

Manchester Community Schools - Board of Education Regular Meeting  
September 19, 2022-In person at Jr/Sr High School- Auditorium and via You-tube Live Stream

**Unofficial Meeting Minutes**

The Regular Board of Education meeting was called to order by Michael Tindall at 6:00pm.

Members present: Michael Tindall, Mike Austin, Kody Naylor, Corey Horky, Rebecca Harvey, and Ryan Novess. Absent: Brandon Woods

The Agenda was approved by Novess, supported by Austin. Roll call vote: All yes (6-0)

Motion by Novess supported by Naylor to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting on August 22, 2022. Roll call vote: All yes (6-0)

Motion by Horky, supported by Austin to approve the Treasurer’s report. Roll call vote: All yes (6-0)

**COMMUNICATION**

- A. Correspondence - None
- B. Public Questions/Comments - None

**OLD BUSINESS -None**

**NEW BUSINESS**

- A. School Goals Requirement
  - a. 98b/MDE Goal Reporting Presentation: Dr Bezeau gave an overview of the K-8 NWEA goals for our students for the year of 2022-2023. R.Harvey asked what is the consequence if we do not hit our goals? Bezeau responded we would have deliberate intervention if we fall below for the students.
- B. Return to Learn: 2022-2023  
Dr. Bezeau discussed our return to learn plan for the 2022-2023 school year. Overview of the ESSER III and ARP funds, requirements/recommendations, academic and emotional support for the students, and public feedback.  
Motioned by Austin, supported by Novess to approve the plan as presented. Roll Call Vote: All yes (6-0)
- C. Rebuild the Wheel: MCS Food Service Department : Lisa Garrison, Director  
“Reframing, refreshing and restarting to rebuild the wheel.” The Food Service Department is highly appreciated and creates amazing lunches and experiences for our students. “Klager Epic Eatery is creative and the kids love it”- Garrison introduced the whole food service team that were present at the meeting and where they are located.

**PERSONNEL**

**1. New Hires & Position Changes**

Department	Position	Name	Entry Date	District	EDUstaff
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SE Department	Social Worker	Rachel Tierny		X	
SE Department	Paraprofessional	Toni Panches		X	

**2. Resignations**

<i>Relationship to District</i>					
Department	Position	Name	Exit Date	District	EDUstaff
Special Education	Title I Para Educator	Michelle Shrewsbury	9/14/22	X	

Harvey added new 7th VB coach R. Collins needs to be added or changed, Bezeau said he will follow up on that for next month.

Motioned by Novess, supported by Austin to accept the personal report as presented. Roll call Vote: All yes (6-0)

**DISCUSSION ITEMS/REPORTS**

- A. Klager / MECC -Lunch on the lawn was fun for all the students, picture day is September 23rd for Klager and September 29th for MECC. They are working on new grant this year and will be applying funds to playground equipment
- B. Riverside - Recognized MCS Food Service Department, overview of the Riverside 2022-23 school year kick-off and other community groups joined to promote their programs for students.
- C. Jr-Sr High School - Great start to the school year, gave an overview of the student drop off and pick up and adjustments that were made, and the new culture/structure for students.
- D. Special Education - one para position to be filled, Social worker was hired and a school psychologist and Kristen Zock transitioned into the SE secretary position.
- E. Technology - Overview of the equipment failure at the beginning of the year and the minimal effect it had on the day to day teaching, a thank you to everyone using FMX to submit tickets, and mention that all acceptable use forms and chromebook insurance will be paid before September 30th, 2022.
- F. Business Office - Grant season, kitchen equipment was mostly covered by a grant, audit is completed and assessment will be coming soon, summer camp wrap up summary was given, and Revtrak/Powerschool Fees are being worked on for a resolution to work with each other.
- G. Buildings & Grounds - Committee meeting rescheduled for September 28th at Riverside Board room at 4pm.
- H. Student - Highlighted Jacob Morin and Cody Smith for starting in their 50th consecutive varsity game, and went over some dates in each HS sport.
- I. PTSA - none
- J. PTO - Fun run is October 9th.
- K. Board - Naylor made a motion to go into closed session for a personnel issue. Supported by Horky. . Roll Call Vote: 5 yay s(Tindall, Naylor, Novess, Harvey, Horky) & 1 na y(Austin)(5-1)  
Closed Session was call at 6:29PM

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Return to open Session was called to order at 6:51PM. Mike Austin was absent. Roll Call Vote: All yes (5-0)

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT - Dr. Bezeau congratulated the equestrian team for making it to regionals, Armstrong added it was their 13th year making it. NWEA will begin soon for K-8th grades. Homecoming is the week of the 26th-30th and there will be a parade at 4:30pm and he invites all staff and students to walk in it. We are working through Consortium to get a 15 passenger van for the smaller Athletic teams to use. Transportation is filling the positions and having interviews for candidates to meet our goal of 5 drivers, thanked the public for being patient with the driving routes we have currently.

#### PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

K. Bennett- Questions about the Soccer Association and relocation of the fields. Concerned with space, the storage for equipment, and want to prepare. Also noted Varsity Soccer doesn't want to move from the turf.

Tindall responded presently it's all in a brainstorming stage and nothing is set in concrete, they will be working with the Building and Grounds committee to finalize plans, and invited Benette to the meetings. September 28th at Riverside Board room at 4PM.

K.Hieber- Defined the word "trust" and expressed her feelings within the school board, staff and its system/structures so far this year and her concern with communication from the High School.

A.Naebeck- Highlighted some positive notes for her children within the schools at Klager/Riverside, thanked their teachers and coaches. Conveyed her concerns with multiple entrances and the "Leader in Me" program, asking to vote for removal.

S. Witala- praised the changes so far for 2022-23 for her students at the beginning of the year.

#### UPCOMING DATES

- September 19th, 2022- 7th & 9th grade Hearing & Vision Test
- September 21st, 2022- Jr/Sr High School Picture day
- September 23rd, 2022- Riverside and Klager Picture day
- September 26th-30th, 2022- Homecoming week
- September 29th, 2022 -MECC Picture day
- October 2nd, 2022- Public Forum for School Board Candidates- 6:00 PM-7:30 PM-Auditorium
- October 7th, 2022- MCS Early Release day
- October 7th, 2022- PTO Fun Run

OTHER - None

#### ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Novess, supported by Naylorl to adjourn meeting at 7:14pm. Roll call vote: All yes (5-0)