 - Class Advisor
 - Seymour High School
- g. Scozzafava, Erin
 - Class Advisor
 - Seymour High School

- h. Schneider, Brandt
 - Assistant Advisor
 - Drama Club
 - Seymour High School
- i. Cleveland, Brian
 - Advisor
 - Small Steps Club (Split Position)
 - Seymour Middle School
- j. Esposito, Deborah
 - Advisor
 - Small Steps Club (Split Position)
 - Seymour Middle School
- k. Keeffe, Darlene
 - Advisor
 - Yearbook
 - Seymour High School
- 6. **Staff Resignations – Appendix E**
 - a. Tilki, Steven
 - Head Coach
 - Baseball
 - Seymour Middle School
- 7. **Technology in the Classroom** – Bungay Grade 5 Teacher Nicole Francisco and Students
- 8. **NEASC Update** – Jim Freund
- 9. **Bound for Success Mentoring Program** – Ernie DiStasi
- 10. **Asbestos Management 3-Year Re-Inspection** – Christine Syriac
MOTION: for the Board to determine whether to hire a third party consultant to conduct the Asbestos Management 3-Year re-inspection

V. CONSENT AGENDA

- A. **Approval of Minutes**
 - 1. Regular BOE Meeting – September 2, 2014
- B. **Finance Committee Meeting** – October 6, 2014
 - 1. Financial Management Summary - ending September 30, 2014
- C. **Staff Hiring – Non Certified**
 - 1. Del Re, Kim
 - Instructional Paraprofessional
 - Bungay School
 - Replacing Cynthia Brown
 - 2. Moore, Donald
 - Instructional Paraprofessional (STEM)
 - Middle School
 - 3. Piscioniere, Jennifer
 - Instructional Paraprofessional
 - Chatfield-LoPresti School
 - Replacing Davida Munevich
 - 4. Press, Shane
 - Instructional Paraprofessional
 - Middle School
 - Replacing Roxanne Ewaskie

5. Volpe, Kathleen
 - Instructional Paraprofessional
 - Middle School
 - Replacing Edna Feliciano

D. Staff Hiring – Appendix E

1. Bertram, Isabel
 - Advisor
 - Yearbook
 - Seymour Middle School
2. DiCaprio, Patrick
 - Assistant Coach – Girls Swim Team
 - High School
 - Replacing Tom Jurzynski
3. Manion, Christine
 - Assistant Coach – Cheerleading Team
 - High School
 - Replacing Rebecca Graham
4. Teodosio, Nicholas
 - Assistant Coach – Football Team
 - High School
 - Replacing Eric DeMarco

E. Staff Appointments – Volunteer

1. Ademoski, Selajidin
 - Volunteer Assistant Coach – Boys Soccer Team
 - High School
2. Deptula, Benjamin
 - Volunteer Assistant Coach – Football Team
 - High School

F. Homeschooling Notifications

1. Susannah Crews
Ms. Alicia Crews has informed the Board of Education of her intent to home school her child, Susannah Crews, for the 2014-2015 school year
2. Ashton and Nathaniel Murzin
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Murzin have informed the Board of Education of their intent to to home school their children, Ashton and Nathaniel Murzin, for the 2014-2015 school year
3. Chloe Pechinski
Ms. June Cardon has informed the Board of Education of her intent to continue to home school her child, Chloe Pechinski, for the 2014-2015 school year
4. Mei-Li and Jen-Ji Phung
Ms. Jeanne Phung has informed the Board of Education of her intent to continue to home school her children, Mei-Li and Jen-Ji Phung, for the 2014-2015 school year

MOTION: move to approve the consent agenda as presented

VI. RECOMMENDED ACTIONS

A. Manufacturing Alliance of Connecticut (MAC)

MOTION: to utilize the Manufacturing Alliance of Connecticut (MAC) consortium, in conjunction with the Town of Seymour, and authorize the Superintendent to enter into a 48 month contract with Constellation Energy for electricity generation services effective October 8, 2014

B. Out of State Field Trip Requests

1. United Nations, New York, NY

MOTION: to approve the request of Mr. Brian Cleveland and Ms. Deborah Esposito to attend an out of state field trip with the Middle School Small Steps Club to visit the United Nations Headquarters in New York, NY on October 24, 2014

2. Washington, DC

MOTION: to approve the request of Mr. Harvey Catlin to attend an out of state field trip with the 8th Grade class to visit Washington, DC on April 29, 2014 through May 1, 2014

C. Policy Regulation Revision

6141.328 Bring Your Own Device

MOTION: to accept the regulation for policy #6141.328 - Bring Your Own Device as presented

D. Contract Revision

1. Systemwide Technology Coordinator

MOTION: to approve the revision of the contract for Robert Dyer, Systemwide Technology Coordinator

VII. Superintendent's Goals

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Note: The next Regular Board of Education meeting will be held on **Wednesday, November 5, 2014 at 7:30 p.m. in Seymour Middle School.**