

Windsor Central Unified Union School District
Board of Directors Monthly Meeting
February 7, 2022, 6:30 p.m.
[Virtual Zoom meeting recording](#)

Board Members Present:

Barnard:

Bryce Sammel (virtual)
Kelly Welsh (virtual)

Bridgewater:

Matthew Hough (virtual)
Sarah Adams (virtual)

Killington:

Jim Haff (virtual)
Gwen Hagenbarth (virtual)

Plymouth:

Jay Moore (virtual)

Pomfret:

Bob Crean (virtual)
Bill Overbay (virtual)

Reading:

Anna Sessa (virtual)
Adam Ameele (virtual)

Woodstock:

Keri Bristow (virtual)
Ben Ford (virtual)
Sam DiNatale (virtual)
Todd Ulman (virtual)
Matt Stout (virtual)
PJ Eames (virtual)

Superintendent: Sherry Sousa (virtual)

Director of Student Support Services: Gina Rocque (virtual)

Director of Instructional Technology: Raphael Adamek (virtual)

Director of Finance and Operations: Jim Fenn (virtual)

District Curriculum Coordinator: Jennifer Stainton (virtual)

District Buildings & Grounds Manager: Joe Rigoli (virtual)

Director of Human Resources: Linda Loprete (virtual)

Principals/ Administration: Aaron Cinquemani (virtual), John Hansen (virtual), Mary Guggenberger (virtual), Maggie Mills (virtual)

Student Representatives: Genevieve Morel (virtual), Owen Courcay (virtual), Aiden Keough-Vella (virtual)

Presenters: Shayna Kalnitski (virtual), Hector Kent (virtual), Paul Bremel (virtual), Ryan Becker (virtual), Melanie McGovern (virtual), DeVeau Sleeper (virtual)

Recording Secretary: Rayna Bishop (virtual)

Visitors: Rich Kearney, Jamie Ziobro, Curt Peterson, Julie Brown, Earnesto Fernandez

1. Bryce Sammel called the meeting to order at 6:34 p.m. Quorum noted.
2. Amendments to the Agenda: none. Bryce welcomed PJ Eames to the board as the newly appointed Woodstock representative.
3. Public Comment: none
4. Reports: The full written reports can be found in the board book. Reports were provided by the Superintendent; Director of Instructional Technology; Director of Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment; Director of Student Support Services; Director of Finance and Operations; and the student representatives. Adam Ameele asked for an update on the status of the After School Programs, and it was reported that finding qualified individuals to staff the programs remains a problem. Jim Haff recommended looking into partnerships with the area recreation programs. Todd Ulman asked if there was any way to potentially combine positions.
5. Time Scheduled Discussion:
 - Recognize Departing Board Members- Bryce thanked Sarah Adams and Kelly Welsh for their time and commitment to the board. Their terms are expiring in March, and they will not be seeking reelection.

- [Math Goals and Visioning](#)- Shayna Kalnitski, Instructional Coach; DeVeau Sleeper, Math Interventionist; Hector Kent, Math Teacher; Paul Bremel, Math Teacher; and Melanie McGovern, Math Teacher, delivered a presentation on Math Equity (linked above).
 - Bus Routes and Stops- Sherry Sousa discussed current transportation issues and the work that has been done to revamp bus routes for FY23 to alleviate those issues. A community presentation is scheduled for the evening of February 22 so that parents can see the draft routes and ask questions.
6. Committees:
 - Policy- no update
 - Buildings & Grounds- Jim Haff delivered an update on the work being done.
 - Finance- Ben Ford delivered an update.
 - Negotiations- Adam Ameele delivered a brief update.
 - C&E Working Group- Keri Bristow delivered an update.
 - HS/MS Working Group- Ben Ford delivered an update.
 7. Consent Agenda- Motion to approve the consent agenda. Moved: Keri Bristow; seconded: Todd Ulman. All in favor.
 8. Public comment: none
 9. Reflection.
 10. Motion to adjourn at 9:01 p.m. Moved: Keri Bristow; seconded: Jim Haff. All in favor.